

Enriching Lives of People with Disabilities & Maximising Potential #OneLifeLetsLiveIt

# **Volunteer Minibus Driver**

# About Us

Wirral Evolutions (WE) is a council-owned company providing innovative day opportunities, enabled by high quality care that enhance and enrich the life skill experiences of people we support with learning and physical disabilities, maximising their personal potential.

## Our work ensures that:

- ✓ There is a focus on Physical and Mental Health, to enrich the lives of the people we support
- ✓ Wellbeing is improved, increasing the levels of enjoyment, self-esteem and happiness whilst promoting friendship
- Life skills are developed, encouraging confidence, choice, exercising control, communications, and self-awareness
- Community integration as a way of life through volunteering, employment, education, training, and social connectivity

## **Role Description**

This is a flexible volunteer role that will be performed alongside a member of staff to help transport people we support to their venues and back to the centre. This includes helping people we support board and disembark from the minibus with the aid of a tail-lift, adding and removing seats to accommodate wheelchair users, ensuring the minibus is kept clean and fuelled, staying conscious of the needs and behaviours of the people we support, and making sure they are escorted safely and promptly to the venue of the day, sometimes needing to return people to the centre quickly.

If you can spare a day or two a week and would like to be part of a friendly team helping the people we support to access opportunities for leisure and education in Wirral, then we would love to hear from you.

Wirral Evolutions are looking for a person to join us who:

- ✓ Has a clean, enhanced DBS
- ✓ Has passed their driving test and been driving for at least two years
- $\checkmark$  Can drive a 4x4
- ✓ Has a clean license, preferably with category D-1
- ✓ Enjoys driving, with a good knowledge of local routes



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- ✓ Has good communication and listening skills
- ✓ Has experience with manual handling tasks
- ✓ Understands safeguarding
- ✓ Is calm in a crisis

#### In return we will offer you:

- Pleasant working conditions, at least 5 hours per week
- Training & induction

## How to apply?

You can find an application form here.

Application forms should be sent via email to weeasthamadmin@wirralevolutions.org or returned by post to:

Wirral Evolutions Corporate Services The Grange Grove Road Wallasey CH45 0JA

#### Additional Information

Enhanced Disclosure and Barring clearance is required for this position