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Dear Applicant,

I am delighted you are interested in joining the team at Aurora New Dawn. In this pack you will find all you need to begin the process of applying for the position of **Community IDVA (Medium Risk & Engage) – West Sussex Connect**

Aurora New Dawn is a voluntary sector organisation working within Portsmouth, Hampshire and West Sussex and providing support to people experiencing domestic abuse, sexual violence and stalking.

Aurora offers a client-led service focusing on individual safety, advocacy and empowerment. Aurora is a feminist led organisation that firmly believes everybody has the right to live their lives free from violence and abuse and that the responsibility for abusive behaviour lies with those who perpetrate it. We seek to raise awareness of the issues of domestic abuse and sexual violence within local communities.

We are excited to be working in partnership with West Sussex County Council and Safelives to deliver CONNECT: a new and holistic service, created with survivors of domestic abuse and offering a coordinated, whole-family response.

If you share our beliefs and have the necessary skills to fulfil the job description we would very much like to hear from you. I have pleasure in enclosing:

- Job Description & Person Specification
- Diversity Monitoring Form

Applications should be in the form of a letter, sent by email to info@aurorand.org.uk, detailing why you think you are suitable for the post. Please return your completed diversity monitoring form with your letter.

You are advised to read the job description and person specification carefully as the decision to shortlist you for interview will be based on the information you provide in your letter.

If this sounds like your ideal role we're keen to hear from you as soon as possible, so don't delay – submit your application as soon as possible. If you meet the key criteria for the role we will then invite you to attend for interview. **Please note – the first suitable applicant will be appointed.**



To save on administration costs we are not able to contact you if your application is unsuccessful, but I would like to take the opportunity to thank you for your interest in our work.

Best Wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Shonagh", followed by a horizontal line.

Shonagh Dillon

Chief Executive
Aurora New Dawn



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