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### **Carers Link Lancashire**

We are looking to appoint a Welfare and Benefits Officer to support local people from Hyndburn with welfare and benefits support and services aimed at meeting their immediate need and addressing longer term financial stability

### **Welfare and Benefits Officer– Hyndburn**

£26,345.62 per annum pro rata–Crisis and Resilience Funding  
25 hours per week–worked over 5 days

Funded until 31st March 2027 however subject to further funding likely  
Main base: Community Facility, Blackburn Road Accrington

The role will involve providing local people with information, guidance and support on their benefit rights and entitlements, alongside providing 1-2-1 support in assisting with completion of claim forms and any welfare related issues.

The role will involve outreach, awareness raising, 1-2-1 and group support addressing and overcoming identified need

The successful candidate will likely be from a benefits and or community background, with extensive knowledge in these fields of work. They will be a good communicator with excellent listening skills whilst also being empathetic with a passion and enthusiasm for improving peoples lives immediately and longer term. Flexible working to possibly include some weekends

**For an application pack:** Email [info@carerslinklancashire.co.uk](mailto:info@carerslinklancashire.co.uk)

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**Closing date: Monday 3rd August 2026- 12 noon**  
**Interviews: Thursday 6th August 2026**

