Domestic Abuse Easy-Read Developer:
Volunteer Role

Purpose of the role

WISER (Women in Safe and Empowering Relationships) is a programme for women with learning disabilities who wish to know more about domestic abuse. Women are likely to be survivors of domestic abuse themselves, either in previous relationships or current ones. As part of our intervention, we will be producing easy-read documents around domestic abuse for women, support services and professionals to access.

The Domestic Abuse Easy-Read Developer will assist the project co-ordinator in the production and publication of such documents, which will be distributed locally and nationally.

Responsibilities

- ✓ Assist with the development of easy-read materials
- ✓ Conduct appropriate research into further documents that need to be adapted
- ✓ Carry out occasional website development tasks

Time Commitment

This role requires the commitment of a minimum of 2 hours per week.

Desired skills and attributes:

- ✓ Proficient in the use of Microsoft Publisher
- ✓ Ability to carry out website development tasks, although there will be opportunities for training in this area
- ✓ A knowledge of learning disabilities and total communication is desirable
- ✓ Self-motivated, organised and able to work independently

Benefits of the role

- ✓ Regular training and development opportunities
- ✓ The opportunity to be credited on published documentation
- ✓ The opportunity to gain experience in health and social care services
- ✓ An excellent opportunity to develop new and existing skills
- ✓ The opportunity to build a portfolio of your training, skills, experience and qualities
- ✓ Opportunity to improve future employment prospects
- ✓ Work can be conducted from home