

**Volunteer Application Form**

**Name:**

**Email:**

**Phone number:**

**Address:**

We do many activities with a lot of opportunities for our volunteers. We engage and speak to people about their experiences of health and social care. We do this by engaging in locations such as local hospitals, community events and other health settings and by researching published data, meeting support organisations, researching lived experiences and researching areas such as mental health issues and lots of areas involved in health and social care.

We use this information to make changes at a local and national level. The role is developed with the person and will be fitted around their interests in health and social care.

You will be able to get involved with many exciting and new things and we include everyone as much as possible with all our opportunities.

Commitment time varies depending on what we are involved in. The work is hybrid working plus attending engagement within the community.

**How much time are you able to commit per week?**

**Could you please outline your wishes plus, your skills and experiences:**

**We try to help you achieve what you are looking for, this may be to gain experience to apply for employment or to meet people and give something back to the community?** **Please outline what you would like to achieve?**

**Do you have support or access needs (for example, do you have a disability, are you a carer, do you need a support worker when you volunteer?)**

**Please supply the names, addresses and phone numbers of two referees who know you well. e.g. previous employer, neighbour, previous volunteering project, etc. Please state how they know you. (Please note that these cannot be a relative.)**

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| **Name** | **Email address** | **Relationship to you** |
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Please return the completed form to jacqui@healthwatchbnssg.co.uk or post to

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