



Volunteer Role Description

Role Title:	Complementary Therapist
Responsible to:	Dee Riley Head of Day Therapies
Location:	St John's Hospice
Purpose of Role:	To deliver a high quality service to patients, carers and staff providing gentle complementary therapies.
When Role to be Carried out:	Variable, by arrangement with Complementary Therapy Co-ordinator
DBS Requirement	Enhanced (This is a free service)

Main Responsibilities:

- Hold a Level 3 recognised qualification in two of the following therapies:-
Massage
Aromatherapy
Indian Head Massage
Reflexology
Reiki
(Other therapies may be considered)
- Maintain registration of professional body, e.g. FHT, Balens etc
- Hold professional indemnity insurance.
- Maintain accurate written records.
- To be willing to work as a member of the Hospice team and follow procedures.
- Be sensitive to environment in which you will be working.

General Responsibilities:

- Complete all essential training sessions appropriate to your role, as required.
- Maintain confidentiality at all times, which includes, patients, relatives, staff and volunteers.
- Ensure all Health & Safety rules are adhered to.
- Arrive for your role on time.
- Develop and maintain excellent working relationships with Staff and Volunteers.

What training will be provided?

- St John's Hospice Volunteer Induction prior to starting
- St John's Hospice Essential Training for Volunteers booklet every 2 years
- Further training as required