

Welcome to NWCC

'A Co-operative approach to safe, quality care, under your control and informed by your experience.'

'Together we can live life well'.





What is a Personal Assistant?

- **Care worker**
- Alternative titles for this job include Care assistant, support worker, nursing home assistant
- Care workers support vulnerable people with their daily activities and help them to live as independently as possible.



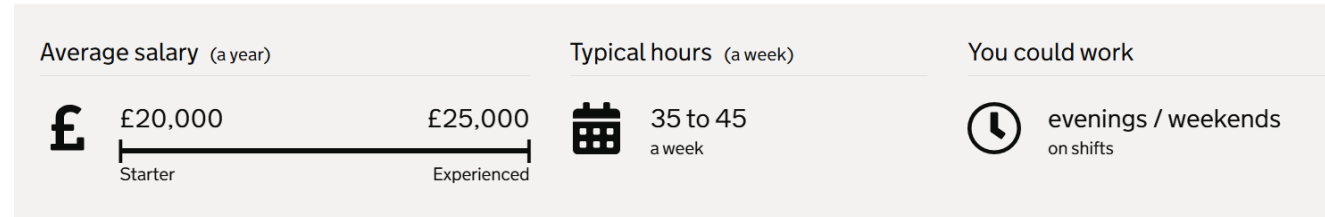


Meet Jodie, Our Development Manager



- **Level 6 Career Development Professional**
- 30 years of SEND experience
- Bespoke offer to meet the needs of your service or establishment
- Find out if we can help you.
- **Careersadvisernwcc@outlook.com**

How much can I earn? When will I have to work?



What are the routes into this job role?

College

- a college course
- an apprenticeship
- volunteering
- applying directly

You could take a college course, which may help you when looking for work.

Courses include:

- Care
- health and social care
- T Level in Health



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Some employers might want you to have GCSEs in English and Maths at grades 9 to 4 (A* to C), or equivalent. However, many will offer training to applicants who have the right personal qualities.

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Apprenticeship

You could apply to do an apprenticeship with a care organisation or the NHS.

Apprenticeship options include:

- Adult Care Worker Level 2 Intermediate Apprenticeship
- Healthcare Support Worker Level 2 Intermediate Apprenticeship
- Lead Adult Care Worker Level 3 Advanced Apprenticeship

These can take between 1 and 2 years to complete and combine workplace training with study in the classroom.

Volunteering

You can volunteer with an organisation that supports vulnerable people, like a care home, charity, hospital or hospice. This can help you when applying for paid work.

Direct Application

You can apply for care worker jobs directly. If you get the role, you'll be given on-the-job training by your employer.

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