



Job description

Community Connector Derby



The job is called **Community Connector** and is for a person who has a learning disability.



You will be working on a project called **Our Active Community** in Derby.



You will be helping make Derby a better place for people who have a learning disability to get physically active.



You will be employed by **Umbrella** or **Community Links**, and work with Mat Richardson, the **Our Active Community** Partner.





Community Links provide day opportunities, outreach support and Supported Living services to adults with Learning Disabilities and Autism



Umbrella support children and adults aged up to 30 with any additional needs, including physical, sensory, learning and behavioural disabilities



There are **two** jobs available. One with Umbrella and one with Community Links. We will all work together on the **Our Active Community** project.



The role is up until March 2027. You will be paid £12.21 per hour.



You will be working up to 7 hours a week.

You will work from Umbrella or Community Links, and in the community.



What will you do?



You will talk to people in the **community** and listen to their ideas.



You will attend and promote local events, meetings and activities.



You will share your own **lived experiences** and those of others.



You will help to plan the **Our Active Community** project.



You will help to make lives better and include everyone in activities

About you



You will know about the local area of Derby.



Enjoy **physical activity** and making your community more active.



Happy to have conversations with new people.



You will learn skills which will help you to do the job well and help you take steps forward in your own career.



Happy to work your hours on different days and times if needed.



Our Active Community Values



Passionate

You will care a lot about helping the community to support people with a learning disability.



Inclusive

You will be inclusive by working with different people and listening to everyone.



Brave

You will be brave to meet new people and help their ideas.



Positive

You will help people to think about the good things in their community.



Kind

You will be kind to everyone you work with.



Words used in this document

Learning Disability: Is a reduced intellectual ability and difficulty with everyday activities – for example household tasks, socialising or managing money – which affects someone for their whole life.

Community Connector: The name of a job for someone with a learning disability to work with Mat on this project.

Our Active Community: This is the name of our project to help people who have a learning disability to get active in Derby.

Community: The people and places in an area.

Employed: To give paid work to someone to do a job.

Community Partner: The name of Mat's job.

Lived Experiences: Sharing examples of things you have been through and problems you have faced.

Physical Activity: Doing things that get your body moving. For example, walking, dancing and swimming.

Conversations: A chat between 2 or more people.

