

Event volunteer - Walk For A Cure

Alzheimer's Research UK is the UK's leading dementia research charity. We believe that medical research can and will deliver life-changing preventions, treatments and one day, a cure for dementia.

Why we want you

Walk For A Cure is an event for everyone impacted by dementia. A cure is within our grasp, together we can make it happen. In supporting this event, volunteers will be creating a platform through which friends & family can gather, share and make a lasting difference to dementia for future generations.

What you will be doing

Please see the general [Event volunteer role description](#) for the types of activities you may be asked to do in this role. Specifically, at this event, your role could be:

- **Greeter** – welcoming walkers to the event village, generating a positive atmosphere, and helping to bring a warm personality to the day's event.
- **Route and/or Start/Finish Marshal** – guiding walkers along the route, ensuring safety of walkers at crossings and junctions. Or supporting the start and handing out water and medals at the finish.
- **Sweep Marshal** – following behind final walkers and checking in with route marshals. Liaison with event organisers where necessary.
- **Event Village** – helping with arrival and registration, handing out t-shirts, and supporting event village activities, e.g. assisting with public engagement stalls/stands.
- **Photographer** – capturing action shots to showcase the feel of the event (in multiple locations).

Where and when

You will be needed for a full day (9am-4pm) on: Saturday 8th July in London (Lee Valley Park) or Sunday 23rd July in Harrogate (The Stray) or Sunday 30th July in Edinburgh (Holyrood Park).

The skills you need

Please see the general [Event volunteer role description](#) for the skills we usually require for this type of role. Specifically, at this event, we require:

- Passion for the cause of Alzheimer's Research UK.
- People skills; an enjoyment of working with others.
- An organised team player and good communicator.

The benefits for you

Please see the general [Event Volunteer role description](#) for how we believe you will benefit from being involved. In addition to our usual benefits, at this event you'll specifically benefit from:

- A new event volunteering opportunity alongside people from your local community.
- A fun and organised day out with like-minded people, passionate about finding a cure.
- Understanding of charity sector sporting events and experience to add to your CV.
- Playing a key part in successful event delivery and a positive participant experience.

You will also be reimbursed for reasonable out-of-pocket expenses.

The next step

To apply online, please visit: alzheimersresearchuk.org/volunteering/event-volunteer

If you have any questions about this role please contact the volunteering team by email: volunteer@alzheimersresearchuk.org or telephone 0300 111 5555.

For further details visit our website: www.alzheimersresearchuk.org/volunteer