

Staffordshire Women's Aid provides support, advice and emergency accommodation 24 hours a day 7 days a week for women and children fleeing from or living with Domestic Violence.

We are always interested to hear from women who feel that they have some spare time to volunteer, therefore supporting our organisation supporting our clients and at the same time gaining valuable experience and training.

Opportunities are available in Stafford Cannock and South Staffs.

If you feel that you would like to strengthen our web please call us for more details.

0870 2700 123

Due to the sensitive and confidential nature of our work ,we will expect our volunteers to undertake a full training programme.

Support Staffordshire Women's Aid

Please find below a donation slip should you feel able to support Staffordshire Women's Aid as an individual or if you're another group who wishes to fundraise for us.

Yes, I would like to help Staffordshire Women's Aid work to protect women and children affected by domestic violence.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____ Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

If you would prefer not to receive further communications from us, please tick here

Please return this form to :

Staffordshire Women's Aid. PO Box 2387, Stafford. ST16 3WS.

Signed: _____

Please accept my donation of: £10 £20 £50 £100

Other amount £ _____

(in words) _____

I enclose a cheque / postal order made payable to Staffordshire Women's Aid .If you would to set up a regular donation please call us on

Staffordshire Women's Aid Helpline

0870 2700 123



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Together Against Domestic Violence Since 1976



Volunteer Web

“Never doubt that a small group of committed people can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.”

Margaret Mead (1909—1978)

Role Description

Volunteer 

Counsellor

24 Hour Helpline

0870 2700 123

Counsellor

Days and Times

To be discussed with project manager, but generally flexible according to availability and need.

Time Commitment

Minimum of one session per week plus training, team meetings and supervision.

Co-ordinated by

Project manager and Volunteer Co-ordinator.

Supervision

Staffordshire Women's Aid do not provide professional counselling supervision, and so would expect an arrangement to be in place for our volunteers.

We do provide management supervision in terms of de-briefing and case management.

Duties

To maintain your team handbook and training where appropriate.

To provide regular counselling to service users.

Training

To be discussed at interview.

Volunteer Spec

Qualified counsellor to at least diploma level who has experience or a special interest in working with survivors of domestic violence.

Clear understanding of confidentiality.

Thorough awareness of the issues surrounding domestic violence.

Thorough understanding of confidentiality and a willingness to work within Staffordshire Women's Aid policies procedures and guidelines.

Clear understanding of appropriate boundaries and a willingness to work within them.

Awareness of the role limitations and willingness to work as a team.

Non-judgmental, accepting and professional approach to potentially vulnerable people.

Good communication skills.

Reliability honesty and adaptability.

Benefits for Volunteer.

Volunteering for Staffordshire Women's Aid will encourage you to gain a deep and professional understanding of issues surrounding domestic violence.

Training internally and externally will provide you with a unique framework of knowledge required to work in the domestic violence sector.

Internal certificates of achievement will be awarded to volunteers on successfully completing training modules.

Working alongside staff and service users will enable you to help us strengthen our support of women and children experiencing or fleeing domestic violence.

Where appropriate attendance of team days and meetings will widen your knowledge of the organisation and staff.

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For further information



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