



**THE AFIYA TRUST**

## **BME Mental Health Anti-Stigma Co-ordinator**

**Ref: MHCO Closing date for applications**  
**Friday 31st August 2012**

**£28,000 per annum (pro rata)**  
**21hrs per a week**  
**18 month fixed contract**

The Afiya Trust will be developing a programme of anti-stigma and discrimination service user activities aimed at BME communities, employers and the media. We are seeking a co-ordinator who is committed to highlighting and informing on issues of stigma and discrimination within BME Mental Health.

This new post is funded by Time to Change, England's biggest programme to end the stigma and discrimination faced by people with mental health problems. The programme is run by the charities Mind and Rethink Mental Illness, and funded by the Department of Health and Comic Relief.

### **You must be able to demonstrate:**

- A proven track record of senior leadership within public or voluntary sectors, conveying an enthusiasm and ability to drive forward the BME mental health agenda
  - Experience, knowledge and understanding of black and minority ethnic (BME) communities health issues particularly relating to Mental Health
  - Being self-motivated and skilled at networking
  - Knowledge of recent developments in health and social care
  - Skills at chairing meetings at operational levels
  - Experienced and confident speaking in public, in order to represent The Afiya Trust effectively
  - Experience of fundraising
- Service user experience will be essential

**For an application pack please contact on 0207 582 0400; email: [recruitment@afiya-trust.org](mailto:recruitment@afiya-trust.org) quoting reference MHCO; or download from [www.afiya-trust.org](http://www.afiya-trust.org).  
Please note CV's will not be considered.**

