



**Family Development Worker Post** 

**Background Information** 

Family and Community Development West Lothian (FCDWL) has been servicing communities across the district since 1989. From its beginnings in Broxburn, the organisation has built up an excellent reputation and has a strong track record in community regeneration work, children's care, formal and informal adult learning and is a national leader in innovative play practice.

Armadale is a priority for community planning partners. The Scottish Indices of Multiple Deprivation (SIMD) statistics show that there is a concentration of social issues which impact on the community and on people's health and wellbeing.

We have been developing and maintaining relationships with local families and the wider community, for the last 10 years, initially from a local Community House, and since 2013, from the bespoke Dale Hub, which is surrounded by an excellent outdoor/garden space.

The Dale Hub is a welcoming setting for our work with families and their children. It is an excellent facility for play based sessions, health and wellbeing activities and family support groups.



FCDWL already has a well-earned reputation for its play-based approaches to child and whole family development and support, with a range of projects across West Lothian.

This is an exciting opportunity with an established, well respected, local Third Sector leader. We look forward to receiving applications from the right people.





