



## Event Volunteer

Ataxia is an umbrella term for a group of neurological disorders that affect balance, co-ordination, and speech. There are many different types of ataxia that affect people in different ways. Ataxia is a rare condition, with approximately 10,000 adults and 500 children living with a progressive form of ataxia. Ataxia UK is the only leading national charity for people affected by any type of ataxia. We fund research into finding treatments and cures, and offer advice, information, and support to people affected by the condition.

**Volunteer Role:** Ataxia UK Event Volunteer

**Service:** Events & Community Fundraising

**Supported by:** Events & Community Fundraising Manager & Intern, The Services Team

**Where:** Across the UK, event dependent

**Commitment:** You can commit to a time that works for you - A few hours/the whole day of the event

**Training:** As part of your volunteer onboarding - Equality & Diversity Training, Safeguarding, Health & Safety

### **Objectives:**

To support and encourage our event participants along their marathon/cycling route.

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www.ataxia.org.uk Ataxia UK is a Charity registered in Scotland (SC040607) & England & Wales (1102391); & Limited Company (4974832)

### **The skills you need:**

- Engaging & friendly nature
- Team Player
- Enthusiastic

### **What you will be doing:**

- Meeting our event participants
- Cheering them on while they pass a cheering point, along the event route
- Taking photos
- Having lots of fun 😊

### **In return, as an Ataxia UK volunteer, we will offer you:**

- Induction learning
- Great addition to your CV
- Make a real difference for people living ataxia
- Support from the Services Team & Events and Community Fundraising Team to fulfil your role
- Travel reimbursement & a meal on the day  
Depending on the event, travel expenses incurred would be covered within the M25.  
Plus lunch & refreshments if volunteering for whole day

### **For further information, please contact:**

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