

VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION FORM

Name:

Address:

Post Code:

Date of Birth:

Email address:

Phone Number:

What type of volunteering opportunity would you prefer? (please select your preference)

Day care centres

Help frail older people enjoy a day away from their own home at one of our centres (Selina House Oldham or Bluebells Moorside).

Charity shops

Assist in one of our charity shops assisting customers, sort and sell donated goods (our shops are located in Failsworth, Lord Lane, Lees, Shaw, Hill Stores, Uppermill and Boutique on George Street).

Befriending service

Visit housebound people in your area, in their own homes on a regular basis.

Care Home Befriending service

Visit lonely older people within a Care Home on a regular basis.

Life Story

Life Story Visitors

Spending time getting to know an older person living within a care home or community and recording their memories for a reminiscence book used to improve their care and quality of life.

Life Story typists

Using written notes, simple computer programmes and the Internet, design and put together a life story book for an older person.

Life Story Proofreader

Proofread, check content and correct draft life story books typed by other volunteers.

Lunch clubs

Help serve lunch and generally have a fun day between 11.30 am & 3.00 pm at one of our luncheon clubs (Lees, Greenacres, Failsworth, Chadderton, Hathershaw, Shaw or Royton)

Falls prevention

Meet and greet people and help to set up the room, take a register and serve soft drinks.

Men in Sheds

To help with men’s individual projects, have fun, skill sharing, social activities, I.T. etc

Project support

Help with new Community & Activity Projects and events, e.g. Just4Men, School projects – working with young people in local schools, Tea Dances and other events

Technology and Us support

Assist older people at our Chadderton centre with using tablets and laptops – teaching older people all aspects of IT including the Internet and Skype.

Interactors at George Street Chapel

George St Chapel is our Grade 2 * listed building is important to our local heritage. Tours around our building for the general public and schools are delivered by our costumed volunteers. Other duties include gift shop, ticket sales and meeting and greeting visitors.

PIP (Promoting Independent People)

Help people achieve their goals by ‘hand holding’ them over a period of 6 - 8 weeks to engage them in a variety of leisure and social activities.

Tell us about the skills you can offer:

If you have undertaken voluntary work before please give details including dates:

Are you a car driver?

YES

NO

Do you have any health problems such as epilepsy, diabetes, heart complaint, chronic complaints? YES NO

If yes, please give details

My disability status: I am not a disabled person
I consider myself a disabled person
I am a registered disabled person

The nature of my disability is: _____

Which days(s) would you be available for voluntary work?

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday

How did you hear about us?

NOTE: Age UK is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974. Due to the nature of our work we would ask you to declare any previous convictions. This would not necessarily preclude you from working as a volunteer.

Do you have a criminal conviction? YES NO

If yes, please give details either on this form or in a separate letter.
This may affect the type of voluntary work available to you through Age UK Oldham.

It is our policy to ask volunteers to supply the names and addresses of two referees (two independent referees, not relatives):

Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____ _____	Address: _____ _____
Tel: _____	Tel: _____

In case of an emergency please provide contact details:

Name: _____

Relationship: _____

Address: _____

Tel: _____

Email: _____

Postcode: _____

Date information provided: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Please return this form to:

Volunteer Services Co-ordinator, Age UK Oldham, 10 Church Lane, Oldham OL1 3AN.

Data Protection

The data provided will be used by Age UK Oldham employees to process your application.

We will not pass information about you to third parties or agencies without your permission.

Such information may include details relating to ethnic origin and disability. These will be used solely for internal monitoring and will not be disclosed to a third party.