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Assisting injured claimants 'back on track' to employment... Independent Impartial Inspirational

By offering Vocational Rehabilitation to your clients you assure them of one to one support along their vocational pathway. Shaw Trust, a national charity formed in 1982 which helps people with disability or disadvantage to find work and achieve independence, has expanded to offer Vocational Rehabilitation services to clients who have sustained a personal injury through accident.

A recent client success:

After a serious accident at work and a 2 year absence a 40 year old construction worker was unable to be redeployed in his pre-injury role (12 years service) due to his employer experiencing economic downturn. Having received physiotherapy and psychological input the client was ready to consider a return to employment but unsure of his abilities in sourcing alternative employment.

A referral to Shaw Trust for Vocational Assessment of his transferable skills, interests and health restrictions together with research to determine local employment options recommended a job goal and suggested that the client would benefit from job searching support and confidence building. Targeted local support for the client, one to one assistance with job applications, interview guidance and role play to build confidence and close working with client's set goals over an 8 week period resulted in a full time job being secured. The client was able to start back at work with a sense of pride and purpose restored.

Time and cost: Referral for Vocational Assessment, followed by funder's authority to proceed with job searching support – 3 months Vocational Assessment @ £1000, Job Search @ £1000, plus £400 outcome payment on client starting work. Total: £2400
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To find out more about Shaw Trust's VR offering visit:
www.vrservices.org.uk

Contact Shaw Trust today: Call: 0300 30 33 120 Email:
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