



Peer Support Network Volunteer Role

Overview

The Peer Support Network at Project Art Works brings together people who have complex support needs, families, carers, support workers, commissioners and providers to share their knowledge and experience. Through regular meet-ups, Network members are encouraged to work together to achieve successful personalised pathways for the people they care for and support. Topics covered include, how best to achieve person-centred care, navigating Continuing Healthcare reviews, managing care for a family member and assessments and benefit support.

Volunteering with us

This is an opportunity to gain insight into the current climate of health and social care and the lived experience of people with complex needs. We work with the spirit of collaboration bringing together families and health and social care commissioners, services and providers in constructive conversation.

*As a volunteer for the Peer Support Network we would require you to commit to **one/two days** per month supporting event preparation and delivery.*

You will experience:

- Working as part of a team to support network meet-ups, summits and workshops.
- Engaging with families, parents, carers and support workers to facilitate sharing of experience and knowledge
- Assisting with the set-up and tidy down of events.
- Supporting the sharing of resources

You will experience:

- An interest in health and social care
- A passion for supporting people to access information and share knowledge
- A team-player
- A calm and supportive approach to listening to others