

Volunteer Vision eNewsletter

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We promote, recruit and support volunteers in making a positive difference to enhance patient experience and the quality of our services at LPT

Welcome to the Summer edition. We hope you enjoyed Volunteers' week, we really appreciate all that you do, and hope you enjoyed your Volunteer Thank You pack. We would love you to share how your sunflowers are growing!



Mandatory Training

The volunteering team are working at getting all volunteers in date with their mandatory training. Our online learning platform is uLearn and you should be able to access this by using the link <https://lptulearn.co.uk/login/index.php>.

In the section that says Sign in, please add your username (usually your email address) and then add your password. If you cannot remember your password, please click on forgotten Password which will send you an email to prompt you to change it.

Over the next few months, we will be in touch with everyone who needs to update their training. Two modules that need to be completed annually are Data Security and Awareness and Fire Safety Awareness, all the other modules need to be completed every 3 years.

There are also optional modules that you may want to complete which can be found on uLearn.

Coming soon.... We are in the process of introducing National Volunteer Certificate for all our Trust volunteers, this is a nationally recognised volunteer certificate.



Volunteer Handbook

Please find below link to the Trust Volunteer Handbook, The Handbook has a great deal of information that every volunteer should have access to and can also be found on the LPT website Volunteering page.

[LPT Volunteer Handbook](#)

Long Service
AWARD 

Long Service awards this year will be held at the Holiday Inn, Wigston on Friday, 14 July for afternoon tea. Those that qualify in 2022/2023 should have received their invitation with their long service badge and certificate.

Day in the Life of an LPT Volunteer—Pauline Heath



Pauline has volunteered in the Bradgate Unit for 24 years, and other than when covid restrictions prevented her volunteering, she has taken a weekly book trolley around the mental health adult wards at the Bradgate Unit.

She says she has always enjoyed the role and “giving back to the service for the help she received when she was unwell.”

Pauline’s fundraising efforts through taking donations for the books (all of the books she sourced through friends and neighbours) quickly grew and she has managed to buy many small extra items for the wards over the years.

Pauline’s final donation to LPTs charity Raising Health is over £500 and will be split equally across the Bradgate wards. Raising Health Manager Carolyn Pascoe was present to thank Pauline for her efforts.

Pauline has dedicated many years to her volunteering role and is a reliable and popular volunteer. Whilst she will no longer be going around the wards, she will be continuing her volunteering in a different capacity, by facilitating a weekly book trolley from the Involvement Centre. For further details on this please contact the Centre on 0116 225 2719.

Volunteering Opportunities

We have a number of volunteering opportunities available on our website <https://www.leicspart.nhs.uk/involving-you/volunteering> if you are interested in any of the roles, please do let us know.



We would love for you to share our volunteer opportunities with your family and friends.

Job Opportunities

We have many job opportunities at the Trust, here is the link to access all the different jobs that we have.

<https://www.leicspart.nhs.uk/jobs/>

To help you with employment Leicestershire Partnership Trust has a “Interview Preparation Skills” course available which you can access through our learning platform uLearn. This is an online course.

If you need to speak to a member of the Team here are our details:

Minaxi Patel:	07747758822
Justine Warner:	07990772189
Jane Richards:	07771772565
Transport Service:	07392316770

Volunteers’ access to StaffNet for latest LPT information

Website: <https://staffnet.leicspart.nhs.uk/>

username: Staffnetvolunteers@leicspart.nhs.uk

password:

Please remember to let us know when your personal details change (address, email or telephone number) so we can keep our records up to date.

Please also let us know when you don’t wish to volunteer with us anymore.

We are located in Unit 2, Bridge Park Plaza, Bridge Park Road, Thurmaston, Leicester, LE4 8PQ

For further information please tel: 0116 295 0918 or email us at lpt.volunteering@nhs.net

website at: www.leicspart.nhs.uk/volunteering