



## Farm Hand and Support Worker

### Role

Position on a commercial working farm, currently over 300 breeding ewes, herd of south Devon cattle, pigs & poultry. Farm worker to assist with a variety of agricultural based jobs. Role will involve maintenance and support on the farm, working with mixed livestock, tractor work and horticulture.

The farm is a care farm, the position will require working with and supporting service users who attend the farm. Training will be given. An enhanced DBS check is required. Individuals who attend the farm might have special needs, or other social needs.

### Job description

- Carry out farm maintenance such as fencing, weeding, woodland clearance, grass management, hedge management.
- To drive tractor (tractor & trailer licence beneficial, although not essential)
- Work with livestock (sheep, cattle, pigs & poultry). Assisting with all health and management of farm animals.
- To maintain horticulture plot, and guide service users in planting new seeds etc.
- Use of machinery such as manual hedge cutter, strimmer, mower, chainsaw (courses available, not essential to start)
- Care and support service users with tasks on the farm.

### **Qualities required**

- To show empathy for others
- Ability to work in a team and independently.
- stockmanship

Hours may vary seasonally and require some flexibility. Time in lieu offered.

Wage dependant on experience