

## Housing Coach (Key Worker / Social Worker)



Do you have a passion to see people living in safe and healthy housing?

Homes for People works across the housing spectrum providing Transitional Housing for people in immediate housing need and delivering new-build Affordable Homes for low-income households.

The uncertainty of living in Transitional Housing is challenging.

We have a position available for someone who has the skills and heart to support and care for households impacted by the housing shortage.

Homes for People recognises to be successful in this role you will be able to demonstrate you are:

- Able to relate to people with sensitivity, care and patience
- Experienced in working with people in complex situations
- Have strong and proven interpersonal and communication (written and oral) skills
- Calm and responsive in a crisis
- Flexible and self-motivated
- Well organised with good attention to detail
- Able to work autonomously and prioritise self-care
- Skilled at working with government departments, e.g. Work and Income, Kainga Ora

Our Transitional Housing team is multi-disciplinary. Experience (3+ years) working in one of the following fields would be beneficial:

- Social Work, Counselling or Psychology
- Health and Disability
- Teaching
- Chaplaincy or Pastoral Work
- Mentoring

One or more of the following would also be advantageous:

- Tertiary Qualification in social work, health or social services
- Skills in one or more of the following - Programme coordination; Tenancy management; Budgeting; Volunteer coordination
- Understanding of the housing sector, including the systems and processes involved in supporting people who are homeless
- Knowledge of issues affecting people who are homeless
- Experience working in a faith based organisation
- Experience working in a social enterprise

Homes for People offers a supportive and positive workplace that is flexible and open to innovation.

Full and part-time positions will be considered. Normal hours for the role are Monday – Friday with the option of occasional or regular after-hours and weekend work.

Remuneration commensurate with experience.

To apply please email a resume and covering letter with details of your passion and experience.

For a position description or more information, please contact Cheri at Homes for People 022 024 3742, [cheri@homesforpeople.co.nz](mailto:cheri@homesforpeople.co.nz)