





# **Volunteer Photographer**

**Location:** Across your local area / region, with opportunities in our Aylesbury office – Unit 3, Bell Business Park, Smeaton Close, Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire, HP19 8JR

**Time Commitment:** Flexible – occasional opportunities depending on current activities, events and projects.

### **About Lymphoma Action**

With the help of our wonderful volunteers, we aim to make sure that no one has to face lymphoma alone. Lymphoma Action is the UK's only charity dedicated to lymphoma, the fifth most common cancer. We've been providing expert information and support for over 35 years, helping thousands of people affected by lymphoma.

We welcome volunteers from all backgrounds, communities and experiences and strive to have diverse representation within our volunteer community.

#### How this role makes a difference

Your time can help us reach more people to inform, support and connect everyone affected by lymphoma by helping us build our photo library to showcase our activities and the impact we make across the UK. The photographs will be used throughout our marketing and promotional communications.

#### What's involved

- Bring your expertise, skills and experience in photography to the role
- If you live local to Aylesbury, join us in our office for photoshoot opportunities
- Attend events and activities to capture high quality images for promotional use on our website, social media and marketing materials
- Showcase Lymphoma Action's brand and values in the images to capture the impact of our work
- Process and edit images, where required.

In addition, for all volunteering activities, you will be expected to:

- Identify strongly with our mission and values
- Positively represent Lymphoma Action throughout all tasks, communications and relationships as you carry out your role
- Carry out all volunteering activities within the Charity's guidelines, policies and procedures.

# What skills and experience you'll need

- Strong interest and experience in photography/film, professionally or as a hobby
- Access to good quality photography equipment to produce high resolution images
- Flexible approach with the ability to volunteer independently and follow a brief
- Able to use your own initiative and be proactive and creative
- Good interpersonal and communication skills
- Happy to travel across your local area with access to either your own car or good public transport
- Live within a reasonable travel distance to Aylesbury, if volunteering to help in our Aylesbury office
- Be over the age of 18.

If you have been diagnosed with lymphoma, or are close to someone who has, before taking on the role you/they will be at least 6 months on from completing treatment or starting on active monitoring.

# What training and support you'll receive

- Induction and welcome to Lymphoma Action
- Ongoing support from a designated Lymphoma Action staff member
- Reasonable expenses reimbursed in line with Lymphoma Action's policy
- Access to resources, guidance, news and updates about volunteering with Lymphoma Action.

#### What you'll gain from volunteering with us

- Build your portfolio of photography work to support career aspirations
- Be part of our valued volunteer community, which is at the heart of our work
- Develop a deeper understanding of lymphoma and the work of a national charity
- Opportunities to expand your own experience and skills in photography
- Enhance your own wellbeing through connecting with others.

# **Next Steps**

Please complete our <u>Volunteer Enquiry Form</u>. A member of staff will be in touch to chat through your interest in this role. If you're looking to apply or have any questions, you can also contact the Volunteering Team by emailing **volunteering@lymphoma-action.org.uk** or calling **01296 619415**.