



Employers who hire or encourage ex-offenders to apply for their roles

There are some fantastic organisations out there which actively encourage those with a previous criminal offence to apply for their roles.

It is helpful for an Employment Advisor to be aware of these organisations so they know what kind of job advertisements to look out for. Also, with the increased possibility of working from home a lot of these employers may be more accessible to all!

There are often opportunities in the hospitality or construction industry for individuals who have a criminal conviction.

The list of employers who are willing to hire ex-offenders changes regularly, so here's where you can always find the most up-to-date information:



[Here's a list of employers](#) who have joined Ban the Box, supporting non-discriminatory employment by removing the need for candidates to disclose convictions at the application stage.



Nacro have a [catalogue of organisations](#) which help people to access fair employment opportunities.



Russell Webster lists [organisations who are likely to hire ex-offenders](#) and those whose mission it is to advocate for fair employment opportunities.



Unlock have a page in their News & Updates section dedicated to ['friendly' employers](#).