

How Volunteering can help you into employment

75% of employers say that volunteers stand out from the crowd.* Volunteering is a great way to:

- Increase your self confidence
- Try something new
- Obtain up to date references
- Gain 'work' experience for your CV
- Provide structure to your week
- Receive 'on-the-job' training
- Meet new people and network
- Enjoy yourself!

Some organisations may offer the chance to gain qualifications through your volunteering.

If you are looking to volunteer as a way of moving on into employment, there are lots of organisations that would appreciate your time!



Please contact your local Volunteer Centre for more info about MOVE

Voluntary Centre Services

www.voluntarycentreservices.org.uk

North Kesteven T: 01529 308450
The Old Mart
Church Lane E: northkesteven@voluntarycentreservices.org.uk
Sleaford NG34 7DF

Lincoln T: 01522 551683
c/o City Hall
Beaumont Fee E: Lincoln@voluntarycentreservices.org.uk
Lincoln LN1 1DF

West Lindsey T: 01427 613470
c/o Guildhall
Marshall's Yard E: westlindsey@voluntarycentreservices.org.uk
Gainsborough
DN21 2NA

Lincolnshire Community and Voluntary Service

www.lincolnshirecvs.org.uk



Boston For all enquiries, tel: 01205 510888 and select the option
The Len Medlock Voluntary Centre, St Georges Road, Boston PE21 8YB

South Kesteven
c/o SKDC
St Peter's Hill, Grantham NG31 6PZ

South Holland
c/o Tonic Health, 6 Broadgate House, Westlode Street, Spalding PE11 2AF

East Lindsey
c/o ELDC, Tedder Hall, Manby Park, Manby LN11 8UP

Voluntary Action North Lincolnshire

www.vanl.org.uk

4-6 Robert Street, Scunthorpe DN15 6NG
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E: enquiries@vanl.org.uk

Voluntary Action North East Lincolnshire

www.vanel.org.uk

The Willows, 23 Bargate GRIMSBY, North East Lincolnshire
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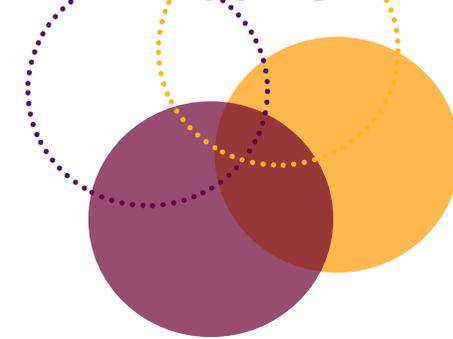


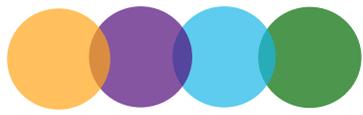
Greater Lincolnshire MOVE

Moving On: Volunteering & Employability



How Lincolnshire's Volunteer Centres could help you get into work

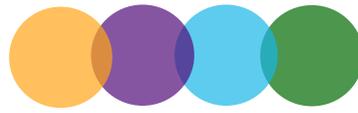




What is Greater Lincolnshire MOVE?

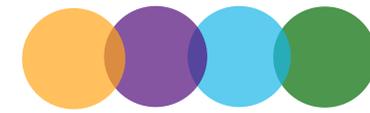
MOVE is a 3-year project aiming to help people into paid work. It is completely free, and independent of Job Centre Plus: participation is not mandatory, and you cannot be sanctioned if you decide it's not for you.

A network of 24 organisations are working together across the whole of Lincolnshire, North and North East Lincolnshire – not just in the city and the bigger towns. Financial help is available for travel, childcare and respite care costs, making it even easier to take part. It's not just about sending you on a course and then leaving you to it: you will have ongoing support from an advisor who will be there every step of the way as you identify what you would like to do, and how to do it. Your advisor can make referrals to other partner organisations, so you can benefit from a wide range of learning, skills and work-related activities.



What can MOVE offer you?

- Confidential, one-to-one support from a MOVE advisor
- Help to set and achieve your goals
- Training and qualifications
- Employability support, including CV writing, application form help and practice interviews
- Job clubs and help with job searches
- Gain work experience and an up to date reference through volunteering
- Transferable and practical skills development
- Ongoing support, even after you start work, volunteering or training
- Access to 'My Work Search', an online employment skills, training and job search programme



Getting started with MOVE

If you think MOVE could help you, please contact your local Volunteer Centre. These are based in:

- Lincoln
- Sleaford
- Gainsborough
- Scunthorpe
- Grimsby
- Boston
- Spalding
- Manby
- Grantham

Contact details are on the back of this leaflet.

Once you get in touch we will invite you in for a chat so that you can find out a bit more about what we can offer. If you decide that you want to take part, we will check your eligibility and then work with you to identify your work goals, and plan how we can achieve them together. You will be in control of what services you decide to use – we won't make you do anything you're not comfortable with.