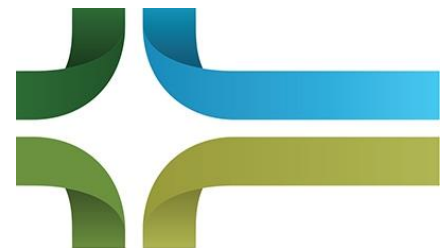


# Finding Volunteers using



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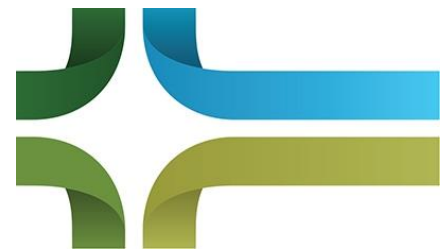
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# Who already uses it?

**Is there  
anything that  
would make  
it better?**

**What do  
you find  
useful  
about it?**



# How does it work?



## Organisations

Whether you are an organisation already working with volunteers or are just setting up your volunteer programme, we can offer support and advice on recruiting and supporting your volunteers.

### Volunteering Mini-Menu

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## NEWS Volunteer Connect is now live

Login / Register

Register from our website  
[www.northumberlandcva.org.uk](http://www.northumberlandcva.org.uk)  
Make a note of your password

Once registered  
log in from here to  
access  
VCConnect



Manage your Roles

Edit Profile

Add/Edit Roles

Volunteer Bank

Once logged in you can Add new Volunteer Roles or manage existing ones by clicking here

You can add a new role here

## Managing your roles

Be sure to check your role is still live by reviewing the end date

Add Role

### Open Roles

Role Title	Description	Advert Start	Advert End
Assisted Shopping Volunteer	Volunteers are needed to assist elderly and /or disabled individuals to access a variety of services. Clients are collected by mini-bus from their homes sometime after 10am, arriving at Cramlington shopping centre at approximately 11.30am. The mini-bus leaves the shopping centre at 1.30pm delivering clients back to their homes, before returning to Ashington no later than 3pm.	14/12/2016	10/01/2019

To find out which Volunteers match your role and to manage your Volunteer invites click here

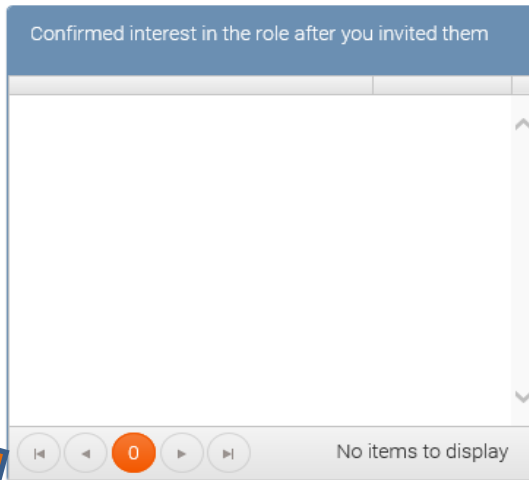
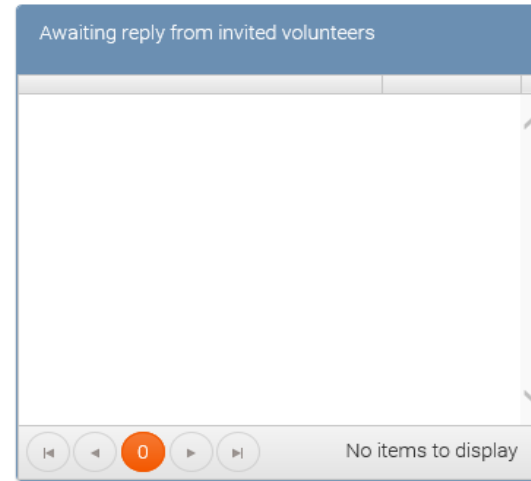
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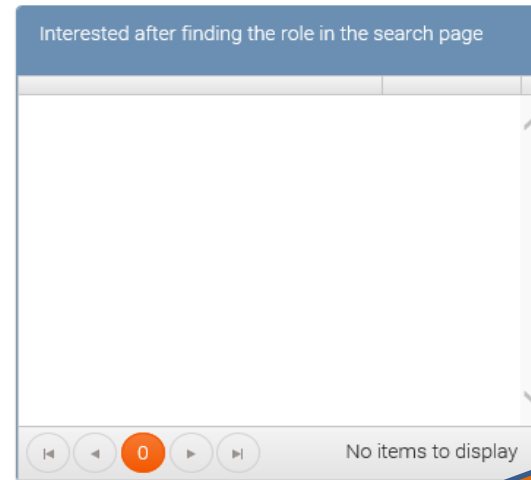
In this section you will have a list of Volunteers that VC Connect has matched your opportunity with. You can invite them to apply by clicking on their name.



You can keep track of Potential Volunteers you've invited to apply here.



When an invited Volunteer has shown an interest in your role their name will appear here.




If a Volunteer has found your opportunity whilst searching the database their name will show up here so you can get in contact with them.



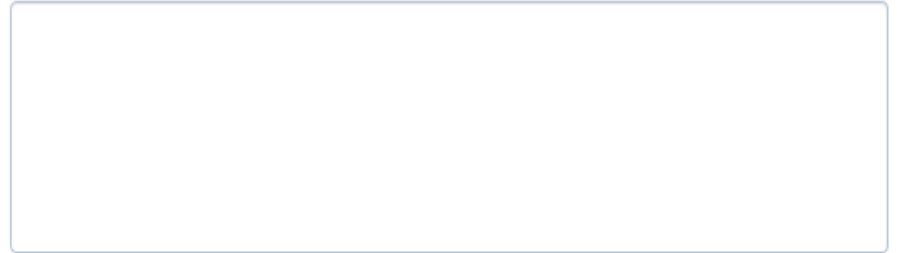
VC Connect is designed so that your initial contact with a potential volunteer will be done through the system. Once you have sent them a message it's up to them to respond.

## Invite volunteer to apply for: Trustee / Board Member

Message From Volunteer



Message To Volunteer



Invite to Apply

Back

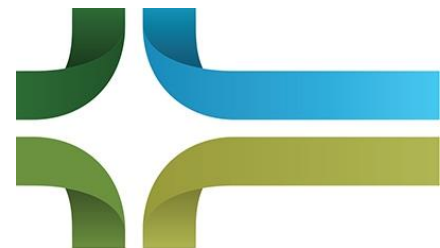
Disassociate this volunteer from this opportunity

Sometimes you don't get a reply from a potential Volunteer! Don't be disheartened! They might have changed their mind or chosen another opportunity!



# What are the benefits?

- It's free.
- It's easy.
- It matches Volunteers to your opportunities.
- If you type "Volunteering in Northumberland" into the web browser it's the first website that comes up.
- You are in control of managing your Opportunities.
- Its useful to advertise Volunteer roles in as many places as possible.
- Organisations tell me they have got some of their best Volunteers by using VC Connect.



# So why not give it a go?

<http://www.northumberlandcva.org.uk/>

