

RSPCA Volunteer Driver

Do you enjoy driving?

Would you like to help our Animal Welfare Team by helping to transport animals in need?

If you have a valid driving licence, some spare time during weekdays and live in or around our branch area, then you could support our vital work by moving animals as required.

Our volunteer drivers get to meet lots of different RSPCA staff and volunteers and also meet other animal care professionals in their local area. You'll also get a buzz by knowing your actions are helping animals.

The RSPCA North West London and South Hertfordshire Branch

The, North West London and South Hertfordshire branch is one of the branches of RSPCA, but we are a separately registered charity looking after animals in our local area. Much of the animal welfare work of RSPCA is carried out through local branches.

Why we need you

It's our vision to live in a world where all animals are respected and treated with compassion. Our volunteers are incredible, they play an essential role in helping us carry out our important animal welfare work every day.

Volunteer drivers support the vital work of the branch by transporting animals to and from vets, private boarding establishments and hospitals as required and directed by their local team.

What you will be doing

- Transporting small animals, such as cats, kittens, rabbits, to and from the vets, private boarding establishments, animal centres and hospitals as required and guided by our health and safety guidelines. This may involve lifting animals of various sizes and weight
- Ensuring that RSPCA rules and regulations are complied with
- Carrying out a small amount of administrative work, such as completing mileage returns
- Undertaking appropriate training as directed by our team
- Using Branch equipment to transport the animals such as cages

The skills you need

- Drivers must have a valid driving licence, insurance and their own vehicle
- Drivers should be able to lift animals in and out of the vehicle safely if required
- Volunteers must be aged 18 or over

What's in it for you

- Meet new people and make new friends
- Learn great new skills to add to your CV
- A great induction and training relevant to your role
- Volunteer in a fun environment at the heart of the local community
- You'll be making a huge difference to the welfare of animals

Requirements for the role / additional information

1. We're looking for people aged 18 years or over
2. You will use your own vehicle, which must be roadworthy, taxed, have a valid MOT if applicable, and be insured. You must inform your insurer that you will be volunteering as a driver
3. We require a regular commitment during weekdays and/or weekends
4. You will receive an induction and specific training for the role
5. You will have the support of the Animal Welfare team at RSPCA North West London and South Hertfordshire Branch
6. A reference can be requested after 4 months continuous volunteering
7. A DBS check is not required
8. We are happy to reimburse any reasonable travel expenses you may incur whilst volunteering with us
9. Our voluntary roles are subject to an informal interview with the RSPCA and a trial period. You may need to sign an agreement

How to apply

1. Visit [volunteering | Volunteer Hub | H4ALL](#) and download or print an application form OR Email volunteerhub@h4all.org.uk to request an application form to be sent to you by email or post.
2. Send your completed form by email to volunteerhub@h4all.org.uk OR post to H4ALL, Volunteer Development Team, Key House, Yiewsley, UB7 9BQ.
3. Call 01895-676-111 to speak to a member of the H4ALL volunteering team in person.