



BHWT Volunteer Role Description

Role Title:	Re-homing day helper/farm collection team
Role Description	<p>The British Hen Welfare Trust is looking for volunteers to support our re-homing days.</p> <p>If you want to get ‘hands on hens’ then this is a great place to start. This is a key role on re-homing day, can be physically demanding with very early starts but hugely rewarding.</p>
Where:	As a re-homing day helper you will be based in one location at the re-homing day point. Farm team members will be asked to travel to various locations to assist with farm depopulations.
When:	Re-homing days take place approximately 8 - 10 a year at each location.
Main Duties:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Loading hens at the farm.• Unloading hens at the rehoming point.• Lifting heavy crates.• Nail clipping.• Crate cleaning.• Customer care.• Site and traffic management.• Ensure biosecurity guidelines are adhered to.• Ensure health and safety protocols are followed.
Experience required:	No experience is required just a high level of enthusiasm and commitment.
About you:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• You want to get “hands on hens”.• You are able to work as part of a team.• You are physically fit.• You are able to follow instructions.• You are conversant with and supportive of the aims of the BHWT.• You have your own transport to get you to and from the rehoming site.



About us:	<p>We will provide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• All new BHWT volunteers will be provided with relevant information, equipment, training and induction appropriate to their role.• BHWT will ensure the health, safety and welfare of all our volunteers.• Out of pocket expenses. You will be entitled to be reimbursed for any reasonable expenses whilst volunteering.• Reference. We can provide you with a reference for any volunteering you may do. This is available for up to one year from your last day of volunteering with us.• Rewards and Recognition. We will celebrate success and recognise loyalty, long-term commitment and dedication.
Other requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A knowledge of hens and hen handling is an advantage but not essential.• A willingness to listen and learn.• Flexibility and reliability are vital to allow our teams to operate to their full potential.• Potential to care for poorly hens and to offer foster homes.
How to apply	<p>Please complete the online application form or contact hens@bhwt.co.uk for more information.</p> <p>Once we have received your completed form our Volunteer Co-Ordinator will be in touch to start the induction process.</p>