Research Volunteer

Overview

Healthwatch Manchester is a not-for-profit, independent organisation here to champion the rights of people involved with and affected by health and social care services in Manchester. We are here to give these people a powerful voice so they will be heard by those who plan, run and regulate services and who have the power to influence and improve these services across Manchester.

What we expect from you:

At Healthwatch Manchester we expect our research volunteer to undertake research into local health and social care services.

What does the role entail:

The role is extremely varied and will require you to carry out a variety of activities such as:

- Conducting research projects that will lead to a positive impact on the standard of healthcare services in Manchester
- Identifying issues with services in Manchester, based on feedback collected from local residents
- Working within a team of volunteers to collectively create and compile research reports
- Contributing to the Healthwatch Manchester annual report
- Volunteering offsite by visiting local health and social care facilities on an ad-hoc basis
- Attending regular support and supervision sessions

What we believe will help you settle in to this role:

- Excellent Communications Skills
- Strong Interpersonal Skills
- Ability to accurately collect and record data
- Experience of using Microsoft Office Suite

How long will the role last:

We have various projects which take place throughout the year to cater to the needs of all volunteers. Send us an email at <u>info@healthwatchmanchester.co.uk</u> to find out more.

What Healthwatch can offer you;

- A dynamic working environment
- Research and report writing skills
- The opportunity to influence positive change in the local community
- Extensive and ranging training exercises

How to Apply:

You can apply for this role either by filling out our online application form or requesting an application pack by email from info@healthwatchmanchester.co.uk

If you have any questions or want to find out more, please call us on 0161 228 1344 or email info@healthwatchmanchester.co.uk

Please outline any accessibility requirements that you may have in the application form. We look forward to hearing from you.