

# Volunteer Role Profile



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Volunteer Role

**Art & Craft Volunteer**

Volunteer Manager

**Voluntary Services Team**

Where you will be based

**Hospital**

## Why we want you

We are looking for volunteers to share their talents and interests in art and craft with patients. These sessions take place in the day rooms of various hospital wards across our hospital sites, with patients invited to participate. This role may also involve 1:1 engagement at the bedside as well.

You do not have to be an artist to apply for this role - we are looking for confident, enthusiastic and patient volunteers with an interest or hobby in art or craft.

## What you will be doing

- Supporting meaningful engagement on the wards through creativity.
- Providing feedback to staff.
- To organise art and craft sessions, including liaison with staff about session timings, identifying suitable patients, preparing the room, planning the sessions and tidying away and storing the equipment at the end.
- To engage the patients in participating and encourage their involvement with the group.

## The skills you need

- An interest, skill or hobby in art or craft.
- To be confident when communicating with patients and staff.
- To be enthusiastic about the aims and work of Cardiff & Vale UHB.
- To display levels of empathy and understanding at all times.
- To be confident, enthusiastic and patient.

## What's in it for you

- Satisfaction of assisting others and providing an invaluable volunteer service to the Health Board and Community.
- An opportunity to use your own experiences, skills and interests to help others.
- An opportunity to develop knowledge about communication difficulties.
- An opportunity to make a difference through creative volunteering.