

Volunteer Role Profile



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BIG HELP OUT: Pet Food Bank Hero

Volunteer Manager

Blue Cross Volunteering Team

Where you will be based

Home

Why we want you

Blue Cross is helping people and pets in an unprecedented time of crisis. Nobody should have to make the heart-breaking decision to give up their pet because they can't afford to feed them. Pets are beloved family members, sometimes a persons' only friend. Our Blue Cross pet food banks are providing food and support for people and pets in need. Gathering donations of pet food and bedding will really help pets and their families in your community to stay together and get through the toughest of times.

What you will be doing

- Collecting donations for our pet food bank from your friends, family and neighbours
- Contacting your local Blue Cross site to arrange bringing in your donation
- Bringing your donations to our pet foodbank any day between 9th and 28th May
- We can accept donations of:
 - Unopened wet and dry cat and dog food (tins, trays, pouches, including specialist foods)
 - Unopened bags of cat litter
 - Unopened pet treats for dogs, cats and small animals like rabbits and hamsters
 - Unopened small animal pet food
 - Unopened small animal bedding

The skills you need

- The ability to transport your donations to your local Blue Cross site (sadly we don't have the ability to come and collect them)
- Confidence to share the amazing work Blue Cross food banks are doing with your family and friends

What's in it for you

- You'll be helping us to ensure no pet goes hungry
- You'll be relieving local families in your community of the worry of not being able to feed their pet
- You'll know you've made a difference to pets and people in need



Disclaimer

You'll need to be able to collect donations for our pet food bank and bring them to your local Blue Cross between 9th and 28th May 2023. You'll need to be 18 to register but the whole family can get involved with collecting your donations. After 28th May we may contact you to see if you may be interested in volunteering with us or to let you know how you could help Blue Cross in other ways. After you've registered you'll land on a home page with further information.

Blue Cross holds inclusion as a core organisational value. We positively encourage applications from eligible volunteers regardless of sex, race, disability, age, sexual orientation, gender status, religion or belief, marital status or pregnancy and maternity. We actively embrace our differences and know that it is our differences that make us unique. You are very welcome at Blue Cross, without the need to hide any part of who you are.