**Children with Disabilities Team**

**Personal Assistant Vacancy - Job Advert**

Some of the children and young people in Telford and Wrekin require a personal assistant to provide them with care and support in their day to day lives. If you are interested in the role and feel that you would be a suitable fit, based on the information below, please email [shortbreaks@telford.gov.uk](mailto:shortbreaks@telford.gov.uk)

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| **Child’s Ref No** | **115527-CH** | **Advert Date** | **23.10.2023** |
| **Hours/Working Pattern** | **3 hours per week.** | | |
| **Location** | **Dawley** | | |
| **Child’s Profile** | **I am 6 years old. I live at home with my mum and dad.**  **I attend the Bridge School.**  **I have a diagnosis of Autism, sensory processing disorder and micro-deletion chromosome 16p12.2. I have early childhood development disability. Global development delay and Arfid.**  **I am non-verbal and communicate by tonal sounds, screaming and shouting. I will lead adults to what I want.**  **My mum is important to me. Books and soft blankets are also important to me as well as my swing and my egg chair as they help me with my sensory needs.**  **I am happy when I am spinning in my egg chair.**  **I enjoy playing on my iPad and watching things on my mum’s phone.**  **I do sometimes display behaviours such as pinching, slapping myself and others. I find it difficult to regulate my behaviour** | | |
| **Duties** | **The duties of a Personal Assistant would be to support me to access the community and to allow my mum and dad a break from caring for me.**  **I would require support with my personal care as I am still in pads.** | | |
| **Required Skills, Knowledge, and Experience** | **A Personal Assistant would need experience of working with or being around children and be passionate about this. Someone that can be patient and understanding of my needs. Someone that can be nurturing towards me as I’m an affectionate boy.** | | |