

CHERNOBYL CHILDREN'S PROJECT (UK)

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Sanatorium volunteer

Role description

- Your role is to provide **an enjoyable and stimulating holiday** for the children/young people by; planning and organising activities to cater for a wide range of disabilities, taking special care to engage those who may not put themselves forward. For some of the children, the opportunity to have one to one interaction is the highlight of the holiday.
- Be sensitive to the needs/wishes of the children's carers. Inform them if you are taking a child somewhere and be aware of cultural differences between England and Belarus.
- Be a good and positive representative of the charity at all times.

Person Specification

Essential Criteria

- Desire to make a difference to the lives of children with disabilities in Belarus
- Energy and enthusiasm– this role requires you to be active and on your feet all day with the children
- Strong communication skills
- Ability to work as a member of a team and take direction from your Group Leader
- Ability to use initiative and come up with appropriate activities for children with a wide range of needs
- Experience of working/volunteering with children and/or vulnerable adults
- Prepared to raise or pay £450 minimum to cover the cost of your trip (any extra will help us to fund a holiday for a young adult from an institution)

Desirable Criteria (don't let this put you off)

- Experience of supporting people with disabilities
- Experience of moving and handling people with physical disabilities
- Experience of supporting people with personal care
- Knowledge of Russian