

Volunteer Role: DIY & Maintenance

What is this role?	<p>There are a few aspects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Using a specific skill that you have such as plumbing or electrics. - Assessing maintenance issues and suggesting a course of action (DIY fix or contractor) - Undertake DIY tasks at a house - Organise a group of volunteers from your church/group to do a day of DIY together e.g. decorating a room in liaison with Boaz Trust
How much time will it take up?	<p>This is a personal choice but ideally it will be a commitment for at least 3-4 hours per week/fortnight to be given during normal office hours, on the whole at least and certainly in the early stages.</p>
Where would I be volunteering?	<p>On site in our houses across the city.</p>
What are Boaz looking for?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Someone with a decent level of skill in DIY or a specific trade. - Someone who is comfortable meeting and engaging with clients who may be in the house when working - Ideally you would have your own tools or access to them.
Support, supervision and training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Boaz Induction covering who we are, how we work, who we work with and how we'd like you to work with us. - The Volunteer Manager is always available and will regularly review your volunteering with you to make sure you are happy in the role. - You would be introduced to a house or some houses to 'adopt' - The Supported Housing Manager would be your supervisor for jobs undertaken and available to help with queries (the idea is that usually you would work at the property unsupervised with phone support available)
What will I get out of it?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The satisfaction of helping provide comfortable accommodation for clients - Using your skills and know how where it will be really appreciated - Potential to develop in the role to work with clients to teach them new skills
Further information	<p>Travel and materials expenses provided</p>

Interested? Then we'd love to hear from you. Simply complete our Volunteer Application Form (being sure to complete the section on which role you're applying for) and return it us at volunteer@boaztrust.org.uk or Volunteer Manager, 1st Floor, 110 Oldham Road, Manchester M4 6AG.

If we think you and the role could be a good match we'll ask you in for a relaxed chat and take it from there. We look forward to hearing from you.

NB. We are unable to take on any volunteer without satisfactory references.

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