

Community Fundraising

Q What is a Community Fundraising Volunteer?

Enthusiastic and passionate about making life better for carers? Want to help Carers UK raise vital funds? This role is a fantastic way to be connected to your local community and make new friends whilst raising money on behalf of Carers UK in your local area.

Q What will you get out of it?

You'll be able to gain fundraising skills, meet new people, add value to your local community and gain skills in event management.

Q What's involved?

There are lots of different aspects to the role and you can choose which activities to take on. Options include:

- raising awareness of Carers UK and how people can support us by giving talks or running an information stand
- placing collection tins in your local shops/businesses
- promoting fundraising campaigns and appeals
- building links with local groups or businesses who could fundraise for Carers UK eg sports clubs and faith based organisations
- holding bucket collections in local supermarkets, stations or town centre
- searching for opportunities for local funding eg supermarket community funds and working with our fundraising team to apply.



The skills you'll need...



- be pro-active and enthusiastic
- have good organisational skills
- be confident with numbers and comfortable with cash handling
- good knowledge of local area and the ability to build links in your community
- a passion for improving support for carers
- flexibility and willingness to get involved



Q How we will support you

As well as the Carers UK Volunteering Handbook and your Community Fundraising Volunteer Handbook, you will gain direct support from the Fundraising Team. All volunteers are invited to our regular online meetups, where you can catch up with other volunteers and find support. We will also send you a regular volunteering newsletter by email, packed with the latest informatoin and updates for volunteers.

Q How to apply

To apply, email volunteering@carersuk.org
 We will be in touch within seven working days to discuss your application.

All volunteers must be over 18 years old.
 Carers UK is committed to representing the diverse society in which we work and actively encourage applications from people with current or recent experience of caring from all backgrounds.

Your time...



This role is very flexible and is designed to fit around your lifestyle and interests. How much time you give depends on you!

Where you'll be volunteering...



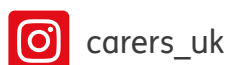
Out and about in your local community



Join us on Facebook!

When you volunteer with us you can become a member of our Facebook Volunteer Group, where you'll get the latest Carers UK volunteering news and campaigns, and you can share your tips and experiences with your fellow volunteers.

Follow us on social media



About Carers UK

Our mission is to make life better for carers



We give expert advice, information and support

We connect carers so no one has to care alone



We campaign together for lasting change

We innovate to find new ways to reach and support carers

