

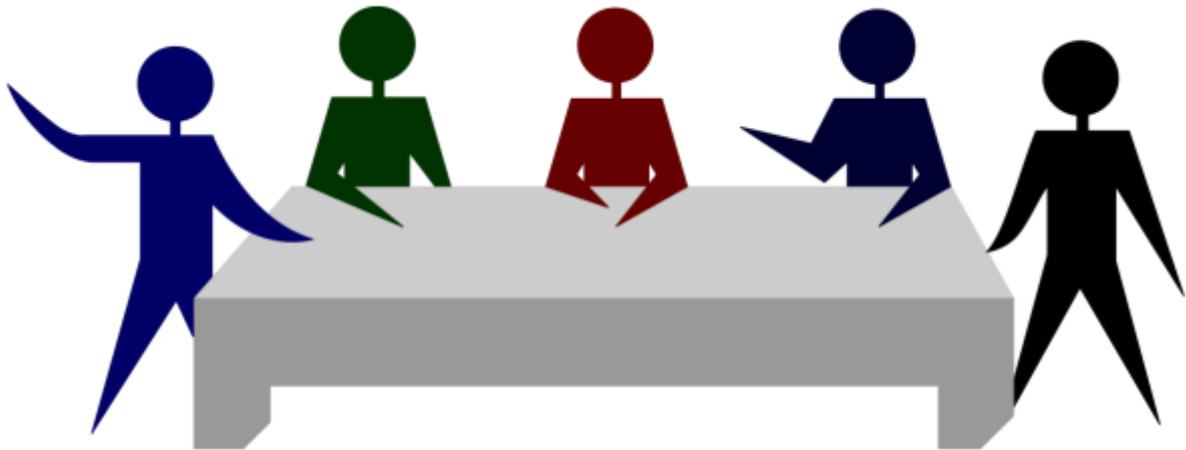


Charity Trustees Greater Manchester

Respect for All (RfA) is a unique and well-regarded charity providing and developing counselling services for autistic people and learning-disabled people in the Greater Manchester area. Our clients are under-served by mainstream services and benefit immensely from our personalised and understanding approach based on many years of experience in meeting the needs of over 300 people annually.

We are now seeking additional Trustees for the charity which has recently registered as a CIO (Charitable Incorporated Organisation). Your contribution will help us to develop the work of our charity across Greater Manchester.

About the Role



We seek Trustees who will add capacity and expertise to our team. Trustees who will want to support the mental well-being of learning-disabled people and autistic people, their families and carers through quality services, effective governance and delivering on the organisation's strategic goals.

We are looking for people with passion and enthusiasm for person-centred services, an open and caring culture and respect for clients and our counsellors who work well as part of a committed team. We'll need you to sit on at least one relevant sub-committee and lead on a specific area such as marketing, IT, community or staff engagement or clinical governance.

About You



At this time, RfA are particularly seeking applications from those with experience of:

- health and social care commissioning and contracting and funding flows, ideally in a mental health field
- information governance
- charity governance
- VCSE leadership ideally in the health and social care sector
- Understanding of autism and learning disability are particularly helpful

Time Commitment



The Trustee Board meet monthly for about 2 hours. Currently we are meeting via video conference.

Trustees are also asked to attend at least four practitioner's meeting per year and to contribute to additional ad hoc meetings to provide for specific needs as they arise. An example would be helping with interviewing new staff.

Application & Contact



We are particularly keen to achieve a more diverse board of trustees, and we welcome applications from all sections of the community to help us achieve a diverse trustee board that reflects our clients and communities.

There is further information on our website www.respectforall.org.uk, where you can view our annual reports.

We also welcome informal discussion.

Applications are welcome by CV and covering letter, setting out your motivation for becoming a Trustee and how your skills would support RfA.

The closing date is 30 November 2020, however we expect to be interviewing candidates on a rolling programme as we are keen to bring in new Trustees for the CIO from October 2020.

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