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Cygnet Health Care to hold recruitment Open Day in Sheffield

(26 August 2022) Staff from a mental health hospital in Sheffield will be talking about how local jobseekers can make a positive difference to the lives of people with mental health needs during an open day to recruit health workers.

Cygnet Health Care operates Cygnet Hospital Sheffield, on East Bank Road, which offers a low secure service for women and CAMHS services for male and female adolescents over three distinct wards. It is inviting those interested to learn more about working in the industry to come along to an open day on Monday 5 September.

Jenny Gibson, HR Director at Cygnet Health Care said: "The recruitment challenge facing the health care sector has been well documented recently. Increased demand for specialist services like ours means it is crucial to recruit talented and compassionate individuals to help reduce the current pressure on the sector."

"Previous experience is not essential, but it is important that applicants have a passion for delivering outstanding care and helping others. We have an amazing team of dedicated staff members, a number came into support work without previous experience and they will be on hand to share their experiences at the open day for people interested in a career in care."

Incentives for new staff include discounts from big brands like Nike, Boots, H&M, Primark, Boohoo, Argos, IKEA, lastminute.com. Cygnet also offers discounted gym membership, free meals onsite, a group pension scheme and a health cash plan to help with costs including eye tests, prescription glasses and contact lenses, dental check-ups and hygienist fees, Chiropractic and physiotherapy sessions and prescription charges.

Recruitment in the care sector has never been more important, with the number of vacancies rising above 120,000 nationwide.

The Open Day will take place on Monday 5 September from 10.00am – 5.00pm at The Crowne Plaza Royal Victoria Hotel, Sheffield S4 7YE.

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Notes to Editors

For interviews, please contact Gemma Attew, External Communications Manager, at gemmaattew@cygnethealth.co.uk

Further information on Cygnet Hospital Sheffield can be found here:

<https://www.cygnethealth.co.uk/locations/cygnet-hospital-sheffield/>

About Cygnet Health Care

Cygnet Health Care has been providing a national network of high-quality, specialised mental health services for the NHS and local authorities for the past 30 years.

Cygnet Health Care's pioneering services support people with complex and acute mental health needs across the UK.

As one of the best quality providers in mental health services in the country, Cygnet Health Care's focus is always on the best outcomes for those who use or commission its services. 85% of Cygnet's facilities are rated as good or outstanding, which is above the national average. www.cygnethealth.co.uk