

Community Sponsorship Scheme

Volunteer Registration Form

Thank you for volunteering to help transform the lives of a refugee family living in or near to your local community.

Please complete this form to help us direct your valuable skills and experience in the best way. The information will also help us to ensure you are suitable to work with a refugee family.

Once you have completed and signed the form please send it via e-mail to: [xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx] or by post to: [xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx]

FULL NAME:

ADDRESS:

PHONE:

E-MAIL:

NAME OF PROJECT:

NAME OF LOCAL COMMUNITY OR AREA:

HOW DID YOU BECOME INVOLVED WITH THE COMMUNITY GROUP?:

ARE YOU ELIGIBLE TO VOLUNTEER IN THE UK?:

If you are not a British citizen and you do not have either EU Settlement Scheme status or leave to remain, you may need to check with UK Visas & Immigration before completing the above declaration.

More About You

Please provide brief details about your background including any work or volunteering experience, qualifications or particular skills & talents:

Please tell us about any other work or life experience that you feel may be relevant, for example other experience with refugees, vulnerable adults or children:

DO YOU HAVE A DISABILITY?

I WOULD PREFER NOT TO SAY:

IF YOU ARE HAPPY TO DO SO PLEASE TELL US ABOUT THIS, INCLUDING ADJUSTMENTS NEEDED:

DO YOU DRIVE?

DO YOU HAVE YOUR OWN CAR THAT YOU ARE WILLING TO USE OCCASIONALLY IF REQUIRED?

Character References

Please would you tell us the names and contact details of two people who can provide a reference for you.

Your referees must have known you for two years or more, and ideally either be or have been in a position of responsibility, such as a previous employer, a health or education professional, business leader etc. We are not able to accept references from volunteers working for the same project.

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Self-Declaration

Community Sponsorship involves working with or having access to children and adults at risk. All volunteer roles are eligible for a Disclosure & Barring Service (DBS) check and are exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act, meaning you must disclose information about any previous convictions or cautions - no matter how long ago they occurred. Such disclosure does *not* mean you are necessarily barred from volunteering. Each case will be considered individually.

It's important that you do disclose all such information below. If you fail to do so, you may well be asked not to volunteer.

HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CONVICTED OF A CRIMINAL OFFENCE OR GIVEN A POLICE CAUTION?:

ARE YOU THE SUBJECT OF ANY ONGOING CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS OR INVESTIGATIONS?:

If yes to either, please give details of all such convictions or cautions, including dates, and any sentence(s) received, as well as details of any ongoing proceedings if applicable:

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Data Privacy

The information you have provided on this form will be processed in strict accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) 2018, the Data Protection Act 2018 and our Privacy Notice which is attached. This form will be held securely in the strictest confidence, will only be available to specific staff on a strict need-to-know basis, and will not be shared with any third parties.

Signed Declaration

I confirm that the information I have provided in this application is correct and accurate, and complete where required. I understand that withholding or providing false or misleading information may disqualify me from volunteering.

SIGNED	
DATE	