

Number of Hours per week:	10 hours
Hourly Rate:	£12.50
Contract:	Permanent
Location:	Ebbw Vale

About Direct Payments

The Council provides social care for people who need support at home or in the community and they can choose to receive their support in alternative ways. One way of doing this, is for the Council to give the person the money (direct payments) so that they can buy their own support, which they can use to employ a Personal Assistant (carer). The Personal Assistant will **NOT** be employed by the Local Authority but by the person (or their representative) in receipt of care.

Job Advert: About Me

I am a 29-year-old mother who suffers with depression, anxiety and I am also registered as blind.

I am looking to employ a Personal Assistant to help support me and my two children at home and when we go out in the community, for a total of 10 hours per week, I would require this support through the week and on the weekends.

As a Personal Assistant, you will be joining a team who already supports me during the week/weekends, therefore sometimes you will be required to help cover holidays/sickness leave.

I need support to attend social activities out in the community with my children, such as going to McDonalds, to the park, to the leisure centre, shopping to Cardiff and to the beach etc. A car driver is essential for this role, and I

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