

Volunteer Role Description

Title	Community Engagement Volunteer
Volunteer Lead	Community Engagement Coordinator
Location	Across Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole
Time Commitment	Minimum of 2 hours per week

Role summary

Supporting the Community Engagement Team to raise awareness about our service in the community by helping with the planning and delivery of local events to encourage involvement from potential clients and volunteers.

What will you be doing?

- Supporting in the planning and delivery of events
- Helping with the set-up of events and tidying away afterwards.
- Engaging with the local community advocating our services
- Representing Withyou in an appropriate manner with our ethos in mind
- Supporting the Community Engagement Team with weekly contact at various community drop in's.
- Ad hoc administrative tasks, i.e photocopying and laminating

The skills and abilities you will need?

- Work with people in a non-judgmental and solution-focused way
- Able to work independently and as part of a team
- Understand the challenges faced by the people using our services
- Ability to manage time effectively
- Be able to work flexibly

- IT literacy
- Good verbal and written communication skills
- Ability to respect and maintain confidentiality
- To develop firm boundaries to ensure a positive therapeutic experience

What's in it for you?

- Access to relevant training throughout your time with us
- Opportunity to build experience for your CV
- Opportunity to be part of a team that makes a real difference in people's lives
- Support at every stage of your journey as a volunteer, including an assigned member of staff for supervision and development
- An opportunity to feedback about your experience volunteering with us
- Reimbursement of out of pocket expenses, in accordance with our volunteer expenses policy
- Access to We Are With You employee assist programme

Please note that we require you to be a minimum of 18 years of age to be considered for this volunteering role

This role is subject to a Disclosure & Barring Service (DBS) check at a Standard level