



Do you want to be part of a groundbreaking HIV awareness project working within in African and Caribbean heritage Communities?

Are you interested in improving the sexual health services that we use in Bristol?

Do you have a passion for change and want to make a difference?

Common Ambition Bristol is a community powered project for our African and Caribbean heritage communities in the city. Our aim is to encourage people to test for HIV and be in control of their sexual health. In order to do this, we are organizing various events in the community to raise the knowledge and understanding of HIV, so the fear and stigma that often surrounds it is decreased.

To do this important work we need YOU!

We are looking for people to be part of the project by taking on **at least one** of the following roles:

Event Support: attending community events & being part of a stall/welcoming and chatting to people to promote the project

Community Speakers: attending specific community events to represent the project and talk about sexual health in a public space

Outreach Champion: proactively championing the project in the community, speaking to peers about sexual health and the support/services available

Given the nature of the project we are looking for people who are either from an African or Caribbean heritage community or people who have strong links and affiliations with these communities.

As a volunteer for Common Ambition Bristol, you will receive full training, continued support, expenses and have the opportunity to be part of groundbreaking work in our wonderful communities in Bristol.



CAB Community Crew

Role Description

Position: Community Crew **Time Commitment:** At least 4 hours per month

Start Date: April 2022 ***Must be available for training on Friday 25th March and Saturday 26th March at Easton Community Centre, BS5 0UN**

Expectations of volunteers:

- Support the varying projects under the Common Ambition Bristol umbrella through either event support or outreach (as outlined in the roles above)
- Deliver sexual health messages to your peers, communities and/or networks
- Be in regular contact with the Project Coordinator
- Adhere to CAB's policies and procedures

Skills and Experience needed:

- To be part of the African or Caribbean network/community or have peers/links you can access
- An interest in sexual health
- To feel comfortable to talk about sexual health
- A non-judgemental approach and an empathetic manner
- Good time management & organizational skills
- Respect for diversity & commitment to equal opportunities

Training & Support Provided:

- Full training & induction
- Regular 1-2-1 support from the Peer Coordinator
- Reimbursement for out-of-pocket expenses (up to a reasonable amount)

Transferable skills and experience gained from participating:

- An understanding of HIV prevention methods including PrEP and sexual health
- Increased confidence, communication and presentation skills
- An opportunity to support good sexual health & wellbeing in your community
- An opportunity to be part of some ground-breaking work