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# Latest Volunteering Opportunities

**Antrim & Newtownabbey**

**Autumn 2023**

For a full selection of volunteering opportunities, use the Opportunity Search on [volunteernow.co.uk](https://volunteernow.co.uk) Need a hand? Use the Contact forms on our website or email [wenda.gray@volunteernow.co.uk](mailto:wenda.gray@volunteernow.co.uk)

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## One Young World Summit 2023 - (Belfast 30 Sept to 6 Oct)

VOLUNTEER at the world's largest youth dominated event! One Young World is a UK-based charity that gathers together the brightest young leaders from around the world, empowering them to make lasting connections to create positive change. We are looking for volunteers to represent Belfast as the host city by supporting these valuable individuals and showing them Northern Ireland's best hospitality. Some of these young leaders will have never left home before, and for others, this will be their first visit or experience of Northern Ireland. Click for more information <https://tinyurl.com/v6rks4y3>

**FareShare**  
Northern Ireland

## FareShare Northern Ireland - Volunteer Drivers (Newtownabbey)

We are currently looking to recruit volunteer drivers to deliver and collect food. This is a great volunteering opportunity for someone who likes driving and enjoys meeting people. Volunteers must be 25 + years of age and hold a basic driving licence. Full training on the role will be provided and volunteers will receive ongoing support. Volunteering with FareShare Northern Ireland is a chance to give something back to your local community, join a friendly team and learn new skills. If you can spare one day a week from 8.30am to 2.30pm we would love to hear from you. <https://bit.ly/48eX75P>

**Alzheimer's Society**  
Together we are help & hope

## Alzheimer's Society NI - Awareness Raising Volunteer (Antrim)

If you'd like to support your local community by helping to ensure that people who are worried about or affected by dementia are aware of the support and advice services we offer then this could be the role for you. You'll support local events, hold information stands, and display leaflets in a variety of venues and locations highly visible in your community, such as libraries and GP surgeries. Full training and ongoing support will be provided along with out of pocket expenses. Click here <https://tinyurl.com/2zx73srx>

**Policing Board**  
Northern Ireland

## Policing Board for Northern Ireland - Independent Custody Visitors

The Independent Custody Visiting (ICV) Scheme is a volunteer scheme that helps the Policing Board deliver independent oversight of policing and ensure the PSNI are meeting their human rights responsibilities. We are seeking volunteers who work in pairs to check on detainees held in custody, assessing their access to rights, their treatment, health and wellbeing and the conditions of detention. Applicants must apply through the Board's website click this link to find out how <https://tinyurl.com/5n925wj7>

**Headway**

## Headway Support Group Volunteer - (Newtownabbey)

Have you 2 hours on a Wednesday afternoon, to share with a group of adults who have an acquired brain injury? If so why not join our friendly team and support our services users at our weekly meetings. Our service users remain largely independent in the community and really enjoy our regular get togethers, peer support and friendship. There is always lots of fun and laughter. This role is ideal for those with experience of, or wanting to gain experience supporting people with acquired brain injuries or conditions affecting the brain. Why not find out more by clicking the link <https://bit.ly/45Qy8V>

**Guide Dogs**  
N.Ireland

## Guide Dogs NI - My Sighted Guide Volunteer (Antrim)

We are looking for friendly, enthusiastic volunteers in ANTRIM who enjoy going for a walk, a coffee and a having a chat. A sighted guide volunteer is someone who helps a person living with sight loss get out and about confidently in their local area. You will be provided with full training to allow you to safely guide and navigate someone with sight loss, all whilst building your partner's confidence and social interaction! Ideally you will need to be free for 2-3 hours, once a week to meet with your partner for a walk, a coffee and a chat! Click here or more info <https://bit.ly/3bScJnm>

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