

## **Recruitment Procedure**

It is the policy of Anam Cara to have clear recruitment procedures in place.

## Anam Cara will ensure that all staff and volunteers are carefully selected by undertaking the following:-

- Devising a clear job description which outlines the qualifications, skills and experience needed
- Advertising as widely as possible using the agreed job description
- Requesting candidates to supply information on an agreed application form, which should include information re personal details, past and current work/volunteering experience, qualifications or skills relevant to the post
- A declaration form should be submitted in relation to criminal convictions
- Two forms of identification including photo ID such as passport/drivers licence and a copy of a utility bill no less than 3 months old.
- Two written references should be supplied
  - These must be followed up with a phone call to verify that they are bone fide
  - This is also an opportunity to ascertain if there have been any concerns that have not been outlined in the written reference
- Seek Garda vetting in relation to all candidates, staff or volunteers (under review)