

# Up Moving On

Supporting East Sussex residents, living in supported and temporary accommodation, to secure an apprenticeship or employment, and permanent housing.

**Employer:** East Sussex Supported Living

**Location:** The locations for this apprenticeship are as follows:

**Eastbourne:**

Avondale Road, BN22 8JW

Friday Street, BN23 8AG

Redoubt Road, BN22 7DL

**Hailsham:**

Battle Road, BN27 1DS

Travelling expenses are payable between sites.

**What is the job?**

Working in a team setting (usually around six clients in each house) enabling clients to live as independently as possible. You will work under the direction of one of the support team to assist clients in all areas of their support needs as appropriate.

Support can range from:

Prompts to maintain personal hygiene and good health

Assistance with laundry, cleaning, cooking and shopping etc

Help with budgeting, benefits, mail and telephone calls

Liaising with other professional agencies

Emotional and listening support

Support to engage in social activities

Keeping professional records – training will be given

The apprentice's working day may be in one site only or sometimes across two locations

**You will need to be prepared to travel across and work in different bases, in Eastbourne and Hailsham, – sometimes during the same working day – using their own transport or public transport.**

**Role:** Adult Care Worker Apprentice (13-month apprenticeship, or at least 1 year)

**Salary:** £195 p/w for 30 hours p/w OR £230.75 for 35.5 hours p/w



Reasonable travelling time will be included as part of the shift, from the time of arrival at the first site to the time of finishing your working day.

### What skills do I need? The top 3 skills for this post are:

1. A reasonable level of Maths and English
2. Basic IT (for record keeping)
3. Practical skills such as cooking, gardening, crafts etc would be an advantage in this role

### What attributes do I need for this post?

Positive, empathetic, caring, patient, non-judgemental and flexible

### What knowledge do I need for this post?

At application and interview it would be useful to demonstrate an understanding of: -

- The skills required in positively involving and enabling people to live as independently as possible

### What experience do I need?

No experience needed or formal qualifications necessary

### What else does the job offer?

- Level 2 Diploma in health and social care
- Care certificate
- Level 1 Functional Skills in Maths and English (equivalent to GCSE grade D-E or level 3-2) unless exempt.
- Apprenticeship Certificate (Pass, Merit or Distinction)
- 20% of contracted work time is spent on training, comprised of in-house training, shadowing staff, mentoring, written assignments, meeting with you assessor, revision and assessments.
- The Blue Light card scheme after 6 months

### Further Information

You will need to undergo an enhanced DBS check before being able to work alone with any client – this will be organised and paid for by ESSL soon after you have started work.

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