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# **Swindon & District Branch**

Over 42 years supporting those affected by Parkinson's in the Swindon Area

## **General Committee volunteer – Swindon & District Branch**

This is an 'all-rounder' role, which may involve:

- To help the Branch run smoothly.
- contributing ideas for fundraising, activities and speakers.
- sharing experiences with the committee and connecting with the local community.
- meeting & greeting, helping to prepare for and clear up after group meetings.
- Committee members will be expected to have an individual role.

#### **Expectations:**

5 - 10 hours a month, mainly home based with a monthly committee meeting in Swindon's Tesco Ocotal Way Community Room, normally on the first Tuesday of each month from 7 to 9pm, fundraising activities and monthly social meetings and events.

### Where Property

Supporting those affected by Parkinson's in Swindon & wider surrounding district

## You will:

- Forge new friendships and meet new people, both in the branch and in the local community.
- Gain valuable organisational and people skills.
- do something useful and meaningful for your community and people who are affected by Parkinson's in your area.

# In order to fulfil this role, you will:

- Be a good communicator, as you will be working with a wide range of different people, using various IT skills.
- Be collaborative and team focused, as you will take part in regular meetings and discussions.
- Be motivated and reliable, and able to travel to different venues. e.g. If the pub lunch event organiser.

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#### Other information

Minimum age 18

#### Disclaimer

It's important that people affected by Parkinson's can trust us with their personal information. To undertaking this as a Branch Committee Volunteer you will need to complete the Parkinson's UK Advanced Data Protection training. Your Parkinson's UK staff contact can help you do this.

### To find out more or apply for the role:

Please read the role description fully prior to completing the application pack or If you would like to know more about the role before applying please contact our Branch Parkinson's Network Support Officer Jane Henderson, whose details are below. Also application packs can be obtained from Jane and also submitted.

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