

JOB PROFILE

POSITION:	Tenant Support Administrator	REPORTING TO (NAME):	Caroline Norris
JOB HOLDER(S):	TBD	LOCATION:	Head Office Blanchardstown
HOURS:	Full Time (35hrs per week)	DATE:	24 th Jan 2019
SALARY:	€30,255 (per annum)	CLOSING DATE:	14 th Feb 2019

Principal Objective of Position

To ensure tenants of North & East Housing Association receive excellent customer service from the first point of contact supported by the organisation's customer relationship management (CRM) system.

North & East Housing Association have recently implemented a new Housing Management System with a comprehensive Customer Relationship Function that will transform the way we engage with our tenants and their customer experience. We are now looking for a person with an excellent record in Customer Service to join our Tenant Support Desk. The ideal person for this role will enjoy working in a flexible manner and will be comfortable in a dynamic environment that entails dealing with a variety of tasks and stakeholders. They will be motivated to improve systems and processes at the same time as responding quickly and empathetically to customers on a daily basis.

Please be aware our key customers as referenced below are our tenants.

Responsibilities:

The key accountabilities and associated duties include –

Customer Care

- 1. Deal with incoming contact from our customers in an empathetic, professional and courteous manner.
- 2. Support the operation and development of the Housing Management System.
- 3. Assess and record the nature of each contact and resolve at the first point of contact wherever possible.
- 4. Support arrears management through engagement with North & East Housing Association tenants on rent matters.
- 5. Act as advocate for the customer, by taking ownership and remaining accountable until each query is resolved, and ensure that customers are kept informed of progress
- 6. Work closely with our Housing and Property Services Team to ensure that customer issues are resolved within agreed timeframes and communication between team's flows freely.
- 7. Ensure that all information is correct and administered to the Housing Management System with great attention to detail.
- 8. Coordination and monitoring of customer compliments and complaints ensuring customers are responded to within stipulated timeframes from start to finish.
- 9. Delegation of tasks to appropriate staff on assessment of customer query.
- 10. Engaging with tenants/customers around events and communication preferences.



Repairs & Maintenance

- 11. Working with Property Services to ensure repairs are dealt with in a timely manner
- 12. Diagnose repairs with customers and raise work orders with external contractors in the Housing Management System.
- 13. Categorise the repairs queries in accordance with policy and track progress until repair is completed
- 14. Assign jobs to the most suitable contractor adhering to the repairs policy
- 15. Make outgoing repair satisfaction calls monitoring quality and adherence to KPI's.
- 16. Be familiar with and follow the repairs policies, processes and procedures

General Administration

- 17. Assist in the production of documents and materials (to include typing, scanning, photocopying, presentations and circulars) for the Housing Team
- 18. Work with the organisation Administrator to ensure a regular supply of materials for tenant information packs
- 19. Manage ad hoc filing for the Housing Team
- 20. Minute taking at meetings (when required)
- 21. Ability to create and work with spreadsheets as required

General

- 1. Participate in the development of the Tenant Engagement Strategy
- 2. Assist Tenant Support Services Lead regarding collation of data for reporting purposes where required i.e. customer satisfaction, SLA performance etc.
- 3. Manage Internal Service Level Agreements
- 4. Carry out any other duties as may from time to time be directed by your line manager.

Job Specification

Qualifications

Essential 1.

QQI Level 6 qualification in Business/IT and/or 5 year's relevant experience

Experience

Essential

- 2. A working knowledge of CRM systems and/or systems administration
- 3. Extensive working knowledge of MS Office suite
- 4. Minimum 2 year's administration experience in a busy office environment
- 5. Experience in dealing with members of the public.
- 6. Working in an environment with various stakeholders and interdependencies.
- 7. Resolving customer issues and tracking all assigned tasks from beginning to end.



Desirable

- 8. Experience engaging with minority groups and vulnerable members of the public.
- 9. Experience in communications both traditional and digital e.g. newsletters, social media
- 10. Experience of working in a housing/community/not for profit sector
- 11. Experience of working with a Housing Management System
- 12. Knowledge of Social Housing Regulations and relevant Statutory Legislation (RTB, GDPR)

Skills

Essential

- 13. Ability to work in a highly flexible manner, responding to changing needs
- 14. High level communication skills and the ability to network and negotiate effectively with individuals and groups, within the company and outside.
- 15. Ability to assert one's role and ensure the customer comes first, advocating strongly on their behalf
- 16. Excellent organisational skills and multi-tasking including record keeping, establishing and using effective administrative systems
- 17. Specialist IT knowledge with examples of managing CRM systems
- 18. Proven ability in the use of Outlook, Word, Excel and be able to adapt to using other more specialist IT packages.
- 19. Ability to work on own initiative and make decisions based on sound judgement
- 20. The ability to remain calm and professional when under pressure

Desirable

- 21. IT/Technology Skills
- 22. Working knowledge of housing/facilities management services.

Please Note: Interviews will be held week of 25th Feb

Competencies:

- 1. Customer Focus
- 2. Teamwork
- 3. Interpersonal Skills
- 4. Planning and Organising
- 5. Problem Solving
- 6. Flexibility
- 7. Self-Starting



REPORTING STRUCTURE (number of team members supervised in this job):			
Directly: 0	Indirectly: 0		
KEY RELATIONSHIPS (please specify contacts):			
Internal: Housing Team, Finance, Property Services	External: Tenants, RTB, Local Authorities, Contractors		