

Good Employment News



Your weekly update of the key topics making the headlines.

Based around the seven characteristics of the Good Employment Charter

30 JANUARY – 3 FEBRUARY 2023

SECURE WORK

[Cost of living: Zero-hour jobs and the impact on mental health - BBC News](#)

BBC
Around 3.7 million of people in the UK are estimated to be in insecure ... You might recognise that as zero-hours contracts, agency work, ...

FLEXIBLE WORK

[Most bosses secretly want all staff back in offices, says head of CBI - The Guardian](#)

The Guardian
Since Covid pandemic, 'whole world of work has gone crazy,' says Tony Danker. ... Companies moved to remote and flexible working during the Covid ...

PAY

[Poundstretcher raises store staff pay by 10% - Employee Benefits](#)

Employee Benefits
... that it will award a 10% pay rise to nearly 4000 of its store employees as of 1 April 2023. ... UK Swissport employees accept 10% pay rise.

[Hundreds of thousands more workers to receive job support boost in spring - GOV.UK](#)

GOV.UK
Helping more people progress into higher paid jobs will support the ... Over 120,000 more low-income workers will receive tailored support and be ...

[Unions seek 12.7% pay rise for council social workers - Community Care](#)

Community Care
However, it constituted a sharp real-terms pay cut, with inflation ... pressures on pay exerted by the national living wage, the UK-wide pay floor ...

ENGAGEMENT & VOICE

[UK firefighters vote to strike in row over pay - BBC News](#)

BBC
Of the 73% of union members who voted, 88% of staff voted to take action. In a separate ballot, control room staff in the north-west of England also ...

RECRUITMENT

[NHS faces 'alarming' exodus of doctors and dentists, health chiefs warn - The Guardian](#)

The Guardian

There are already 133,000 NHS vacancies in England alone. ... in the past three years, and 48% said they had reduced their hours in order to cope.

[Official UK jobless figures may be missing 3m people, study finds - The Guardian](#)

The Guardian

A man walks past a Jobcentre Plus employment office on November 22, ... Unemployment in the UK could be three times higher than shown by official ...

[Airport aiming to recruit 1,500 new staff at jobs fair | TheBusinessDesk.com](#)

The Business Desk

Manchester Airport recruited more than 700 staff last year. ... and will showcase roles with a wide range of companies operating at the airport.

[Warehouse Project boss Sacha Lord launching foundation to help young people into the ...](#)

Manchester Evening News

Warehouse Project boss Sacha Lord is launching a foundation to help young people in Manchester get into the hospitality industry.

PEOPLE MANAGEMENT

[Thousands of jobs at risk as Tesco announces store overhaul - Manchester Evening News](#)

Manchester Evening News

The UK's largest supermarket chain said it will extend changes to store ... of eight pharmacies and reduced hours at some in-store post offices.

HEALTH & WELLBEING

[Long-term sickness leaving 1.6m UK adults over 50 unable to work - The Guardian](#)

The Guardian

"It adds to growing evidence that the UK's health is worsening." Topics. UK unemployment and employment statistics · Productivity ...

[Supporting your employees' mental health at work - Acas](#)

Acas

How employers and line managers can create an environment to support their employee's mental health at work.

GENERAL

[NHS England to set out workforce plan - Personnel Today](#)

Personnel Today

Head of Employee Relations. Michael Page Human Resources. Derby, England; £75000 - £80000 per annum + hybrid working, benefits.

ABOUT THE GREATER MANCHESTER GOOD EMPLOYMENT CHARTER

The Greater Manchester Good Employment Charter is a voluntary membership and assessment scheme which has been created to improve employment standards across all GM employers, regardless of size, sector or geography. Organisations within the private, public and third sectors are welcome to join the movement.

CONTACT US AT:



SUPPORTED BY:

