Role description

Is this role on-going: Yes (voluntary) – Minimum 1 year commitment
Previous training needed: No
Reporting to: Community Engagement Officer/Community Education Officer

Purpose of role and overview
• To act as an advocate of Jami within your synagogue / community (in or outside of London)
• To put forward Jami for any fundraising opportunities and promote Jami’s activities, events and education programme
• To mark awareness days such as Jami’s annual Mental Health Awareness Shabbat within your community
• More than 1 person at a synagogue / community is welcome to be a Jami Ambassador

Skills and expertise
• Passion for raising awareness of mental health
• A confident communicator, friendly and approachable
• Ability to set clear boundaries and signpost where necessary – training will be provided
• Good organisational skills
• Commitment to attend the mandatory training sessions (more details below)

Ambassador training and support
• Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) and role-specific training will be provided and is mandatory for all Ambassadors
• Ambassadors to be given a regular, up to date insight into the work of Jami and our services
• Ambassadors are welcome to attend any other Jami volunteer training
• Jami volunteer appreciation events
• Online/in person meetings 2-3 times a year, which will be a space for peer support, co-reflection and an opportunity to reinforce any key messaging or address any issues
• Yearly one on one review with the volunteering service to share feedback and decide whether to commit for a further year

Application information
The Jami Ambassador application can be found online at www.jamiuk.org/ambassador
All ambassadors will be required to go through the Jami volunteer recruitment steps including a DBS check. The Ambassador application should be endorsed by two members of your community/synagogue (Rabbi/Chairperson/Board). Please provide details of your endorsers through the online application form in the spaces provided.

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