# Wolverhampton City Council Role Profile Description PSWSB55A

| Date                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | December 2011                                                                                                                        |
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| Family                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Personal and Social Wellbeing (School Based)                                                                                         |
| Role Profile Level Number                                                                                                                                                                                               | 55A                                                                                                                                  |
| Purpose                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                      |
| To organise and control the day to day delivery of the service, to promote the independence and wellbeing of service users; this may include managing a small, complex caseload. To promote independence and wellbeing. |                                                                                                                                      |
| Role Accountability                                                                                                                                                                                                     | End Result                                                                                                                           |
| Case Management                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                      |
| Determine progression of complex cases and monitor case advancement by other staff.                                                                                                                                     | <ul> <li>Cases are progressed in line with<br/>quality, national and legislative<br/>standards</li> </ul>                            |
| Budget                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                      |
| Assist in the planning and control of delegated budget for specific areas.                                                                                                                                              | Manager provided with accurate information in order to inform budget decisions                                                       |
| People and Performance Management                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                      |
| Monitor and review contracted services for individual service users.                                                                                                                                                    | Service delivered to standards                                                                                                       |
| Organise and authorise deployment of staff.                                                                                                                                                                             | Delivery of appropriate support for service users                                                                                    |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Allocation of work                                                                                                                   |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <ul> <li>Interventions are delivered by<br/>appropriately qualified individuals in<br/>line with legislative requirements</li> </ul> |
| Organise the training and development needs of individual staff in light of professional supervision.                                                                                                                   | Improvement of individual performance                                                                                                |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Facilitation of career progression within the service                                                                                |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Increased pool of experienced and qualified resource within the service                                                              |

| Assessment/Risk Management                                                                        |                                                                                                                        |
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| Conduct assessments in particularly complex or high risk circumstances.                           | Determine any     safeguarding/wellbeing issues that     exist or that may develop                                     |
|                                                                                                   | Take action to respond to any identified safeguarding/wellbeing issues                                                 |
|                                                                                                   | <ul> <li>Increased protection of vulnerable<br/>people and ensured safeguarding<br/>procedures are followed</li> </ul> |
| Assess and manage the risk associated with team cases.                                            | Day to day prioritisation of casework                                                                                  |
| Service Development                                                                               |                                                                                                                        |
| Contribute to the development of service planning within the service.                             | <ul> <li>Optimum use of available resources</li> <li>Improved quality of service and efficiency</li> </ul>             |
| Relationships                                                                                     |                                                                                                                        |
| Represent the service in liaison with other agencies and disciplines in order to reach decisions. | Integrated approach between agencies                                                                                   |
|                                                                                                   | Improved effectiveness and efficiency in service delivery                                                              |

### Nature of Contacts and Relationship (who and the nature of the communications)

 Managers and practitioners working in partnership organisations and departments and other agencies

# Working Environment Context (disruption, physical, disagreeable, health and safety aspects)

- Office based and managing some diverse locations
- May involve dealing with challenging behaviour
- May involve visiting people in their homes
- Likely to involve disruption to planned work
- Likely to involve lone working outside core hours

#### Procedural Context (creativity, discretion, impact)

- Authorise deployment of staff
- Sign off decisions relating to high-risk issues
- Operation decisions

## **Planning Requirement**

 Developing and implementing team plan and contributing to business and service planning

# Key Facts and Figure Ranges (include likely size of any team managed)

- Provides professional supervision and authorises deployment of staff
- Monitors performance of contracted services
- Assist in planning associated budget

#### Skills, Knowledge and Qualifications

- Degree or equivalent
- Post graduate professional qualification in practice and/or in management
- Organisational awareness and understanding of political agenda
- Understanding of roles of key partnership agencies
- Resource management ability
- Deep understanding of relevant legislation

#### **Equipment Operated and Essential Skills**

• Computer – basic ICT skills, use of MS Office package