**Are you determined to make a difference, looking for a new challenge, and enjoy working in a dynamic and fast paced environment?**

Onside aims to strengthen communities, reduce loneliness, give people a voice, and empower individuals to make positive choices. We make a difference to the lives of over 5,500 people a year through our dedicated team of experienced staff and volunteers.

**Dementia Digital Access Worker**

**37 hours per week**

(fixed term for 6 months)

**Salary £20,500 - £22,500 per year**

We are looking for a person who is dedicated to helping and supporting people living with dementia and their carers to enable them to get the most out of life and remain engaged and active in their local communities.

This role is funded to specifically support people following the impact of the pandemic. You will help people to build confidence to re-engage with their community and continue to build their skills in using digital options to connect with other people and activities.

You will work on both a one to one and group basis to help people develop skills and confidence in using technology to engage with other people and their communities. This could include facilitating informal training and skills development sessions as well as working with individuals to help them overcome barriers to active participation.

We are looking for people with the ability to build strong trusting relationships and with an understanding of the challenges faced by people living with dementia and their families and carers. You will need excellent communication skills and enjoy working directly with people, building their confidence. The ability to work effectively with a wide variety of other agencies, organisations and partners is essential. You should have confidence in working with and using digital communication platforms, such as facebook, whatsapp, skype, zoom etc and the set up and use of devices, such as mobile phones, tablets and personal computers.

These roles will provide an exciting opportunity to bring your experience, digital knowledge and innovative ideas to improve the lives of people living with dementia and their families and carers.

If you want to work for an organisation that strives to support and empower people to live the very best life possible this could be the opportunity for you.

Please also check out our vacancy for a Dementia Community Engagement Worker.

**Closing Date for applications is 5pm on Thursday 23rd September**

**Interviews will take week commencing 4th October 2021**

For an application pack: Visit our Website [www.onside-advocacy.org.uk/recruitment](http://www.onside-advocacy.org.uk/recruitment) or

Contact **Elly Munslow Tel 01905 27525 / email:** **recruitment@onside-advocacy.org.uk**

For an informal conversation about these roles, please contact Viv McLaughlin via viv.mclaughlin@onside-advocacy.org.uk