

ANTRIM & NEWTOWNABBEY LATEST VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES

WANT TO VOLUNTEER?

To see our full range of opportunities **Register** with **Volunteer Now**
<https://www.volunteernow.co.uk/choose-login/>

Need a hand to find or register for an opportunity then contact Wenda Gray (07850 851811)
E: wenda.gray@volunteernow.co.uk

Care2Share NI - Marketing and Social Media Volunteer

Do you want to make a difference in a Carer's life? If so then this is the perfect opportunity for you. The role of a marketing and social media volunteer is to raise awareness of the group's **Time2Care** publications, training and resources. The volunteer will take a lead in coordinating the group's social media activity across Facebook, Twitter, YouTube and Instagram. The role would suit someone with some marketing and social media experience through education, work or volunteering. For more information about the role and how to apply click the link <https://bit.ly/315wwBd>



FareShare NI - Food Heroes Volunteer

Would you like to be a **food hero**? Then think about volunteering with FareShare and save good food from going to waste and giving it to people instead. Get active, learn new skills, meet new people and change lives. We are looking for Volunteers who can work as part of a team in our warehouse at Mallusk to help assemble daily deliveries of food for local charities and communities. Click here to apply <https://bit.ly/2BK2BeA>



Shopmobility Unit Operations Volunteers - Antrim

Shopmobility helps support disabled members of our community and those with a mobility impairment on a short or long term basis. We are looking for volunteers to answer the phone and record members booking equipment; meet, greet and support members as required; clean equipment and report any repairs; liaise with all branches to locate specific equipment as required by members; be kind to members who are lonely and like to have a chat. If you would like to learn new skills then find out more about the role and how to apply by clicking the link <https://bit.ly/3Avk2Zm>



Guide Dogs NI - Puppy Raiser Ballyclare

We are looking for volunteers who have space and time in their life for a trainee guide dog puppy. This is a full time volunteer role, where the puppy will live with you in your home for 12-16 months. You will provide the puppy with a vital foundation for its future role as a guide dog! Must be over 18 <https://bit.ly/3kscGzD>



Muckamore Parish Development Association - Youth Support Volunteer



This is a fantastic opportunity to provide experience working with a charitable organisation who provide sporting activities to young people aged 0 to 18. This program is known as "After School Activities for All" and is funded by BBC children in need. Many of the children in attendance have additional needs and therefore applicants would need to have a basic understanding of the needs of these children. Click the link more information and to apply <https://bit.ly/32JwAAk>

MindWise - Befriending Volunteers

Can you spare an hour or two a week to support clients access activities in their local community? Experience of befriending is not essential as training, ongoing support and out of pocket expenses will be provided. If interested in helping those affected by mental illness click the links in the area of your choice for more information and to apply:



Newtownabbey <https://bit.ly/3lqVYey>

Antrim <https://bit.ly/3luCWUH>

Tasks will include:

- ◆ Support service users to engage in community activities.
- ◆ Facilitate services users in becoming independent.
- ◆ Ensure health and safety is maintained at all times.
- ◆ Participate in online training.
- ◆ Support service user social interaction.
- ◆ Report back to Supervisor on issues and updates.

Previous experience within the Voluntary sector, and/or previous knowledge of those affected by severe mental illness would be desirable.

East Antrim Riding for the Disabled

East Antrim RDA is looking for a **Volunteer Leader/Side Walker**.

We meet on Monday mornings at Laurel View Equestrian Centre, Ballyclare from 9.30am -12.30pm (followed by coffee!). Our riders

are severely challenged children from Hillcroft School and we need volunteers, with either some interest in horses or a desire to work with our riders. You would need to commit to most Monday mornings term time from September-June. Why not click here to apply <https://bit.ly/3DBAt8c>.



Praxis Care - Volunteer Gardener Newtownabbey

We are creating a sensory (memory) garden for residents of a supported living service in Newtownabbey. Residents are aged 55+ and all have a diagnosis of dementia. The garden will become a tranquil place for residents and their families to spend time together. If you have an interest in gardening this could be the perfect role for you. Click the link for more information and to apply <https://bit.ly/3BO5K7e>



Volunteering Support Officer

E: wenda.gray@volunteernow.co.uk

T: 07850 851811

Office hours: Mon-Fri: 9.00am - 4.30pm



Supported by the Northern Ireland Executive through the Department for Communities

Organisations may introduce additional measures to ensure these volunteering roles meet good practice particularly in relation to Covid-19.