**Care Assistant**

Beacon Centre for the Blind is the oldest and largest Visual Impairment charity within the West Midlands.

At Beacon Domiciliary care, we provide support to adults with personal care, to enable them to live independently in their own home for as long as possible.

We are currently looking to recruit care assistants on a full time basis (37.5 hours). Hourly rate is £8.49 per hour.

The role involves providing support to adults who find difficulty in carrying out daily routine tasks such as cooking; cleaning; washing dishes; escorting to appointments; preparation of meals; bathing and toileting.

We are looking for someone who:

* is flexible
* can work alternate weekends as well as full days
* has experience of working with vulnerable adults
* is an excellent communicator
* is empathetic, has patience and is caring by nature

A qualification within the health asocial care industry is desirable.

All successful candidates will be required to undertake a DBS check, have a full driving licence and access to their own vehicle. Personal or paid experience in home care will be a distinct advantage.

The Beacon offer excellent benefits, including a generous holiday allowance, Death in Service scheme, Simply Health Cash Plan, generous pension scheme.

If you are interested in applying for the above vacancy please send your CV with a cover letter to RRai@beaconvision.org

Closing date: **Rolling Recruitment**

If you do not hear within two weeks of applying please assume you have been unsuccessful.