

Volunteer Gardener Role Description

Are you a people person with a passion for gardening? Do you love chatting, networking, and rallying people together for a good cause? If so, we'd love to have you on board as a Volunteer Gardener!

Age UK Hillingdon Harrow and Brent is a caring charity dedicated to "creating a world where everyone can love later life". We rely on the generous support of people like you to make a difference.

As a Volunteer Gardener, you'll be at the heart of our efforts to maintain and tidy the Townfield Community Centre Garden, creating a space that is attractive and welcoming to staff and visitors.

Outline of activities

- To undertake light pruning, weeding and planting when necessary
- To keep the outdoor space clean and free from litter
- To ensure flowerbeds and plant pots are kept neat, tidy and in good condition
- To work within the guidelines of health & safety in the workplace
- To inform office facilities of any defective equipment and tools
- To incorporate environmentally friendly practices in the garden and surrounding spaces

Personal qualities and experience

- Have some experience and knowledge of gardening
- Have good communication and listening skills
- Are reasonably fit and willing to work out of doors in all weather
- Have a positive, organised and flexible approach to work

Time Commitment

We would like volunteers who join Age UK Hillingdon Harrow and Brent to join with the intention of staying for at least 6 months.

What can you expect?

Clearly defined voluntary role within the organisation.

- Provide induction, information and training to enable you to carry out your role effectively
- Out of pocket expenses

Our commitment to you:

- We will make sure that you receive appropriate training for the role and that you have the support of a member of staff
- We offer a range of benefits to our volunteers and will also cover agreed out-of-pocket expenses

How to Apply:

If this sounds like you, we'd love to hear from you! Please sign up to be a volunteer by going to <https://www.ageuk.org.uk/hillingdonharrowandbrent/get-involved/volunteer-for-us2/apply-to-volunteer2/> and fill in our quick and easy form or email volunteering@ageukhnb.org.uk or call 020 8756 3040 if you have any accessibility needs.

Join us and help make a real impact in our community. We can't wait to work with you!

This role outline is binding in honour only and is not intended to be legally binding.

Age UK Hillingdon Harrow and Brent is an equal opportunity organisation.

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all

older people and children within the London Boroughs of Hillingdon Harrow and Brent.

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