**Chief Officer**

**Qube – Oswestry Community Action**

Salary: £45,000 - £55,000

Location: Oswestry, Shropshire

Type: Full-time, permanent

**If you are visionary leader, with a flair for partnership and relationship building and the desire to make a positive difference to the rural community in North Shropshire and bordering counties, come join us and make a lasting impact as our new Chief Officer, as we seek to expand our services.**

Qube is an established charity providing art, wellbeing, and transport services for the community in North Shropshire and the border counties from its base in Oswestry. It’s mission is to improve the quality of life of those in the community, in particular those who are disadvantaged through age, health, disability or rural isolation and to promote independent living.

The current opening for a new Chief Officer comes at a time of significant opportunity for Qube as we expand and diversify our portfolio of wellbeing services and wield positive influence on voluntary sector infrastructure support at county level with ripple effects beyond. The successful candidate will join at a time of great momentum for change, with full scope to bring their ideas, vision, skills and funding acumen to make their mark at the highest level of the profession.

With prior senior leadership experience in a voluntary sector organisation, our next Chief Officer will have exceptional interpersonal and people leadership skills, along with the ability to communicate confidently and inclusively with the community, staff, and the board of trustees.

It is critical that our next Chief Officer comes with a visionary and entrepreneurial approach and brings experience of strategic planning and business development.

This is predominantly a strategic role, (with oversight of day-to-day operations) and it is therefore essential that you have successful experience of partnership working and relationship development.

Commercial acumen, (including experience of diversifying income streams and bid writing) balanced with empathy for the charitable aims of the organisation and a friendly, no-nonsense approach would be advantageous.

We have a fair and inclusive culture and seek to reflect the diversity in society and thus we welcome applications from a wide range of backgrounds. If you share our passion, values and ambition, and have a genuine desire to make a positive difference to people’s lives in the North Shropshire and borders community, we would very much like to hear from you.

Oswestry is a friendly and historic market town, very close to the Welsh border and surrounded by beautiful countryside. It has good road links and rail networks, with Liverpool, the West Midlands and Snowdonia National Park reachable within the hour.

**Closing date for applications:** By 9am, Monday 27th February 2023

**For further information, and details of how to apply:**

<https://www.peridotpartners.co.uk/jobs/chief-officer-oswestry-community-action-qube/>