



Staff of the month
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NEWSLETTER



Careline Newsletter

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Learning Disability Week 2020 will take place online from the **15th to 21st June**. The theme of the week is **the importance of friendships during lockdown**. MENCAP want to show the importance of friendships to help with tackling isolation, as well as exploring the different ways of maintaining friendships during this unusual time.

For more information please visit <https://www.mencap.org.uk/get-involved/learning-disability-week-2020>

The MENCAP website also contains some useful links and information for healthcare professionals who support individuals with learning disabilities - check it out by visiting <https://www.mencap.org.uk/learning-disability-explained/resources-healthcare-professionals>



CORONAVIRUS Are you in the know??

The situation with the Coronavirus pandemic is changing so rapidly that it is hard to keep up! Make sure you are doing your bit to stay 'in the know' by regularly checking out the following websites for information and updates:

- <https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>
- <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/>
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk>

Careline also posts all the updates on our Facebook page and website so make sure you are checking out the information there too (there's also loads of other helpful stuff you'll find there too).

<https://www.carelineagency.co.uk/newsfeed/>



Keeping Us Informed

Please remember it is really important that you keep us up to date with your availability or any change to your contact details so that we can make sure you're kept in the loop and offered work!



"...this staff member has been very good for us, she gets on well with residents, spending time with residents chatting with them etc...nothing is too much for her to do. She gets on well with staff as well which is essential in the environment. It has been a pleasure having her here..."

Feedback received from a Service Manager regarding a member of the Careline Support staff team.

BACK TO WORK AGAIN?

For most of you (and the office staff) it has been business as usual throughout this pandemic. Many of you have continued to work where you can and the ladies here in the Careline office have worked tirelessly to make sure that those who wished to work have been offered shifts. It's been a challenging time all round and I'd like to extend my thanks to all Careline staff for their understanding and patience as we have navigated through this unprecedented situation.

As we begin to (hopefully) come out the other side of this pandemic we are starting to see the shoots of business returning to us which has been very encouraging and we hope that this will continue to grow. Over the next few weeks we will be putting all of our efforts into securing work for our support staff so please watch this space and expect a telephone call from us!

Refer a friend – earn some money

Fancy earning an extra £30? Refer a friend to Careline and once they have complete their first shift, we will pay £30 directly into your bank account on pay day! Please call the office if you would like some more information.



If you need any PPE then give us a call as we have some in the office that we can send out to you

Is your training up-to-date?

If not please contact us on your local number or training@carelineagency.co.uk

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Swindon 01793 616263
Basingstoke 01256 474444

Bracknell 01344 868990
Slough 01753 535358

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