



# Family and Community Development West Lothian

## The Dale Hub

### Community Development Worker Post

#### Background Information

Family and Community Development West Lothian (FCDWL) has been servicing communities across the district since 1989. From its beginnings in Broxburn, the organisation has built up an excellent reputation and has a strong track record in community regeneration work, children's care, formal and informal adult learning and is a national leader in innovative play practice.

Over the last few years the community of Armadale has been a priority for community planning partners. The Scottish Indices of Multiple Deprivation (SIMD) statistics show that there is a concentration of social issues which impact on the community and on people's health and wellbeing.

FCDWL has been developing relationships with the local community for the last 8 years, initially in partnership through a local Community House, in recent years through developing a Community Garden Project and the Dale Hub.

The Dale Hub is an early years centre working with families with children under 5yrs. We also run Children's clubs for primary school age and a youth group for over 10's. We deliver and support an exciting range of adult group work, support for families, early years activities and playwork.

FCDWL are seeking a qualified, experienced, Community Development Worker to support the Projects Manager and to work alongside p/t Playworkers and the p/t Community Garden Development Worker, to contribute to delivering real outcomes for local families and for the wider community.

This is an exciting opportunity with an established, well respected, local Third Sector leader. We look forward to receiving applications from the right people.

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