

Volunteer Role Description – Foster Kitty Visitor

A hugely rewarding role, as a Foster Kitty Visitor you will visit fosterers in their home to assess kitties that are not improving or fosterers who need guidance.

CDPA is a registered charity dedicated to caring and improving the lives of cats and dogs in Ireland. Our volunteers collaborate with local communities to reduce animal suffering through our Trap-Neuter-Return, foster-rehoming and welfare programmes.

Commitment required:	Minimum 6 months
Minimum weekly commitment:	2-3 visits per week
Location:	In person (North and South Dublin)
Other requirements:	Own vehicle required

Role Description

- € Organize visits with the cat fosterers at their home
- € Inform and advise fosterers who need more guidance with help from the team
- € Carry out a behavior assessment and fill out a report
- € Escalate concerns as necessary

Desired Qualities

- Good communication & interpersonal skills
- Fluent in English
- Kind, caring, patient, reliable & dedicated
- Empathetic towards animals and other volunteers

Desired Experience

- Experience and knowledge in cat behavior is necessary
- Proven experience socializing feral cats and kittens is preferable
- Experiencing in communicating with a wide range of people from different backgrounds

Other requirements

- Access to own computer

As a CDPA volunteer you will benefit from

- A hugely rewarding volunteering experience
- Access to a strong, supportive community of animal rescuers throughout your volunteer journey with the CDPA
- A full induction, comprehensive training & ongoing support
- Ongoing training from an expert team of volunteers
- Opportunities to become involved in other aspects of the charity
- Experience of working in the Animal & Charity Sector

CDPA is firmly committed to diversity in all areas of our work. We are committed to developing and maintaining an organisation in which differing ideas, abilities, backgrounds and needs are fostered and valued, and where those with diverse backgrounds and experiences are able to participate and contribute.