

Volunteers Needed



Position: **Befriender & Mentor**

Role Description

We are looking for volunteers to support us with our befriending and mentoring programme. Your role will be crucial to this programme as you will help individuals that experience isolation access social activities within the community and help broaden their social network. You will also work alongside keyworkers to assist people to achieve specific goals that they have identified.

Main Responsibilities

- Each volunteer will meet regularly with their allocated service user and help them to access and undertake agreed activities
- Volunteers will promote service user independence and maintain professional boundaries.
- Volunteers will maintain contact with the team and their supervisor, attending supervision and training as agreed

Commitment

This will depend on how much spare time you have to commit to the role and the service's needs. It is recommended that you have contact with your supervisor weekly and arrange supervisions in line with the amount of hours you volunteer – additional time will be needed for this.

We require a minimum of 4 – 8 hours weekly or fortnightly. A minimum commitment of 6 months is also preferred.

Volunteer Support

You will be fully supported by a Volunteer Supervisor. Time will be committed to your personal development and will include supervision, support, and training plans. Out of pocket expenses will be paid. This includes travel costs, lunch and child/other care.

For more information about this position please contact the volunteering team on:

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