A Day In The Life Of

As a Young Peoples housing Social Worker you will provide crisis intervention and mediation between Young People and their families providing solutions to prevent future homelessness.

Where prevention is not possible you will be responsible for considering appropriate outcomes for young people such as arranging crisis intervention and accommodation when a Young Person is homeless this could include negotiation with wider family or friends, arranging supported accommodation or chaperoning Young People into temporary accommodation and supporting them with settling into accommodation that evening. As the young person's social worker, you will be responsible for completing an assessment of need and implementing a plan to ensure appropriate support is available to manage unmet need.

Joint visits with Housing Solutions Officers, other Children's Social Workers, YOT Workers and other internal and external partners advising on the options available for Young People at risk of homeless and help develop and support prevention plans.

You will be expected to complete assessment and visits within the statutory timescales. You will be based in the Young Peoples Housing Team and the Front Door for Childrens Social Care.