

Job Profile: Housing Repairs Co-ordinator – Housing Repairs Contact Centre

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Job Grade: Level 3, Zone 1

Salary Range: £33,789 - £38,465

About Camden

'Camden is building somewhere everyone can thrive, by making our borough the best place to live, work, study and visit. Because, we're not just home to UK's fast-growing economy. We're home to the most important conversations happening today. And we're making radical social change a reality, so that nobody gets left behind. Here's where you can help decide a better future for us all.

About the role

This is a key role within the council and will have full responsibility for all initial and ongoing customer contact within the Housing repairs contact centre. You will carry out the planning and scheduling of high volume responsive repair works from end to end (inception to completion) across a designated geographical or service area. Allocating works orders to trade staff ensuring the correct prioritisation, trade and sequence of work is controlled and managed order. You will act as first point of contact for trades staff and contractors to allocate repairs, monitor progress and update repairs systems in real time through to practical completion of work. Track and monitor outstanding (not completed) works to ensure a comprehensive repairs service is delivered.

At all times there will be a focus to improve the customer experience and deliver a first-class customer experience.

About you

Contact Centre and Panning knowledge and tasks

Experience of dealing with high call volumes in a professional, polite, sensitive, efficient and timely manner, to a high standard of customer care using the appropriate greeting, including name, adapting methods of communication to meet the needs of the customer and ensuring that a positive image of Camden Council is projected.

To diagnose repairs accurately, raise orders on IT systems to contractors and book appointments.

Experience of accurately processing service requests in line with policy and to provide advice and information to customers ensuring that all service requests are processed to Camden Council's performance and standards, policy and procedural guidelines including statutory, complying with the Data Protection Act and the Freedom of Information Act.

To work pro-actively with team members to improve customer service delivery and to conduct outbound calls as required. Also, to deal with customer complaints in accordance with the Complaints procedure and to escalate cases to Team Leaders as appropriate.

To contribute towards the overall service objectives and targets of the Housing Repairs Operational Team. Also, to achieve agreed service outcomes and outputs, and personal appraisal targets, as agreed by the line manager.

To work to necessary shift patterns and rotas as instructed by the Team Leader and to provide cover for other members of the team during periods of sickness and annual leave as per the needs of the business.

To undertake any other duties commensurate with the role of Housing Repairs Co-ordinator.

To work closely with repairs supervisors, as a part of the Housing Services team to plan and co-ordinate the working day of Operatives to ensure all works are appointed to the satisfaction of the customer, while maximising efficiency and completing each task within the specified time allocations.

To ensure all trade resources are utilised to their full potential, while maintaining customer focus and seeking to enhance the customer experience and to actively manage the workload of multiple operatives, monitoring timings and ensure job completion by the end of each working day.

Leadership

You'll have the ability and proven experience in delivering and achieving results as part of a team, by engaging and supporting the team to be the best they can be.

Collaborator

You'll be experienced in working with support teams to achieve results, and by working with teams across the council

Innovator

You can demonstrate how things can be done differently to increase customer satisfaction.

Deliver high performance results

You'll be experienced in achieving set targets for call handling and order processing.

Engaging and a clear communicator

You'll be a people person who enjoys and has the ability to engage large teams through effective and personable communication

Work Environment:

You'll be based at Holmes Road

Relationships:

Head of Property Customer Services & Engagement, Head of Repairs and Operations, Performance Manager, Housing repairs contact centre Team Managers, Repairs Operations Managers, HR Business Advisor and Service Managers across the organisation

Over to you

We're ready to welcome your ideas, your views, and your rebellious spirit. Help us redefine how we're supporting people, and we'll redefine what a career can be. If that sounds good to you, we'd love to talk

Is this role Politically Restricted?

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Diversity & Inclusion

At Camden, we value and celebrate difference and encourage diversity in all respects. Our diverse workforce ensures we represent our communities to the best of our ability and enables us to make better decisions. Because of this, we particularly welcome applications from Black, Asian and those of other non-white ethnicities, those who identify as LGBT+, neurodiverse and disabled people.

Agile working

At Camden we view work as an activity, not a place. We focus on performance, not presenteeism. We create trusting relationships, we embrace innovation rather than bureaucracy and we value people. Collaboration is the Camden way, silo working isn't. At Camden we are proud to be one of Hire Me My Way's inaugural campaign supporters. Hire Me My Way is a national campaign led by Timewise, designed to increase the volume of good quality jobs that can be worked flexibly in the UK (www.HireMeMyWay.org.uk). Hire Me My Way aims to treble the number of available good quality flexible jobs to 1 million by 2020.

Asking for Adjustments

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