Plymouth

Volunteer Role Outline

Phone Friend

Mission Statement

Age UK Plymouth exists to care for and work with older people and their carers in and around the City of Plymouth to improve their quality of life through the promotion of choice, opportunity and independence.

Purpose:

 To help Age UK Plymouth maintain a social support service to older people living alone.

Main Duties:

- Making regular telephone contact with older people at home who are isolated and/or vulnerable
- Maintaining accurate records of calls and outcomes
- Logging all calls on Charity Log, our CRM system (Training provided)
- Raising awareness of the services which Age UK Plymouth can provide to improve quality of life
- Adhering to the relevant policies and procedures such as confidentiality, health & safety and equal opportunities.

Person Specification:

- Good communication skills
- IT Literate
- Understanding the need for confidentiality
- Enjoy talking to older people and a cheerful telephone manner
- Sense of humour
- Reliability

Hours of work:

Mornings, afternoons, evenings or full day sessions including weekends

Responsible to:

Line Manager

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