



JOB DESCRIPTION

Position:	<u>Sessional Playworker</u>
Reports to:	Playground Manager
Directly supervises:	none
Indirectly Supervises:	Assistant Playworkers, Volunteers, Placements and general helpers.

General purpose of position

- To play with TVAP users enabling them to fully participate in a wide variety of activities and play experiences.
- To ensure their welfare and assist, as appropriate, with their personal care.

Outline of major responsibilities and tasks

- To prepare and run an appropriate variety of imaginative and meaningful play activities, that meet the needs of TVAP users.
- To help to evaluate our practice and ensure that activities and resources are directed appropriately.
- To actively support the Playground users and carers in their use of TVAP ensuring appropriate use and care of equipment and resources.
- To work within all current health and safety legislation and guidelines, TVAP risk assessments and operating policy, comply with all registration and legal requirements and local agreements.
- Promote best practice in all areas of operation.

General Tasks

- To support and encourage our users in their play.
- To have a positive input into the planning, co-ordination and evaluation of the day-to-day activities of TVAP facilities.
- Participate in staff meetings.
- To undertake and participate in relevant training and assist with in house training as appropriate.
- Undertake such reasonable tasks or duties, as appropriate and as directed by senior staff and/or board of Trustees.
- Make recommendations to the Playground Manager for improvements to the service and assist in the implementation and delivery, as requested.

Specific Tasks/areas of responsibility

- Responsibilities for the care of the site/equipment, preparation and running of activities and care of the children will be shared throughout the staff team.
- The staff rota prepared by the Playground Manager will determine your day-to-day responsibilities.