**Personal Assistant ET/YOR**

**Hours:**  1 Day per week/Full time – please indicate how many days you are available.

**Pay rate:**  £13.00 per hour

**Area:**    Bolton Percy, York

**Hours of work 7-8 hours per day up to 5 days a week mon- Fri and holiday cover for colleagues.**

**About the role.**

Female carer to join a small team supporting a young lady

with learning and physical disabilities.

The role is to support the young lady and keep her safe, working alongside colleagues, in her home and on a variety of activities that she participates in during the week, including swimming, horse riding, cycling, going for walks, participating in activity groups including art and music etc. Playing games and reading stories.

**About me.**

I live at home with mum and dad and our cat Brian. I enjoy a wide variety of activities as above and love watching DVDs (Disney, Postman Pat, Moomins etc), listening to stories and playing games. I use a wheelchair for getting around, but I can walk short distances, if supported, and sometimes get around the house on my bottom. I like going out and about and seeing interesting things. Can you help me do this?

# Social Tasks

I enjoy a wide variety of activities as above and love watching DVDs (Disney, Postman Pat, Moomins etc), listening to stories and playing games.

You will support me in these social activities, and activities around the home.

# Desired personal qualities

* Reliable and trustworthy
* Friendly and easy-going
* Experience of working in health and social care
* Sensitive and approachable
* Punctual
* Sense of humour
* Maturity
* Strong commitment

**Person Specification**

**Essential**

* Excellent communication skills
* Be willing to work under my direction and that of my family member
* No phones to be used during working hours (apart from during breaks or in an emergency)
* Have a positive attitude towards disability
* Be flexible, reliable, and punctual
* Keep information gained in the course of your employment confidential
* Respect my privacy and dignity and that of my family and friends
* Not discuss my household and domestic circumstances with others, other than with my specific permission
* Be able to accept responsibility and work on your own initiative
* Be able to respond appropriately in an emergency