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## **Would you like help searching for and applying for jobs? Come along to our Hubs for free help and friendly support**

The Northumberland Rural Employment Hubs offer support to anyone looking for work in rural communities including:

- Access to online job search
- Careers advice
- Help to develop an individual action plan to gain employment
- Help with writing CVs, preparation for interview, and core work skills
- IT mentoring for those with no computer experience
- Help finding further training, volunteering opportunities and work experience
- A simple free lunch and refreshments
- A chance to meet new people
- Training sessions focused on searching for jobs, health and wellbeing

All delivered in a supportive atmosphere by friendly staff and volunteers.

The hubs are registered as UK Online Centres and are able to support people with developing their IT skills through the online Learn My Way Programme.

## Where to find your local Rural Hub

### **Alnwick**

Fridays 10am – 3pm

Gallery Youth Project, 39 Bondgate Within, Alnwick NE66 1SX

Tel: 07500 578380

### **Amble**

Tuesdays and Thursdays 9.30am – 2.30pm

Amble Youth Project, Dilston Terrace, Amble, NE65 0DT

Tel: 07500 578380

### **Haltwhistle**

Thursdays 10am – 3.00pm

Haltwhistle Swimming & Leisure Centre, Greencroft, Haltwhistle NE49 9DP

Tel: 07500 578 443

### **Hexham**

Wednesdays 9.30am – 2.30pm

Number 28, Derwent Rd, Hexham, NE46 1DJ

Tel: 07500 578 443

### **Prudhoe**

Fridays 10am – 3.00pm

The Spetchells Centre, 58 Front St, Prudhoe NE42 5AA

Tel: 07500 578 443

## **Booking an appointment**

Due to the current COVID-19 restrictions, we will be operating an appointment system instead of our usual drop-ins. Our work coaches can see you for 45 minutes to give advice and support.

To book your appointment contact Julia Plinston:

Tel 01670 517178 or email [juliaplinston@ca-north.org.uk](mailto:juliaplinston@ca-north.org.uk)

## About Northumberland Rural Employment Hubs

Community Action Northumberland runs the Rural Employment Hubs project to support unemployed residents in rural areas of Northumberland. We help people to overcome the multiple barriers they face when looking to move into employment.

The project recognises people in rural areas face additional difficulties when searching for work compared to those in urban areas, including fewer local employment/volunteering/training opportunities, higher travel costs both to sign on and to attend interviews, and poor internet connections making online job searches more difficult.

To find out more about our Hubs see:

[www.ca-north.org.uk/supporting-individuals/northumberland-rural-employment-hubs](http://www.ca-north.org.uk/supporting-individuals/northumberland-rural-employment-hubs)

CAN's Rural Employment Hubs Project is part of the Bridge Northumberland partnership.

Bridge Northumberland is a voluntary programme to help people living in Northumberland who are out of work and aged 16+ to overcome barriers to training, education and work.

[www.bridgenorthumberland.org.uk](http://www.bridgenorthumberland.org.uk)

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