



## **Destitution Caseworker, West Yorkshire**

PAFRAS is an organisation which works with refugees, asylum seekers and the wider community to counter the effects of enforced destitution on vulnerable migrants. The organisation has been operating successfully for over 13 years and offers a lifeline to people who are experiencing hardship. We work in a challenging environment through successful fundraising, community links and partnership building and ongoing support from service users, donors, volunteers and staff.

Our work has three main strands:

- providing immediate humanitarian relief;
- long-term support, advice and advocacy aimed at assisting service users to make lasting improvements to their situations;
- raising awareness and campaigning locally and nationally on issues affecting our service users.

We are proud to be a partner in a new and exciting project, 'Assisting Asylum Seekers in Crisis in Yorkshire and Humberside' and as part of this we are recruiting a Destitution Caseworker to provide specialist advice and advocacy for those asylum seekers living in destitution in West Yorkshire on their options for accessing accommodation and support.

Salary: £21,074  
Hours: 35, full-time  
Employing body: PAFRAS

This post is funded by the National Lottery through Big Lottery Fund.

**For an application pack please visit: [www.pafRAS.org.uk](http://www.pafRAS.org.uk)**

Please return your completed application form to [ruth@pafRAS.org.uk](mailto:ruth@pafRAS.org.uk) no later than 12 midday on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2018. **Interview date is Thursday 6 December 2019.**

Informal enquiries regarding this job can be made by telephoning  
Laurie Ray, Senior Caseworker on **0113 2622163**

It is the organisation's policy to require successful applicants to undertake a Disclosure and Barring Check before appointment is confirmed for all relevant posts.

**PAFRAS is committed to promoting equality of opportunity for all and to developing a diverse and talented workforce.**

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