

<u>www.free2b.lgbt</u> Free2B Volunteer Youth Workers

Free2B delivers the Gap youth club every Friday in the Clapham Junction area (our address is not advertised to safeguard our members).

6-8pm: The GAP is for LGBTQ+ young people aged 13-19 (and up to 25 for those with an additional need)

We appreciate that giving up every Friday evening may not be appealing! So we are seeking volunteers who can commit to one rota'd Friday per month at Gap.

The clubs aim to:

- Provide a safe & social space for LGBTQ+ young people.
- Provide structured group sessions to meet client needs.
- Provide specialised support around LGBTQ+ issues (e.g. sexual health, coming out, staying safe and so on).
- Signpost young people to relevant LGBTQ+ services.

Please see our website for further details: https://free2b.lgbt/young-people/

The role involves:

- Building relationships with young people, which enable them to explore and make sense of their experiences.
- Assisting with the identification of the needs of young people.
- Working with young people to design, develop and deliver activities, projects and events underpinned by the youth service curriculum.
- To also be fully aware of the principles of safeguarding as they apply to young people and vulnerable adults in relation to your work role.

Benefits to the Volunteer:

- Support & supervision to develop youth work skills
- Access to council training opportunities
- Out of pocket travel expenses can be reimbursed (London travel zones 1-6 or mileage)

What are we looking for?

Essential

- Experience of group work with young people.
- A grounded and thought through understanding of LGBTQ+ issues.
- The skills to handle sensitive issues including those relating to sexuality & gender and personal relationships, in an appropriate, professional and confidential manner.

Desirable:

- Direct Youth Work experience
- A Youth work qualification
- An up-to-date DBS

If you are interested in the role, please complete our application & equal ops form and return it to hello@free2b.lgbt

Application
Equal ops form

Or please get in touch to find out more information about Free2B and the role.