

Here are a few volunteering opportunities currently available in the Newry area. For a full selection of opportunities, have a look at the Opportunity Search on volunteernow.co.uk If you need any assistance finding or registering for an opportunity, let us know and we can help!



Information Reviewer- MS Society UK (All Areas)

We're the MS Society – a community of people living with MS, scientists, campaigners, listeners, organisers, ambassadors and fundraisers. If you or a family member has MS, we need your help in reviewing our information. Your ideas, your experiences and your feedback help make sure our info is clear, useful and appropriate for everyone living with MS.

For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/475e2byw>



Volunteer Arts & Crafts Enthusiast – The Brian Injury Foundation (Carnlough)

Are you passionate about creativity? Do you love working with your hands and bringing ideas to life? We are looking for a talented and enthusiastic volunteer to share their artistic flair with brain injury survivors and their carers at the Brain Injury Foundation!

For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/zfn2ne4p>



Parent to Parent Helpline Volunteer – National Autistic Society (All Areas)

Are you the parent or primary carer of an autistic person? Become a Parent to Parent Volunteer and help other parents and primary carers of autistic children and adults when they need it most. Our award winning helpline offers emotional support, practical strategies, and a listening ear, all delivered by trained volunteers who are themselves the parents or primary carers of autistic people. For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/2tapi6nj>



Volunteer Visitor – Pets As Therapy (All Areas)

As a Pets As Therapy volunteer, you will be at the heart of what we do. PAT Volunteers are dedicated pet owners who give up their spare time to help others. Along with their dog or cat, volunteers visit all types of establishments including residential care homes, hospitals, hospices and both special needs and mainstream schools. For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/y6snaz9n>



Support at Home Volunteer – British Red Cross (Southern Trust Area)

For people recovering from illness, or who are facing a recent diagnosis, being able to stay in their own home can make all the difference. Our Support at Home Volunteers help with shopping, getting to appointments or checking in with a phone call. Spread the power of kindness with us and help make a difficult and distressing time a little bit easier. <https://tinyurl.com/2ymydssf>



Befriending Volunteer – MS Society (All Areas)

All of our MS Befriending Volunteers will carry out their volunteering from home. You will provide weekly friendly phone calls to people affected by MS, at a time convenient to you. We are looking for volunteers who can offer **one or two hours a week, providing one or two phone call sessions**. There will also be an annual volunteer event and regular volunteer support sessions you will be asked to attend. <https://tinyurl.com/56zft6s3>

For more information about volunteering in the **Newry, Mourne & Down** areas contact our Volunteering Support Officer:

- Raquel Rodrigues - Keenan: 07585 110855
- raquel.rodrigues.keenan@volunteernow.co.uk or
- Contact our Head Office: 028 9023 2020 / info@volunteernow.co.uk





Patient and Public Involvement Volunteer – MS Society UK (All Areas)

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For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/2vy8rsjr>



Fundraising & Event Volunteers – Cancer Fund for Children (Newry)

Volunteers required for South Down - Newcastle, Castlewellan, Kilkeel, Downpatrick, Banbridge & Newry. Volunteers will be asked to do a range of activities including supporting events, fundraising activities, collecting cheques and cheque presentations. These activities will be based within the local areas mentioned above. For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/4pvkajt5>



Collection Box Co-ordinator – The Brain Injury Foundation (Carnlough)

We are looking for enthusiastic, creative and organised people to be a Brain Injury Foundation (BIF) Collection Box Volunteer in your local community. You'll be collecting for the vital work BIF does, engaging with the public and promoting a positive image for the BIF!

For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/4z4muyj2>



Food Bank Distribution Drivers & Organisers Volunteers – USPCA (Newry)

Food Bank Distribution Drivers - The purpose of this role is to collect food parcels from the head office in Newry and deliver to food banks in Northern Ireland.

For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/mpnafx6p>

Food Bank Organisers - The purpose of this role is to organise the food that is donated to go out to the food banks across Northern Ireland. For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/2p8wthhs>



Activities Volunteers - Mindwise (Warrenpoint, Rostrevor)

To plan, organise and run group activities in the community for service users and encourage service user participation. This role provides volunteers with an opportunity to develop their own self-confidence in facilitation as well as learning from staff and other volunteers. This role may also involve supporting staff to engage service-users in community activities. Full training and support as well as out of pocket expenses **provided**. For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/yvdi8dj7>



Volunteer Car Driver– NI Ambulance Service

As a Northern Ireland Ambulance Service Volunteer Car Driver you will transport in your own car those non-emergency patients that do not require an ambulance to and from their health care teams for their medical treatment and care. This is a personally rewarding and fulfilling opportunity to help patients in your community. Flexible to fit in with other aspects of your life.

For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/52n24n6h>



Visual Merchandising Volunteer – British Heart Foundation

Do you love those head-turning displays in high street windows? Could you use your creativity to create eye-catching displays either in the shop front or sales floor of your local British Heart Foundation shop? You can get involved in selecting and displaying the amazing stock donated to us to great effect to really grab customers' attention. We will provide you with all the support and training you need to get started. For more info: <https://tinyurl.com/35efr5db>

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