



Mentor Worker for The Call In Programme

Hours: 7 hours per week
Contract: 6 months initially
Salary: £16,512 pro rata



Avon and Somerset Constabulary in partnership with Golden Key, and Bristol City Council, are seeking to recruit passionate mentors to work closely alongside young people in Bristol who have been caught engaging in criminal activity. The Call In Programme has been setup to offer those young people, who are caught committing criminal offences, an opportunity to exit the perpetual cycle of crime, with a programme of targeted intervention, overseen by a personal mentor.

Drug and gang activity is currently a significant challenge in East Bristol. The Call In Programme reflects a joint commitment to break down these barriers with the community and offer these young people a pathway away from crime.

The principle of the programme is simple yet powerful. Individuals who are caught by the police acting criminally will have the choice between engaging with the Call In Programme, or being charged to court in the traditional manner. The proposition of a looming charge can be an effective catalyst for change in a young person's life.

The mentor role involves approximately 7 hours of intensive hands on mentoring provision per week, and includes a combination of 1:1 engagement, assisting clients to workshops, identifying opportunities for client development, and encouraging successful engagement throughout the programme.

If you are interested in this opportunity please send your expression of interest to hazel.renouf@goldenkeybristol.org.uk who will be able to provide you with a mentor application form for completion.

Second Step is committed to Equal Opportunities and welcomes applicants from all sections of the community and from people who have personal experience of using mental health services.

