

## **VOLUNTEER PROFILE**

POSITION	Wellbeing Volunteer		
TEAM	Community Investment Team	LOCATION	Housing for Older Persons Schemes in Camborne
VERSION	1.0	LAST UPDATED	January 2025

# PURPOSE OF ROLE

To help plan and deliver wellbeing activities for customers who reside in our Camborne Older Persons schemes, with the aim of reducing loneliness & social isolation, and increasing confidence and connectedness.

#### **DESIRABLE SKILLS**

- 1. Organisational skills
- 2. Good use of initiative
- 3. Communication skills
- 4. Ability to encourage participation and inclusion

#### **KEY TASKS**

- 1. Assist with the planning and delivery of activities to customers residing at our two Camborne schemes, based on their feedback about their preferences.
- 2. Help to promote these activities amongst customers.
- 3. Actively seek feedback from customers regarding what activities they would like to see delivered at their schemes.
- 4. Provide befriending and companionship to those customers who prefer meeting one-to-one in the communal areas of the schemes.
- 5. Establish and build a rapport with customers; valuing their knowledge, experiences and opinions.

- 6. Exercise patience and allow sufficient time for customers with speech and language difficulties to verbally express themselves.
- Exercise patience and allow sufficient time for customers with restricted mobility
  adapting activities so all can get involved.
- 8. Maintain clear and professional boundaries with customers.
- 9. Report any safeguarding concerns immediately.
- 10. Liaise with the Volunteer Manager/Community Navigator regarding equipment required to run activities.
- 11. Support customers to report repairs or issues with their individual flats to Coastline, and raise any customer concerns relating to communal repairs or maintenance with the Facilities Management Assistants.

#### **REPORTING**

#### Reports to:

- Volunteer Manager, Volunteer Co-ordinator & Community Investment Team
- Facilities Contract Manager & Facilities Management Assistants

#### GENERAL TASKS (THIS IS STANDARD FOR ALL VOLUNTEER ROLES)

- 1. Represent the Company positively with all external agencies.
- 2. Demonstrate behaviours in accordance with Coastline's values: Put our customers first, Be open, honest and accountable, Value each other, Strive to be the best.
- **3.** Establish, develop and maintain effective working relationships with all colleagues, volunteers, customers and actively promote the buddy system.
- 4. Ensure compliance with the Company's Health and Safety policies and procedures.
- **5.** Continually promote equal opportunities and customer care in full compliance with the Company's policy and standards.
- 6. Ensure adherence to the confidentiality policy in all aspects of volunteer tasks/duties.
- 7. Attend and participate in meetings as required, including supervision and training.
- 8. Undertake specific tasks and projects as requested.
- 9. Manage personal 'workload'.
- 10. Carry out relevant tasks appropriate to this role.
- **11.** Comply with the relevant Company and Group policies and procedures which relate to volunteers.
- **12.** Undertake mandatory volunteer training and any additional training which is deemed necessary for your volunteer role.

# **CONTACTS**

#### Internal

- Volunteer Manager & Volunteer Co-ordinator
- Facilities Contract Manager
- Community Investment Team
- Facilities Management Assistants
- Volunteers

## **External**

External agencies (statutory and voluntary)