

# Welwyn Hatfield Women's Refuge & Support Services

## WELWYN HATFIELD WOMEN'S REFUGE & SUPPORT SERVICES (WHWR)

#### ADMIN SUPPORT VOLUNTEER

**DESIGNATION** Admin Support – Volunteer

**HOURS** Part Time

**REPORTING TO** Lead Refuge Worker

**EMPLOYED BY** The Board of WHWR

## PURPOSE OF THE ROLE

We are looking for a passionate, organised and committed volunteer to support Welwyn Hatfield Women's Refuge & Support Services with administration.

To provide effective and efficient administrative support to Welwyn Hatfield Women's Refuge and Support Services as required.

#### **ROLE DESCRIPTION**

- 1. General office duties including word-processing, photocopying, filing and mailing
- 2. To support with postal duties such as collecting and distributing mail to residents
- 3. Dealing with telephone enquiries, supported by the team
- 4. To support in the role of conducting health and safety checks, supported by the team
- 5. To maintain and manage up-to-date record of supplies required for Refuge purposes, such as bedding, toiletries, food storage. To report to Refuge Lead or Operations Manager when supplies require replenishing
- 6. Occasional minute taking and distributing of records to relevant parties where required to support Refuge / Outreach staff
  - To follow appropriate Data Protection legislation, policies, procedures in day-to-day work and to protect the confidentiality of the refuge and its residents
- 7. To support with any other duties or responsibilities as directed by the Refuge Manager

#### Skills

- Caring, can-do, committed attitude
- Good verbal and written communication
- Having the willingness to ask for support and guidance where required
- Good team player
- Confident in using IT software including word, excel, zoom
- Good organisational skills

#### Commitment

The role requires at least 10 hours support per week with the view of being committed in this role for a minimum of 12 months.

# The benefits of working with WHWR

- To be fully supported with both in-house and external trainings as required for the role
- Flexible working hours
- Build friendships with others in a caring environment
- To gain experience in supporting workers in the field of domestic abuse and Women's Refuge services
- \*This post is open to female applicants only as being female is deemed to be a genuine occupational requirement under Schedule 9, Paragraph 1 of the Equality Act 2010.
- \* All candidates will need to undergo a DBS

## Ready to apply?

Please send over your CV, with the reference ADMINPTV10 as the email subject to <a href="kiri@whwr.org">kiri@whwr.org</a> (Refuge Lead) along with a short cover letter stating a bit about yourself and why you wish to apply for this role, please also detail your commitment in terms of hours/times/days.