

**Cottage Family Centre
Cawdor Crescent
Kirkcaldy
KY2 6LH**

Advert for post of: Lead Children's Therapeutic Play Worker

Role

The range of services that the Cottage provide includes a children's therapeutic play service, individual counselling and family therapy and support service.

We are looking for an appropriately qualified and experienced Lead Children's Therapeutic Play Worker to lead this section of the services delivered by the Cottage. You must have excellent communication skills and be able to provide individual play therapy with children up to 12 years of age; you will also facilitate a groupwork programme of support to parents and family therapy.

You will have experience of working in a similar role and have a relevant professional qualification.

You will need to be self-motivated, be a good team worker and have the ability to work independently with a positive and flexible approach and demonstrate a deep understanding of social issues that affect individuals and families.

This post is funded by BBC Children in Need.

Service Profile

The Cottage Family Centre was established in 1987. The focus of the work at the Centre is to provide a range of support to those families and individuals within family units who are vulnerable to social exclusion as a result of factors such as poverty, unemployment, poor housing, relationship breakdown, drug and alcohol problems and health related issues.

This post will be subject to a Protection of Vulnerable Groups check.

Hours: 35 hours per week

Salary: £20,820

For application pack, contact Lisa Hitchcock on 01592 269489 or by email on administration@thecottagefamilycentre.org.uk

For an informal discussion, contact Pauline Buchan, Service Manager, on 01592 269489.