

Home from Hospital Volunteer

Role Description

Role purpose

The Home from Hospital service offers short term support following a stay in hospital, helping people to regain their independence and confidence. The service also aims to reduce hospital readmissions through working with clients to assess their needs.

Main tasks/activities

We are looking for volunteers in both North and South of Worcestershire. You decide which area/areas you would like to support clients and how far you would like to travel (this could be as little or as far as you like, all travel mileage is paid).

Tasks include, but not limited to:

- Companionship visits
- Shopping for clients
- Helping around the house
- Transport to appointment
- Collecting prescriptions

As a volunteer, you can do as little or as many of these tasks as you like.

Skills/experience

We are looking for individuals who have:

- Good communication skills
- Empathy and patience
- A caring and polite attitude
- The ability to work as an individual

Days/hours

The amount of time you give can vary from as little as an hour a week to as much as you can spare. This is due to the many ways you can help the Home from Hospital service.

Background checks

As part of joining our Home from Hospital team, we'll ask you to complete an Enhanced DBS (Disclosure and Barring Service) check and provide two references, to ensure everyone we support stays safe and well cared for.

Expenses

We reimburse reasonable expenses incurred, for example travel costs.



Apply here!

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