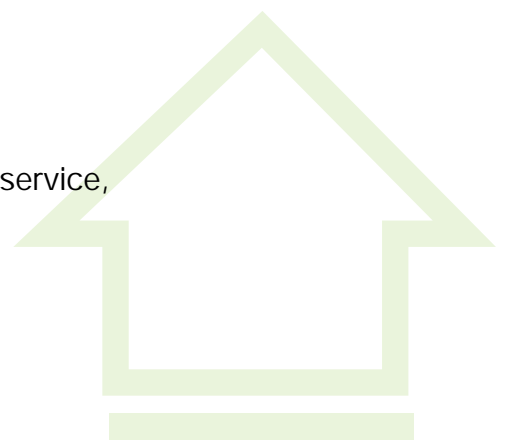


activities coordinator and progressed into this full time. Deb was then offered the position of deputy manager of a day care service which provided her with great management experience.

What's next?

Deb's currently working on a different project to start up a new service, similar to the one she works with now.

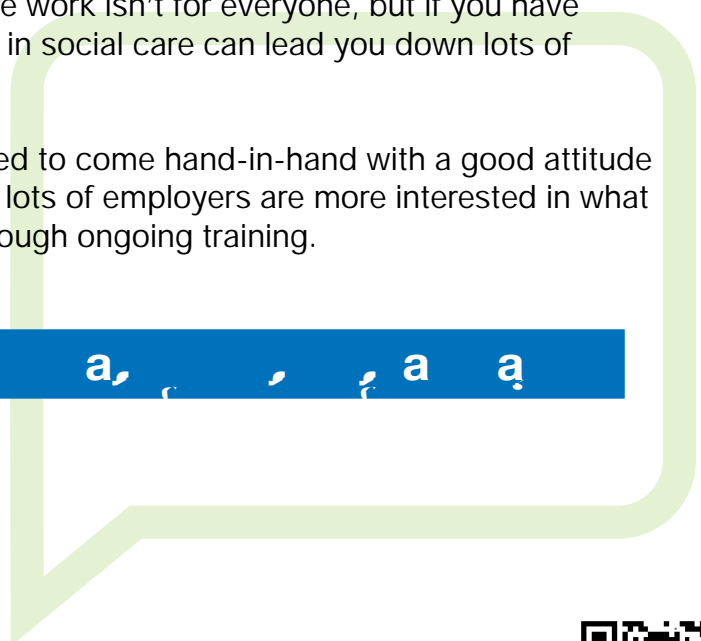
She enjoys learning, developing her skills and trying out new opportunities, and hopes to have a long career in social care.



What advice do you have for someone starting a career in social care?

Deb says "give it a go." She understands that care work isn't for everyone, but if you have a passion and interest in helping people, a career in social care can lead you down lots of interesting paths.

She says qualifications are important but they need to come hand-in-hand with a good attitude and values. When starting a career in social care, lots of employers are more interested in what you're like as a person; the rest can be taught through ongoing training.



Final thoughts

