

## ABOUT US

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Richmond Fellowship is a national mental health charity making recovery reality for thousands of people every year. We provide a wide range of services including residential support, supported housing, employment services, community support and crisis support.

Richmond Fellowship is now part of Recovery Focus, a group of charities with the shared aim to inspire individual recovery nationwide.



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## GET IN TOUCH

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To find out more about the support we can provide and our referral process, contact us on:

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HELP TO FIND OR  
**STAY IN  
WORK**

**KIRKLEES  
AND  
DEWSBURY  
EMPLOYMENT SERVICE**

**RICHMOND  
FELLOWSHIP**   
**MAKING RECOVERY REALITY**

## HOW WE CAN HELP

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**Our employment service can help support you in finding meaningful paid employment, volunteering opportunities, education or training.**

We work with people living with mental health problems or those on the autistic spectrum to achieve your goals.

We're here to encourage you to develop a sense of independence, purpose and fulfilment and to help you develop the skills you need to manage your mental health problems and return to work or training.

## THE SUPPORT WE OFFER

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We can support you on a one-to-one basis, providing confidential, impartial advice and guidance to help you to move forward.

Once you're referred to our service you'll be allocated a specialist employment advisor who will work with you to set positive and achievable goals with regular follow up meetings.

Other practical support includes help with job applications, CV preparation and interview practice as well as workshops on confidence, self-esteem, wellbeing, art and basic IT.

In addition to Employment Advisors, our workshops are delivered by volunteer Peer Mentors; people who have lived experience of mental health problems, who can support you on your recovery journey.

## WHO WE CAN HELP

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Our service is available to anyone over the age of 18 who lives in the Kirklees area who has been diagnosed with a mental health problem, autistic spectrum condition and/or with other hidden impairments, e.g. ADHD, dyslexia and dyspraxia, or early onset dementia.

We cover the whole of Kirklees from our offices in Huddersfield and Dewsbury.

You can contact us directly or we accept referrals from community psychiatric nurses, psychologists, consultant psychiatrists, occupational therapists, Job Centre Plus and other partner agencies. Please contact us for more information on our referral process or visit our website.

## WHAT WE ACHIEVE

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**96%** of the people we support said we'd helped to improve the quality of their life.

**78%** of people using our employment services moved into employment, training or further education or successfully retained their job.

### At the heart of everything we do lies:

**Hope:** the belief that recovery is possible for every individual

**Respect:** valuing differences and all contributions

**Enabling:** giving people encouragement and support to achieve their goals

**Inclusion:** the belief that everyone has a right to participate fully in society