



Social Prescribing Champions Programme

Role Description

1. Mandatory requirements and expected time commitment:

- Complete mandatory learning modules (total duration: 2 hours)
- Find at least one practical way to promote Social Prescribing within the workplace per quarter (relevant examples and support will be provided and can be as simple as spreading the word about social prescribing within your workplace - e.g. delivering a short presentation, developing a leaflet, connecting with your local social prescribing link worker, and so on)
- Complete the end of year evaluation survey and reflection template (briefly log your activity across the year)
- The promise you will support and uphold the values and integrity of the National Academy for Social Prescribing and NHS&EI.

2. Optional activities:

- A series of opportunities will be available for champions willing to get involved beyond mandatory requirements (including joining a community of practice, webinars, optional learning modules, speaking engagements, blog posts, and much more)

Please note: This is a very flexible role purposely designed to ensure non-clinical and clinical staff are able to get involved without interfering with or impacting on daily work commitments.

Application Details

If you are interested to become one of the national Social Prescribing Champions as part of our first cohort launching in 2022, please complete the [short application form](#) by **14th April 2022**. We very much look forward to hearing from you!

Being a champion - what does it actually mean?

A simple definition:

'Social Prescribing Champions are NHS staff members in England (clinical and non-clinical) working across community, primary, and secondary care to raise awareness of social prescribing within their workplace or profession. They support social prescribing link workers, ensure consistency of messaging, and ensure busy practitioners consider social, emotional and practical support needs alongside biomedical interventions for patients.'

