

Handyperson / handyman- local independent charity

Zero hours contract basis- flexible part time working

£13 – 16 an hour plus 5% pension, holiday pay and mileage.

Age UK Richmond upon Thames is a local independent charity providing services and support to the local older people. Our services include information & advice; social centres; a home from hospital nightingale service and a range of home support services such as housekeeping, gardening and handyperson. Our services, staff and volunteers make a real difference to people's lives.

Our useful handyperson service helps clients with a range of tasks including fitting key safes / grab rails; plumbing; moving furniture; putting up shelves; fixing taps and repairing windows. We aim to help in any way we can. Some jobs are completed free of charge for local older people, and others we charge a subsidised rate for.

The Opportunity

We are looking for skilled and capable individuals who will ideally come from a maintenance / handyperson background to join us on a casual hours contract basis. We also would look at a part time permanent contract for a suitable candidate. Successful candidates will be able to help with a range of tasks that may include:

- General DIY
- Basic plumbing
- General carpentry
- Moving furniture
- Fitting key safes
- Painting and decorating
- Assembling flat-pack furniture
- Basic electrics

You will also have to take payment via cheque and digital card machine, issue receipts and fill out basic paperwork.

Applicants must:

- Possess good all round multi-trade skills and handyperson experience.
- Be able to think on their feet and problem solve
- Be happy to work alone
- Have good organisational skills
- Have good time management skills
- Fluent in English
- Hard working & physically fit
- Have a flexible approach to work
- Good customer service skills
- Full UK driving license with access to a ULEZ compliant vehicle.
- Have access to own range of tools

- Be reliable, trustworthy and conscientious
- Be looking to work at times that are between 9am – 5pm Monday – Friday.
- Live within a 30 minute drive of the borough of Richmond upon Thames- work can be throughout this borough including Barnes, Twickenham, Teddington, Ham and Whitton.

Please note that this is zero hour's contract position. This arrangement may suit handypersons / handymen with existing businesses looking for extra work, or those looking for part time work. We can also consider self-employment if this suits better.

This is an excellent opportunity to join a leading local charity and provide a valued service to the local community.

If you are interested please fill out the application form on our website and email to info@ageukrichmond.org.uk or phone 02033269432 if you would like to discuss first.