DEAF ROOTS & PRIDE BEAF ASSOCIATION ENGLAND

Deaf Roots and Pride Project

Mentor Role Description

Title – Mentor **Responsible to** – Deaf Roots and Pride – Mentoring Officer **Salary** - £12 per hour

Main Role

To mentor a young person aged between 8 – 20 years on the Deaf Roots and Pride Project.

Roles involved in Mentoring

- To build a relationship with a young person (mentee) and their parents
- To plan and participate in mentoring activities with a young person
- To set and work towards agreed goals
- To encourage the young person to enhance their personal development and social skills, and to increase their confidence and self esteem in the deaf community
- To help the young person progress to further training, education or employment.

Tasks involved in mentoring

- To complete an accredited training course includes Keeping children safe and Vulnerable Adults.
- To meet a young person on a regular basis as agreed with the mentee
- To attend and participate in group supervision every 6 weeks
- To take part in other activities as required, for example, training and team building days.
- To maintain appropriate records of expenditure.
- To complete monthly feedback sheets in conjunction with a young person

Time Commitment

- To attend training sessions at the beginning of the project
- Commit to long term mentoring with matched mentee for a fixed 1 year period (with possible extension)
- To attend 6 weekly meetings for progress and support sessions

Expenses

- Activity costs reimbursed
- Travel expenses are reimbursed