



## Job Description – Social Activities & Workshop Volunteer

### **Volunteer role – 3 hours a week Derby & Derbyshire**

12 month commitment

### **Who is Rebuild?**

Rebuild Project exists to support and assist survivors of Modern Day slavery and Human Trafficking to overcome the barriers that they might face in starting a new life, free from slavery in Derby and Derbyshire. We currently provide one-to-one support for survivors to transition into the community. We assist with accessing long term housing, signposting to specialist services, advocacy and emotional support. Our plans for development are to develop a strand of our project that provides a range of connect group sessions that build community, skills and resilience.

### **Social Activities and Workshops**

The Rebuild project offers individuals that we work with a range of group sessions that run across the week which help build social connections and develop skills for individuals we work with. Survivors of Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking may have limited social and family connections and often due to the impact of their experiences and trauma can find it difficult to build friendships. The Rebuild Project runs groups in safe, trauma informed spaces where individuals can grow in confidence, self-esteem and gradually build bridges into the wider community. This could be in the form of social activities such as a sewing group or a confidence building workshop.

### **Duties and Responsibilities:**

- Assisting the facilitator to lead the session by supporting with the setup, running and take down of activities
- Serving refreshments
- General relationship building with individuals who attend
- There may times where you asked to support an individual to attend a session e.g walking, driving or catching a bus with someone to get to the session
- Work in a strengths based approach to partner with clients to support them to connect into the community.
- Working with people from different cultures and backgrounds and understanding cultural diversity & equal opportunities.

**In the right candidate we are looking for someone who is able to evidence the following:**

- A team player who is also able to take initiative
- A great listener, with a flexible approach
- Strong communication skills
- Discretion and ability to work in accordance with the Data Protection Act
- Good people skills especially with those whose English is not their first language
- Consistency, reliability, relatability and professionalism

If you are successful, a member of staff will be in touch to have an informal phone interview. Following a successful interview and if you wish to continue, you will be invited to an Induction and training programme.

**What will we do for you:**

- On-going support and supervision
- Any relevant training opportunities
- Confidence building and skills

**Essential Requirements:**

- Volunteers will be required to undertake a DBS check.

All applicants will need to complete an application form, available on the website.

As part of the volunteer recruitment and selection process Rebuild Project will take up two references.

Please email your application to: [naila@rebuildproject.org](mailto:naila@rebuildproject.org)