

Are you an Allied Health Professional (eg. Speech and Language Therapist, Physiotherapist, Occupational therapist) working in Buckinghamshire?	Do you currently work with volunteers in your role?	If yes, please provide details:	Please share any voluntary agencies or sources of volunteers you use to support the patients/services users/residents of Buckinghamshire you work with	Please describe any ways in which a volunteer role or volunteer activity could directly support your patients/service users/residents and enhance use of, or free up your own time?	Please describe any ways in which a volunteer role or volunteer activity could help you in your role supporting patients/services users/residents?	Please describe any ways in which a volunteer role or volunteer activity could maximise AHPs leading integration between health and social care? (For example, the transition between hospital and c...	Please share any other additional information or ideas you have about potential volunteer role/activities:	Please indicate your role	Please specify which AHP role you are if you selected "other AHP" above:	Please indicate which sector you work in?	Please state the team you work in:
Yes	Yes	In admin roles, activity roles on wards e.g. Community hospital, Stroke services, Olympic lodge	Internal volunteers	Occupation - games, hand co-ordination Orientation - newspapers, awareness, communication Horticulture in Stroke services, games in a therapeutic format with goals for patients These are shown to help patients recover more quickly physically and psychologically as contributes to wellbeing and engagement.	As above but potentially with qualified staff involved	Support more psychologically on discharge home and reduce feelings of isolation - talking to someone, getting shopping, encourage to leave the house if physically able, introduce to others in local area		Occupational Therapist		Healthcare (eg BHT/NHS)	Acute OT - hospital mainly
Yes	No		Don't know how to get ahold them and haven't seen any on the wards	Reduce loneliness in patients Help settle them if wandering	Not sure, it would be good for someone from volunteer service to discuss what their role is and what they are able to do not able to do to us	Not sure, it would be good for someone from volunteer service to discuss what their role is and what they are able to do not able to do to us	Play games Talk with patients Complete their prescribed exercises with them in bed or chair Look through photos with patient Orientate them	Occupational Therapist		Healthcare (eg BHT/NHS)	Medicine
Yes	No		Previously used sport in mind and pets as therapy.	Increased rehab minutes	More rehab, better outcomes	Help with DADLS - food shopping Increased social support - befriending Increased engagement in leisure activities		Occupational Therapist		Healthcare (eg BHT/NHS)	
Yes	No		We don't currently	Unsure - we do not currently use volunteers	Unsure - we do not currently use volunteers	Unsure - we do not currently use volunteers		Occupational Therapist		Healthcare (eg BHT/NHS)	T&O
Yes	No		We don't	o	Possibly by putting away equipment, stocking the peripheral store, helping with transporting equipment to ward once prescribed. Admin such as making sure there are sufficient assessment / Toc forms in the filing cabinet / weekend file	o		Occupational Therapist		Healthcare (eg BHT/NHS)	
Yes	No		Age UK	You could have volunteer Activity coordinators on the ward. Such as Quizzees, current affairs discussion to keep patient's engaged while on the ward.	Support OT & PT within group work.	N/A		Occupational Therapist		Healthcare (eg BHT/NHS)	Occupational Therapy
No - Thank you for your interest, however the focus of this survey is for AHPs working in Buckinghamshire											
Yes	Yes	We have a volunteer who is responsible for helping us with photocopying and filing. They come once a week.	Currently we don't use any other voluntary services.	We previously had a volunteer to help and support a member of staff who was starting a new service of which the volunteer was familiar with. This provided the member of staff with confidence to then develop the service and now is managing this independently.	Volunteers who are confident and able to help with admin is a great help. photocopying, filing, calling the department run a bit more smoothly.	Working predominantly in an outpatient department there aren't so much liaison with social care.		Occupational Therapist		Healthcare (eg BHT/NHS)	
Yes	No		Parkinson's UK - many volunteers visit the service to discuss how they can support our service	provide information to patient's about Parkinson's and the resources available to help as well as groups in the community for people to attend.	Could help with data entry and the running of groups.	Volunteers from Parkinson's UK could help to provide information to patients and relatives when we are running clinics.		Occupational Therapist		Healthcare (eg BHT/NHS)	Drake Therapy Rehab Service