## About the service

We understand how difficult it can be making the first steps back into employment on your recovery journey. Paid employment can be an important part of this journey and Routes Employment Service is here to support individuals to find meaningful paid employment.

We work directly with individuals, local employers and partners to build good working relationships. We can also provide in-work support if required once you have gained employment.

Come and talk to us to find out how we can support you to return to work, or ask your care coordinator, clinician or key worker to make a referral.

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Do you want to work? We're here to help . . .

A personalised service to suit your needs.

We work with you as an individual and offer a service tailored to meet your needs based on your own work preferences.



What we can offer

- One to one personalised support to gain paid employment.
- Guidance on writing your CV and effective application forms.
- Individualised job searches that focus on your employment goal.
- Links with local services and employers.
- Employment related benefits advice.
- Support when starting a new job and regular reviews.



#### Who can use the service?

- You need to be a service user engaged with one of the community mental health teams in Norfolk.
- You must have a desire to work.
- The willingness to commit to a vocational action plan.
- A referral can be made by your care coordinator or key worker.



### What happens next?

- You will receive an initial phone call from a team member.
- Your employment support advisor will meet with you to discuss your needs and explore your options.
- A vocational action plan will be agreed with your advisor.
- Regular one to one meetings.
- Access to in-work support once you have gained employment.