



VACANCY

STRATEGIC LEAD

Hours of Work: 35hrs hours per week
Salary: £40,478.00 p.a. (SO2-28)
Contract: Fixed to April 2029 (extension subject to funding)
Based: Kath Locke Centre, 123 Moss Lane East, M15 5DD (with local, regional, and national travel)
Reporting to Chief Executive Officer

We reserve the right to close this vacancy early if we receive sufficient applications for the role. Therefore, if you are interested, please submit your application as early as possible.

About Us

Can-Survive UK (CSUK) is a small to medium size cancer charity based in Manchester. We provide culturally sensitive support and information for African, Caribbean, and other minority ethnic people living with or affected by cancer. Established in May 2015, CSUK is a progressive charity, and you will be joining the organisation at an exciting time of expansion.

For more information visit www.can-survive.org.uk

What we are looking for

We are looking for an ambitious and driven individual to lead on the further development and delivery of our Strategic Plan. This role will work closely with our CEO and Board of Trustees. This is a unique role, offering a fantastic opportunity in your career to drive significant change and impact for Can-Survive UK and the people affected by cancer, who are central to all that we do.

Your skills in building networks, strong relationships and partnerships at all levels will support you to gain the insight required to drive change across the cancer landscape. Additionally, excellent bid writing / fundraising skills are essential to contribute to the continued growth sustainability of Can-Survive UK.

About You

- Previous experience and understanding of the charity / voluntary sector
- Previous experience and or knowledge of working for under-represented communities
- Highly proactive, ambitious, and self-motivated, driven to deliver impact and change that will benefit people affected by cancer
- You'll be a tenacious individual, with good vision, and experience developing networks internally and externally to build insight that will drive our ambitious Strategic Plan

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- Ability to think outside the box to help support the development of our Strategic Plan – one that is flexible to meet the ever-changing needs of people living with or affected by cancer
- Proven experience in developing strategic approaches to your work, developing impactful measures for success, and influencing change either internally or externally
- Be a strategic thinker, confidently realising the vision of complex, strategic, and commercial partnerships

- **Person Specification**
 - Excellent and professional communication skills, both verbal and written
- Excellent IT skills and extensive experience/knowledge on using Microsoft packages
- Work collaboratively and be able to prioritise your workload effectively
- Strong analytical and interpretation skills
- Excellent organisational skills and great attention to detail
- Advocate for Can-Survive UK, demonstrating passion and resilience to make a difference
- Be a self-starter, team player and incredibly motivated

We offer: Flexible working, employer's contributory pension scheme (3% contribution), 25 days annual leave (apportioned) and birthday leave (after 12 months service).

To request an application pack:

Visit: www.can-survive.org.uk/workforus

E-mail: marcella@can-survive.org.uk / Tel: 07496 089310

CVs will not be accepted.

Applicants must be eligible to work in the UK.

If you would like to discuss this role, please contact Marcella Turner at marcella@can-survive.org.uk to arrange an informal telephone discussion.

Closing date: Friday, 23rd February 2024, 5.00pm
Interview: Monday, 4th March 2024
Start date: April 2024 – date to be agreed

This role is subject to a DBS check and at two suitable references.

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