



BHN Volunteer Barber role description

Bristol Hospitality Network runs a drop-in 'Welcome Centre' every Monday for asylum seekers and those with immigration issues. The drop-in is a welcoming space where our members can access immigration advice, learn new skills and get a hot meal.

As part of this we offer free haircuts for men.

Location: Easton Christian Family Centre, Beaufort Road, BS5 0SQ

Commitment: Mondays from 9.30am until 12.45pm - you are welcome to stay for lunch and for our volunteer debrief at 1.45pm. You will also need to attend 2 volunteer trainings (3 hours each).

We are seeking a dedicated, committed barber to join our team at the Volunteer drop-in. You will have the opportunity to showcase and practice your skills while providing top-notch grooming services to our members. A good haircut makes people feel renewed and fresh - you will be truly giving something back to the community by offering your services in this way.

Your responsibilities will include:

- Performing barbering services including haircuts and skinfades
- Consulting with clients as best you can across language barriers to understand their grooming preferences
- Maintaining and organising the queue for haircuts, in line with BHN principles of fairness & equity
- Maintaining cleanliness and organization of the work area, including sanitizing tools and equipment and tidying up the area after use
- Attending our volunteer training to understand BHN's values, approach to Diversity & Inclusion and the boundaries that we ask our Volunteers to uphold at the Drop-in Space
- Cooperating with the Drop-in Coordinator and Volunteer Co-ordinator to support the smooth running of the Welcome Centre

Requirements:

- Proven experience as a barber
- Strong proficiency in a wide range of barbering techniques, including clipper cuts and fades



- Exceptional customer service skills with the ability to engage and communicate effectively with people from a range of backgrounds, who speak different languages and have varying levels of English
- Demonstrated ability to work well within a team and contribute to a positive and energetic work environment.
- Commitment to creating an environment free of discrimination where people are treated fairly regardless of their country of origin, refugee status, ethnicity, religious background, sexuality or gender.

If you're interested, please email cait@bhn.org.uk [Volunteer Coordinator] to express your interest or fill out an application form [here](#).

In your email, please tell us about yourself and any relevant experience and qualifications.