Carers Together

Job Description

Job Title: Volunteering and Engagement Coordinator

Salary: £16,109 per annum

(£31,371 pro rata)

Hours: 19 hours per week

Responsible to: Chief Executive

Responsible for: Volunteers

Base: 23 Queen Street, Redcar, TS10 1AB and St Mary's Centre, 82-90

Corporation Road, Middlesbrough TS1 2RW. The postholder will be required to travel and work from different sites and venues in

the community.

Job Purpose: To recruit, train, manage and support volunteers.

To develop Carers Together's Volunteering Programme.

To deliver a programme of engagement work with carers and the

public.

Main Duties:

1. Volunteering

- 1.1 Continue the development and delivery of a Volunteering Programme within Carers Together.
- 1.2 Develop volunteer task profiles in consultation with other Carers Together staff.
- 1.3 Produce promotional materials to publicise the Volunteering Programme, in partnership with other staff.
- 1.4 Promote volunteer opportunities within and outside Carers Together.
- 1.5. Regularly review the Volunteer Handbook, keeping up to date with new legislation and best practice relating to volunteering.
- 1.6 Schedule and attend volunteer recruitment events.
- 1.7 Develop and maintain relationships with other VIOs and VDAs.
- 1.8 Arrange and carry out volunteer recruitment and induction processes and match volunteers with opportunities.
- 1.9 Ensure volunteers are available to support Carers Together's services.

- 1.10 Facilitate the distribution of information to volunteers.
- 1.11 Maintain accurate records, monitor and report on volunteering activity.
- 1.12 Provide ongoing support and supervision for volunteers.
- 1.13 Organise and participate in volunteer reward and recognition events and activities.
- 1.14 Evaluate all aspects of the Volunteering Programme, identifying areas where further development can be undertaken.

2. Engagement

- 2.1 Plan and deliver a programme of engagement activities and events for service users in partnership with staff and volunteers
- 2.2 Deliver activities/events which engage the general public and provide information and raise awareness of carers' issues and needs, in partnership with staff and volunteers
- 2.3 Support a Friends of Carers Together group.

3. General

- 3.1 Participate fully as a member of the staff team including attending meetings, sharing information and working collaboratively with other staff to ensure all services are covered.
- 3.2 Work collaboratively with colleagues in other organisations.
- 3.3 Maintain written records, statistical data, provide written reports and attend relevant meetings as required.
- 3.4 Adhere to all service standards, policies and procedures of Carers Together.
- 3.5 Administrate and organise own work to ensure that it meets quality standards, deadlines and reporting requirements.
- 3.6 Undertake any other tasks or duties that may arise which are commensurate with the general level of this post and as directed by the designated line manager.

4. Management

4.1 The post holder will receive day to day management and supervision from the Chief Executive.

5. Working conditions

5.1 Flexible working between the hours of 9 am - 5 pm is required, subject to the demands of the service. Some evening and weekend working may be required.

Overtime will not be paid, but approved time outside 9am-5pm may be taken as

time off in lieu.

5.2 30 working days holiday per year (pro-rata) plus statutory/bank holidays for fulltime staff. For part time staff, holiday / bank holiday entitlements are calculated based on contracted hours.

This job description is intended as a guide to the duties and responsibilities of the post and may be amended from time to time, subject to developing organisational needs, and following appropriate consultation with the post holder.