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Head of Programmes & Policy

full time (37.5 hours) – salary: £55,000 p.a.

Pathway is a unique national charity with two mutually reinforcing purposes:

- i) to improve health and care outcomes for people experiencing homelessness and other forms of profound social exclusion,
- ii) to use the evidence and experience we generate to campaign for the policy changes that will prevent homelessness and social exclusion in the first place.

We are now looking to strengthen our small, dynamic core team and increase our capacity to deliver and to build on the successes of our first ten years. We are looking to recruit a **Head of Programmes and Policy**. This is a new role. The postholder will join our senior management team and play a leading role in driving forward our work over the next ten years.

The successful candidate will lead our 'operations team' which includes Communications, our Lived Experience programme, Pathway Fellows' programme, Faculty networks, data collection and analysis and reporting.

In addition to an enthusiasm to help drive forward Pathway's ambitious programme of work, applicants need senior experience of working within the health or health inclusion field, wide ranging knowledge of NHS structures, policy and practice, UK health inequalities policy and local authority housing and homelessness policy and structures. The successful applicant will have a track record of leading research, service or policy development projects or programmes in healthcare or a related field or of managing clinical services in the NHS to time and budget.

In addition to the competitive salary we offer: 30 days paid holiday plus bank holidays; a contributory pension; and the opportunity to take advantage of a travel to work scheme.

Pathway values diversity and aims to have a workforce that reflects this. We encourage applications from all sections of the community.

Further details and an application form can be found on our current vacancies page <https://www.pathway.org.uk/about-us/vacancies/> Pathway only accepts applications on our own application form. *C.V's will not be accepted.* The closing date for applications is Monday 4th October 2021, and interviews will take place in the second or third week of October 2021.