

Volunteer Role Profile

Serendipity Community Groups

Roles available

Volunteers are required at all of our Serendipity Community Groups which run in Basingstoke, Bordon, Eastleigh, Fareham, Havant, New Milton (New Forest), Portsmouth, Shirley, Southampton, Swanmore, Titchfield (Solent), and Winchester.

Why we want you

We need organised and passionate individuals who want to support and facilitate community groups for autistic adults in your local community. Our groups are designed to help autistic adults to meet in a welcoming and non-judgemental setting. We need friendly and caring volunteers to make this happen.

What you will be doing

Full training for the role will be provided with a three month induction period and then regular quarterly training sessions.

Welcome new members to the group and help them settle in.
Support members to participate in group activities.
Help make suggestions about new group activities.
Help send feedback about the group to Autism Hampshire staff.

Keep an accurate record of attendance at the group.

Report any concerns to Autism Hampshire staff.

The skills you need

- Interest in supporting autistic adults
- Good listener
- Reliable
- Can offer support in a non-judgemental way

What's in it for you?

- Meet new people from a wide range of backgrounds
- Be part of an inclusive team
- Be a pillar of support for your local autistic community
- Learning opportunities so you can represent Autism Hampshire with confidence

Commitment level required

Fareham Community Group runs every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month from 10.45am - 12pm Winchester Community Group runs every two weeks on a Sunday from 3pm - 4.30pm Portsmouth Community Group runs every two weeks on a Monday from 5pm - 7pm New Forest Community Group runs once a month every 2nd Wednesday of the month from 1pm - 3pm

Whilst we value regular commitment, you will be joining a team, so you do not need to be available for every session. Please make your availability and preferred location known to Autism Hampshire staff.



How do I get involved?