



### **ABCD Network Officer**

Hours: 7.5 hours per week

Term: 2 years Fix Term to 30<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Salary: £24,451 FTE

Location: Community Action Suffolk, Brightspace, Ipswich or Kirkley Centre, Lowestoft

Start Date: Immediate Start

An exciting and new vacancy has arisen for an Asset Based Community Development (ABCD) Network Officer to lead on a project commissioned by Suffolk County Council's Innovation fund. The successful applicant will help embed ABCD practices within Suffolk to help support and develop out communities across the county.

You will be required to co-ordinate and develop a county-wide network of professionals and volunteers interested in using ABCD practices within their work. You will help develop a series of Action Learning Sets that will support participants in working on real challenges, use the knowledge and skills of a small group of people, produce fresh ideas and reinterpret familiar concepts. You will also be responsible for co-ordinating twice yearly networking events and identifying with the network guest speakers and facilitators.

For this role you will need to have good understanding of the principles of ABCD, great organisational skills and the ability to develop and grow initiatives.

The deadline for applying for this role is 9.00am Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2022. Interviews will be in the week beginning 24<sup>th</sup> January 2022. For an informal discussion about the role, please contact Sarah Mortimer at CAS 01473 345318