Charlie Kenyon

Social Worker

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LOCATIONS

- Cumbria
- Northumberland
- Tyne and Wear
- Durham
- North Yorkshire
- West Midlands
- East Riding of Yorkshire

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PERSONAL PROFILE

Charlie is a highly experienced professional with over 13+ years of experience in social work and complex care. She has managed complex injuries including brain injuries, amputation, and palliative care, along with mental health. Charlie has direct experience of working with patients in receipt of Continuing Health Care. With previous roles Charlie conducted comprehensive assessments of individuals' needs and encouraged full participation from clients and carers to ensure their viewpoints were integral to the planning process.

EXPERIENCED IN

- Brain Injury
- Spinal Injury
- Complex Care and Multi Trauma
- Cerebral Palsy
- Mental Health
- Neurological Disorders
- Amputation
- Musculoskeletal
- Mental Capacity Assessments
- Safeguarding

EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

- Masters in Social Work - University of Edinburgh - 2012
- BA Hons. Comparative Media (Communications) - York St John - 2005

AFFILIATIONS

- Social Work England
- Practitioner Member of BABICM
- CMSUK Membership
- BISWG Membership

AGES COVERED

- 18+, Adults and Elderly

WORK EXPERIENCE

Social Worker/Case Manager
Band 6 Equivalent
Affective Disorders Community Intervention Team
May 2023 - May 2024

Social Worker/Case Manager
Band 6 Equivalent
September 2020 - May 2023

Locum Social Worker -
Locality Team -
July 2018 - August 2019

Independent Social Worker -
January 2017 - August 2019

PERSONAL PASSIONS

Charlie enjoys a vibrant mix of hobbies, from spending quality time with family and crafting creative cocktails to expressing style through home restoration and design. With a love for live music and nature, Charlie also finds joy in line dancing and the refreshing escape of wild swimming.

EXPERIENCE

Charlie supported a client who became a bilateral above-knee amputee following a fall and subsequent medical negligence, as her injuries were not appropriately investigated or treated with X-ray imaging. This resulted in severe infection and ultimately the loss of both limbs. The client required extensive, holistic support, including sourcing and moving into suitably adapted wheelchair-accessible accommodation, receiving wheelchair skills guidance and training, and accessing appropriate physiotherapy. Charlie also ensured emotional and psychological support was in place to help the client adjust to life-changing injuries.

As the client was no longer able to continue in her previous employment, Charlie provided support with benefits applications and explored future retraining options. To maintain the client's skills, confidence, and social engagement, volunteering opportunities and social groups were identified to reduce social isolation. In addition, Charlie coordinated a comprehensive daily care package to fully meet the client's ongoing physical and practical needs.

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Barry Lehane
Head of Case Management and Rehabiliation

Charlie demonstrates a clear commitment to working in a person-centred and ethical manner. She conducts herself professionally, communicates respectfully, and shows insight into the importance of collaboration and good decision-making within complex services. Charlie is well organised, reliable, and thoughtful in her approach, and she balances focus and efficiency with warmth and humour. She is able to build rapport easily and creates a supportive atmosphere around her, which is a real strength in client-focused roles.