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When and how did you become a trustee of CCM?

I started volunteering for City of Chelmsford Mencap in 2017 and after a while I was asked if I would be interested in joining the Board of Trustees. Having done some research into what being a trustee entailed I applied, was interviewed, and then appointed in May 2019. In September 2020 I was appointed as Treasurer.

How would you summarise the role of trustee?

The Board of Trustees is a team responsible for the overall governance of the charity, and for helping it meet its objectives.

What makes being a trustee rewarding?

Supporting the staff to provide the best service and environment for the services users is very rewarding.

What are the challenges?

The biggest challenges are external factors out of our control - for example COVID-19!

How would you encourage others to apply to CCM's Board?

Get involved with this great charity! By joining the Board and volunteering with service users you will have lots of new and rewarding experiences. There is real satisfaction in knowing that the charity is on a firm foundation to continue providing its invaluable services.

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