## Help to find work: Individual Placement and

Connecting businesses with motivated candidates in drug and alcohol treatment

Paid employment can make a real difference to your life.

Being in work can help your recovery by growing your confidence, improving your self-esteem, encouraging independence, and introducing you to new people.

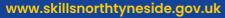
Your Recovery Worker can put you in touch with an employment specialist for a no obligation chat.

What can you expect?

- Confidential, personalised and non-judgemental support to help you achieve your employment goals
- A partnership with your recovery team to ensure you're ready
- Support with a CV, application forms, interviews, networking and skills
- Funding for travel expenses and suitable interview clothing (if required)
- Introductions to local businesses who offer flexible and inclusive employment
- A 'Better off in work' calculation to ensure any employment
  opportunities boost your income

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## In work support

Our support continues when you start working too. With your consent, we will liaise with your employer to ensure a smooth transition into the workplace, including making sure you have adequate support and training.

You will have a Mentor who will be your dedicated point of contact for ongoing support and to discuss any issues.

## **Individualised support**

Taking the first step into the world of work can be daunting. Our team will work with you to help you achieve your goals and aspirations, at a pace that's right for you.

Together we will produce a vocational profile, setting out your specific interests. This will enable the team to work directly with businesses to find you the right role.

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