INVOLVEMENT CHAMPION

Work in partnership with us



86,000

children and adults are estimated to be living with a brain tumour in the UK currently Brain tumours

There are no obvious causes that can be targeted.

Our challenge

Our community are our priority and we would like to ensure that we are working in partnership with them in all we do. We're here to accelerate a positive change in how people affected by brain tumours are diagnosed, supported and cured. Our vision is a world where brain tumours are defeated.

How can you help?

This new two-year role provides the opportunity for our community to take an active role supporting decision making across the Charity and ensuring we have community involvement in all we do. Working as part of a team and getting involved in projects across the Charity, you will have the opportunity to use your experiences to help shape our work and drive forward on our goals of doubling survival and halving the harm that brain tumours cause.

We're looking for:

Members from across our community who are collaborative, passionate about creating change and improving outcomes for everyone affected by a brain tumour. Representing the wider brain tumour community you will not only use your own experiences of being affected by a brain tumour diagnosis to help shape our work but also take into account the issues and challenges that affect our wider community, working as part of a team to help ensure we are focusing on what is most important to everyone affected by a brain tumour diagnosis. Examples of how you will be involved include; sitting on project and steering groups, working collaboratively across the different teams within the Charity to explore new ideas for fundraising, campaigning and service development as well as helping us embed a new involvement strategy.

BRAIN TUMOURS MOVE FAST. WITH YOUR HELP, WE CAN TOO!



ABOUT THE BRAIN TUMOUR CHARITY

We are the world's leading brain tumour charity and the largest dedicated funder of research into brain tumours globally. Committed to saving and improving lives, we're moving further, faster to help every single person affected by a brain tumour.

We're set on finding new treatments, offering the highest level of support and driving urgent change. And we're doing it right now. Because we understand that when you, or someone you love, is diagnosed with a brain tumour – a cure really can't wait.

Person specification

This is an exciting new volunteer role providing the opportunity to work more closely with us and take an active role in shaping our work. We are looking for individuals who are;

- Passionate about improving outcomes for everyone affected by a brain tumour
- Have had a personal experience of being affected by a brain tumour (whether you have had a brain tumour diagnosis yourself or a partner or close family member) and a desire to use this experience to create change.
- Ability to represent other members of the brain tumour community, listen to different perspectives and take these into account.
- Ability to work collaboratively with others as part of a team of volunteer Involvement Champions.
- Interest in supporting the work of the Charity and the ability to share your feedback and ideas in a group setting.

Practical considerations

This is a two-year role during which all activities will take place virtually so you can get involved wherever you live. We'll be coming together as a Involvement Champions team for monthly online meetings via zoom.

There will also be the opportunity to take part in project meetings, share your feedback and support the development of new ideas as well as connect with others who've had similar experiences. There may also be additional activities depending on the projects you would like to get involved in and how the role evolves. We'd like you to help shape this.

Involvement Champions will have a named contact at the Charity and receive regular communication about what's going on across The Charity and how you can get involved. Opportunities will be shared via email, monthly online meetings and through workplace (an online platform where the team will be able to connect and share updates and ideas).

We'd like a commitment to the role ideally for two years and envisage there being a weekly commitment of approx. 1-2 hours per week (flexible) and attendance at monthly online meetings.

Volunteers must be aged 18 or over.

Application Process

Applicants are asked to complete an application form and submit a short video sharing your motivation for wanting to be an Involvement Champion and what you would hope to achieve by being part of the team. Videos can be sent via WhatsApp to 07538744143 or emailed to volunteering@thebraintumourcharity.org. Shortlisted applicants will then be invited to an online interview at the end of March.







INTERESTED?

If you're ready to apply, please complete our online application form and create your video. If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact the Volunteering Team:

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