Volunteer Role Profile

Volunteer Role	**Mencap Volunteer Visitor**
Volunteer Manager	**Volunteer Services Co-ordinator**
Where you will be based	**Community**

Why we want you

The Mencap visiting service provides visitors for adults with a learning disability. The people we visit all enjoy different things so each visit will be unique. Your time, skills and passion will ensure everyone registered has a visitor they can spend 1 to 1 time with doing the things they enjoy. Visits will vary in length but tend to be around half an hour to an hour long. We'd love to hear from you!

What you will be doing

- Visiting the person you are matched with every other month, spending quality time together. The type of activities you'll be doing will vary depending on the person you visit but you could:
- Checking in on their well-being
- Sitting with the person and have a chat
- Play music for them from your phone
- Reading a book or magazine to them
- A craft activity

The skills you need

- Passionate about supporting people with a learning disability
- Reliable and patient
- Good communication Skills
- Accepting of others who might be different to yourself
- Friendly and approachable

What's in it for you

- The opportunity to help make a difference to the life of the person you visit
- Personalised volunteer induction and training
- Agreed out of pocket expenses reimbursed
- The chance to meet new people
- On-going support, and feeling appreciated and valued

Disclaimer

This role requires a DBS check which will be paid for by Mencap