



Associate Quality Specialist

Position Description:	
Job Title	Associate Quality Specialist
Employer	The Childhood Development Initiative (CDI)
About CDI	<p>We are dedicated to improving the lives of children, families, and communities in Tallaght and Ireland, every child in Ireland deserves to be thriving, healthy, happy and free from poverty, and CDI is dedicated to making this happen.</p> <p>We collaborate, work in and with communities, and develop services and programmes once a need has been identified using research, and we use this data to inform all of our work.</p> <p>In a nutshell, we:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Train and advise professionals who work with children and families • Offer consultancy to support you and your teams in the workplace • Provide a range of courses for parents • Host conferences and events to share knowledge and experience • Run an extensive programme to support children, parents, carers and families • At a grassroots level, our Parent Carer Facilitators. and Speech and Language Therapists work directly with children and families in Early Learning Centres and schools.
About the Role	<p>CDI is recruiting Associate Quality Specialists who will work with CDI on a consultancy basis, giving you the flexibility to take on work with us when it suits you to do so and when the work inspires you!</p> <p>We are seeking professionals with this specific skillset:</p> <p>Service evaluation, research and consultation</p> <p>AQs will support CDIs evidence-based approach to delivering high quality services, by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Undertaking literature reviews - Collating, inputting and analysing primary service data (i.e., quantitative and qualitative analysis)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Undertaking and analysing consultation with stakeholders (e.g., focus groups, interviews) - Developing and undertaking research using ethical and appropriate methodologies.
Remuneration	€39 per hour, plus travel costs as agreed.
Application Process:	<p>Please submit your CV and Application Form to info@cdi.ie by 3pm on Monday 3rd February 2025.</p> <p>CDI takes a competency-based approach to our recruitment processes and interview will provide you with an opportunity to demonstrate your skills, knowledge and experience.</p>
Shortlisting and Interviews	Shortlisting will take place on February 4th 2025 , and interviews will be held on 10th February 2025 .