# Community Group Treasurer

Blood cancer UK



## Why volunteer at Blood Cancer UK?

We started because of Susan; we'll get there because of you.

Blood Cancer UK was started by one family who lost their daughter, Susan, to blood cancer, and that history and sense of family continues to shape who we are today. When you join Blood Cancer UK, you don't just become a volunteer – you become part of a collaborative community dedicated to funding research into beating blood cancer that includes some of the most inspiring people you'll ever meet.

And we're not that far away from beating blood cancer. We're confident we can do it within the next generation, and this makes us hugely ambitious and gives us a sense of real urgency. It also means we're changing quickly as an organisation as we constantly challenge ourselves and strive to become more and more effective.

Blood Cancer UK offers the chance to volunteer alongside, and support people affected by blood cancer, while providing opportunities to develop new skills, take on exciting challenges, and make a meaningful impact. What do we do?

Fund world-class research

Raise of blood cancer

awareness

Since 1960 we have invested more than £500 million in blood cancer research in the UK. Where we've invested, survival rates and quality of life have improved.

You can read more about what we do on our website here: **About Blood Cancer UK** 





#### About the role:

Every year, over 40,000 people in the UK are diagnosed with blood cancer. Research is crucial for better treatments, improved care, and, ultimately, a cure—and our Community Groups play a vital role in making this happen.

We're expanding our Community Groups across the UK, reaching more people and strengthening support for those affected by blood cancer. As a Community Group Treasurer, you don't need to be an accountant—just comfortable managing funds and working with a team. You'll be part of a passionate group helping raise funds, increase awareness, and bring people together in your local community.

### Key activities:

As a Community Group Treasurer, you'll be responsible for:

- Keep track of funds raised and remit to Blood Cancer UK in a timely manner.
- Share simple updates with the group on fundraising progress.
- Help ensure donations make the biggest impact.
- Work with the Group Lead and Secretary to support events and activities

#### Location of the role:

This role will support your local blood cancer community group, wherever you feel you can make the most impact.

### How much time will you need to give?:

This role is completely flexible—you can give as much or as little time as you're able to. Typically, it might involve a few hours a month

### About you – what skills, experience and qualities will you need for the role?:

We welcome volunteers from all backgrounds! You might be a great fit if you are:

- Organised and detail-focused Comfortable keeping track of finances and maintaining simple records.
- Reliable and responsible Happy to manage funds with care and transparency.
- A team player Enjoy working with others to achieve shared goals and offer support.
- Friendly and approachable Feel comfortable sharing updates and representing Blood Cancer UK in your community.
- Passionate about making a difference Want to help improve the lives of those affected by blood cancer.

### How you will make a difference:

By hosting a collection, you'll help fund life-saving research to develop cures, improve treatment, and prevent blood cancer. Every event brings us closer to beating blood cancer, and every penny counts:

- £150 analyses 120 blood cell samples, driving breakthroughs.
- £210 provides expert information to everyone diagnosed today.
- £500 funds a research nurse for three days, supporting patients through treatment.

Your support helps us reach more people, faster — and changes lives.



Benefits of volunteering with Blood Cancer UK

### Connect with others

Network with other volunteers who share your commitment

### Develop new skills

Gain valuable experience and learn new skills

## Join a supportive team

Be part of a friendly, passionate, and dedicated community

### Make a difference

Help improve the lives of people affected by blood cancer

## Inclusive, respectful environment

Join a diverse organisation where you are valued

### Represent Blood Cancer UK

Be an ambassador in your community

## See your impact

Receive regular updates showing the difference your Support makes

## Boost your wellbeing

Enjoy improved confidence and personal growth

## Expense reimbursement

Get reimbursed for pre-arranged volunteer activity expenses

## Ongoing support

Receive continuous support from your Volunteer Point of Contact

## Access to training

Benefit from an online
Volunteer Information
Centre for induction and
ongoing training



### Register your interest

If you find a role that interests you, please complete our volunteer enquiry form on the Volunteer page of our website: Register your interest to volunteer or contact the Volunteer Team, by phone at 0207 504 2275 or by email at volunteering@bloodcancer.org.uk. We are available between 9am – 5pm, Monday – Friday.

Our volunteers come from all walks of life, bringing a wide range of skills, experiences, and personal connections to blood cancer from across the UK.

We want everyone involved with us to feel respected, supported, safe, and able to give their best, no matter their background or identity.

We understand that the way we work impacts who can join us and how they experience being part of Blood Cancer UK. That's why we're committed to being equitable and inclusive, ensuring everyone feels welcome and supported throughout their journey with us.

To achieve this, we know we must keep reflecting on and improving how we work. We're always open to feedback on how we can better live out our values.