Volunteer role description

Ivrit Teacher volunteer

Organisation

Jami is a mental health charity that enriches and saves lives impacted by mental illness in the Jewish community.

Since the start of the pandemic, demand for our services has grown exponentially. In 2021 we undertook a thorough review of the needs of the community, to develop a new strategy that will secure the Jewish community’s mental health provision. The new strategy sets out a huge agenda for change in scale and provision, which will be developed over the next five years while we continue to run our diverse set of highly professional mental health services:

- Advice and advocacy
- Treatment and support
- Education and campaigning

Jami currently supports over 1,400 individuals, delivering almost 50,000 separate service interactions each year, and reaches thousands more people through education, seminars, work in schools and other organisations. Through our social enterprise community café, Head Room, we raise mental health awareness while delivering mental health support on the high street.

Role Purpose

We are looking for a volunteer to teach a class of clients and staff Hebrew at a beginner’s level. The lesson will take place over zoom. The aim of the role would be to deliver an engaging, and informative lesson, lasting no more than an hour, which is inclusive and educational.
The person
For this role you will need to:

• Have a qualification in Hebrew learning
• Have an interest in and awareness of mental health
• Facilitation experience
• Strong presenting skills
• Create a positive and supporting environment
• Listening, communication and organisational skills
• Be reliable, trustworthy, and honest
• Have a caring and non-judgemental approach
• Be flexible
• Able to represent Jami’s values and lead through example
• Ability to develop and deliver content for the group
• Engage with training, support, and supervision when necessary
• Ability to use zoom

We can offer you

• Full and ongoing training
• Flexible days and hours
• Ongoing support, reviews, and supervision
• Networking and social events

What we need

• DBS check
• Acceptable references
• 12-month commitment, 1 hour per week

We welcome applications from Jewish and non-Jewish volunteers and from across the full spectrum of the community.

How to apply

To apply for the role, please email Hannah.rosenberg@jamiuk.org