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**Application Form**

**Senior Speech and Language Therapist**

**(Chit Chat Coordinator)**

**CDI is an Equal Opportunities Employer.**

**Guidance:**

In the following section, we ask you to describe some of your professional achievements to date that demonstrate certain skills, knowledge and experience which have been identified as necessary for the position of Senior Speech and Language Therapist.

For each question you are asked to describe a situation, from your own experience, which you think is the best example of what you have done which demonstrates or provides evidence of this skill or ability. It is essential that you describe how you demonstrate the skill or quality in question.

The information you provide will form part of the short-listing process, where necessary, and may also be used to help structure your interview, if you are invited to one. Therefore, compose your replies carefully and try to structure what you write so that you give specific information about what you have done - for example, do not simply say that "X was successful", describe exactly what you did and how you demonstrated the skill or quality in question.

For each of your examples, you must structure your answers to include the following:

The nature of the task, problem, or objective

What you actually did and how you utilised the skill or quality

The outcome or result of the situation and your estimate of the proportion of credit you can claim for the outcome.

Please do not use the same example to illustrate your answer to more than two questions.

**Applicant’s Details:**

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| **Name:** |
| **Address:** |
| **Phone/Mobile No:** |
| **Email:** |
| 1. **Please outline your clinical practice experience in working with children.** |
| 1. **Can you tell us about engagement you have had with other disciplines and sectors e.g. schools, family support services. What has helped this?** |
| 1. **What experience do you have as a line manager? How do you support new team members?** |
| 1. **Provide an example of a time you collected data and used these data to inform decision making.** |

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**Please confirm you are eligible to work in Ireland: Yes [ ] No [ ]**

**Where did you hear about this role?**

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| **The Wheel** |  | **X (formerly Twitter)** |  |
| **Active Link** |  | **A colleague/friend’s recommendation** |  |
| **LinkedIn** |  | **Other (please specify below)** |  |
| **Facebook** |  |
| **Instagram** |  |

**If you ticked ‘Other’ above, please let us know where you heard about the role:**

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**Referees:**

Please provide the names and contact details of **two** referees. They will NOT be contacted without your consent.

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| **Address:** |  |
| **Relationship to Applicant:** |  |
| **Contact Number:** |  |
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This Application Form should be fully completed and submitted along with your C.V. by e-mail to [info@cdi.ie](mailto:info@cdi.ie). The closing date for applications is midday on Tuesday 29th October.

Shortlisting will take place on Wednesday 30th October, and interviews will be held on Monday 4th November in CDI offices, Fettercairn, Dublin 24.

**Only open to candidates who are eligible to live and work in Ireland.**