# **TD1 Youth Hub**

# **Job Description**

# **Impact & Learning Specialist**

Responsible to: Chief Executive

**Hours of Duty:** 17.5 hours per week

**Location:** TD1 Youth Hub (hybrid home/office based)

Rate of Pay: £32,760 per year - (£16,380 pro rata)

**Contract:** Fixed Term – 1 year

**Purpose of Job:** This will strengthen how TD1 Youth Hub understands, measures,

and communicates the difference our work makes. The post-holder will lead on evaluating our services, embedding learning across the team, and amplifying young people's voices in how we assess and improve what we do. This is a new and exciting role funded by the National Lottery Community Fund for someone who is passionate about using data, stories and feedback to drive meaningful, youth-

led change.

## **About TD1 Youth Hub**

TD1 Youth Hub is an award winning youth work charity based in Galashiels in the Scottish Borders, working with over 300 young people aged 10 to 26-year-old each year we provide safe spaces, opportunities and support to young people to realise their potential.

## **Key Tasks and Responsibilities**

### Maximise the Use of Teckle (Database System)

- Lead on embedding TD1's bespoke database system, **Teckle**, into day-to-day practice across all projects.
- Support staff to effectively input, manage, and interpret data to reflect the individual journeys of young people rather than just attendance or sessional data.
- Ensure consistent, meaningful use of the system that aligns with TD1's values and youth work principles.

#### **Data-Driven Service Improvement**

- Collect, analyse, and present data to assess the effectiveness of services, interventions, and programmes.
- Identify emerging trends, successes, and challenges to inform strategic and operational decisions.
- Work closely with project leads to ensure services are responsive and flexible to the evolving needs of young people.

#### **Embedding Youth Voice in Monitoring & Evaluation**

- Develop and implement creative tools to ensure **young people's voices are central** in how TD1 evaluates and adapts its work.
- Facilitate opportunities for youth participation in feedback, evaluation, and service design.
- Capture and share stories of change that reflect lived experiences, supporting authentic youth-led evidence.

### **Strengthen Organisational Learning**

- Promote a culture of reflection, learning, and continuous improvement across the organisation.
- Highlight opportunities for staff development and learning based on data insights and service outcomes.
- Support team members to use data confidently in planning, delivery, and evaluation.

### **Demonstrating Impact & Supporting Sustainability**

- Produce accessible, insightful reports and visuals that clearly **demonstrate TD1's impact** to funders, trustees, and stakeholders.
- Contribute to **funding applications and reporting**, using data to evidence outcomes and build confidence in TD1's capacity.
- Share learning and best practice within the sector, supporting wider **growth and** collaboration in the Scottish Borders Youth Work Partnership.

### Person Specification

#### Essential

- Experience in monitoring, evaluation, research, or learning—ideally in the voluntary or youth sector.
- Strong skills in data collection, analysis, and reporting (both qualitative and quantitative).
- Excellent IT skills
- Excellent communication skills, able to make complex findings accessible and engaging.
- Commitment to youth participation and a rights-based approach.
- Self-motivated, organised, and able to manage multiple priorities.
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#### Desirable

- Experience working directly with young people and/or in youth work environments.
- Knowledge of relevant impact frameworks
- Understanding of the Scottish Borders context or rural youth work.
- Creative approach to using digital tools and media in evaluation and storytelling.

## What We Offer

- A supportive, values-driven team environment
- Flexible working hours and hybrid working options
- Contributory Employer Pension
- Training and development opportunities
- The chance to shape a new role and contribute to meaningful change in young people's lives