



## VACANCY NOTICE

### **Female Peer Support Worker**

- Schedule 9, Paragraph 1 of the Equality Act 2010 applies.
- This post **is** exempted from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974
- Fixed term to March 2022
- Two roles available

**Location:** Ardenleigh Secure Women's Service/ Anawim Women's Centre and other community settings

**Grade:** **SCP 18-21**

**Salary:** £19,363 - £21,344 per Annum (Pro Rata)

**Hours:** **16 hours per week**

#### **Job Purpose:**

An exciting opportunity has arisen for a Female Peer Support Worker to be part of a tailored pilot project in partnership with Ardenleigh Secure Women's Blended Service and Anawim Women's Centre, aiming to improve women's experiences of secure care, reduce length of stay in hospital as well as preventing women in the community from spiraling and entering such a facility in the first place.

#### **About you:**

Could you engage, encourage and support service users experiencing mental health issues by:

- Developing their understanding of recovery
- Helping to motivate them towards reintegration and rehabilitation
- Modelling your own recovery process, demonstrating coping skills, based on your own lived experience of secure forensic mental health services.

You will be involved in the planning and evaluation of the service, supporting service users to have a good level of involvement also.

**For more information, please visit: <https://anawim.co.uk/get-involved/vacancies/> to download the Job Description & Person Specification.**

**Closing date: Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2021 at 5pm**

**Interview date: Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2021**