**Awareness Volunteer**

**Team:** Community and Events

**Responsible to:** Community Fundraising Assistant

**Time commitment:** Flexible dependant on volunteer’s availability

Pancreatic cancer is the UK’s fifth biggest cancer killer. 10,000 people are newly diagnosed each year. Currently only five percent of those diagnosed survive beyond five years.

Pancreatic Cancer Action aims to improve the survival of men and women diagnosed with pancreatic cancer by raising awareness of symptoms and risk factors, funding research into early diagnosis, campaigning for more funding and providing patients with information and support.

We are looking for Awareness volunteers to provide a voice for the charity at fairs and events. They will work alongside our community ambassadors. The awareness volunteers will help us in raising awareness of pancreatic cancer and Pancreatic Cancer Action.

**What the role involves:**

- Holding awareness stands and occasionally giving short talks.
- Help supporters on their awareness stands
- Disseminate our bespoke information to Pharmacies and GP surgeries

**Who are we looking for?**

Anyone can apply to be an Awareness volunteer however these skills and attributes will help in this role.

- Confident communication skills with individuals and groups
- Ability to work on own initiative
- Good organisational skills
- Reliable and professional demeanour

**What can we offer you?**

- Resources to help you carry out your role
- Ongoing support from the community fundraising assistant
- Regular updates about the charity and the difference you are helping us make
- Access to our Awareness volunteer Facebook page where you receive immediate updates and share ideas and stories with fellow reps.