AYRSHIRE COUNCIL ON ALCOHOL



ALCOHOL COUNSELLOR (14 HOURS PER WEEK) FIXED TERM to 30TH APRIL 2026 (TO COVER MATERNITY LEAVE)

SALARY £26,000 PER ANNUM (PRO RATA)

Ayrshire Council on Alcohol provides a free, specialist, confidential alcohol counselling and recovery service to individuals (whether they wish to stop drinking or reduce the amount that they drink) and their families.

We are looking for a counsellor who is passionate about supporting individuals & their families who live in East & South Ayrshire in their recovery.

Applicants should possess COSCA Certificate in Counselling Skills, a counselling qualification or be an accredited Alcohol Counsellor and supervised post qualifying counselling experience (paid or voluntary) **IS ESSENTIAL**.

Training & support will be provided to the right candidate should they not have experience of counselling those affected by alcohol and/or drug use however, the successful candidate will have a strong desire to work with individuals concerned about their own or a loved one's drinking.

Some evening work may be required to meet the needs of the service.

A full UK driving licence and access to a car is essential.

The preferred candidate will need to become a member of the PVG Scheme or undergo a PVG Scheme Update.

For further information about ACA and the services we provide please see our website www.acaayr.org. To request an application pack e-mail:info@acaayr.org or telephone 01292 281238. For an informal chat about the post please contact Kerry McGee, Service Manager on 01292 281238.

Completed applications should be returned by WEDNESDAY 7^{TH} MAY 2025 BY 5PM. Only those selected for an interview will be notified.

Ayrshire Council on Alcohol is funded by East & South Ayrshire Health & Social Care Partnerships.