

Those that share in the suffering will share in the glory

Befriender

Together for the One is looking for dynamic individuals to assume the position of Volunteer Befriender. This role involves providing companionship and support to individuals who are part of our 'Together Group' connection.

Your Role

As a Volunteer Befriender, having the opportunity to make a meaningful impact in someone's life by offering your time, we are asking for a commitment of 1-4 hours a week. Befriending can take on various forms and approaches. As a befriender, you might: enjoy a cup of tea and a conversation; lend a listening ear; connect individuals with valuable community resources; offer a fresh perspective; become a trusted confidant; and recognize when someone is struggling, guiding them to specialist services if needed. These are just a few of the responsibilities of a befriender. It's essential to reflect on your personal qualities and characteristics, as they can serve as strengths in nurturing your relationship with your match.

Some of this time will be dedicated to training and assessment to ensure that the service user will be fully supported and empowered to achieve their goals. The training will focus on developing key skills, enhancing confidence, and fostering independence. Regular assessments will help track progress and identify areas for further improvement, ensuring that the service user receives personalized attention and guidance. This comprehensive approach aims to create a positive and nurturing environment where growth and success are celebrated.

If you are interested in applying for the Befriender position, please click the link to fill out the form, along with your cover letter and CV.

Should you have any questions about the position, don't hesitate to reach out via email at Togetherfortheone@gmail.com.