



Western Care Association



#CES-2469490



WESTERN CARE ASSOCIATION, Barrack
Hill, Newport, Co. Mayo, F28 H285



No of positions : 1



Community Employment Programme



19.5 hours per week



[Community Employment Programme Rates](#)



10/09/2026



22/10/2026

How to register your interest

To register your interest, take note of the scheme reference number and contact an Employment Personal Advisor (EPA) in your [local Intreo Office](#)



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Care Assistant - (NEWPORT)

Application Details

Eligibility to participate on CE is generally linked to those who are 21 years or over and in receipt of a qualifying social welfare payment for 1 year or more or 18 years and over for certain disadvantaged groups. Your eligibility will have to be verified by the Department.

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Applicants should supply suitable character references and be prepared to complete a Garda vetting application form.

Job Description

Duties

This is a developmental opportunity, no experience necessary. Accredited training will be provided to support your career.

The Care Assistant will join an established team that will teach them how to learn from, listen to, support and enable the people we support to achieve their full potential. They will assist staff to maximise community inclusion and participation the people we support. The candidate will work on identified goals in line with people's individual plans as required and as agreed with their Line Manager. They will provide personal care and support to the person, where required and participate in all aspects relating to the day to day operation of the service, including leisure activities, driving transport, escort duties, general cleaning and upkeep of the service. They will be taught how to promote safety in all environments, in line with the Association's practices. Use positive approaches to support people who may have challenging behaviour in line with Organisational practice. The candidate will receive support and supervision from the Community Employment Scheme Supervisor and also the Service Manager regarding the day to day work.

- **Sector:** human health and social work activities