

Role Description – Trustee with responsibility for fundraising strategy & liaison

In addition to the role description of a general trustee, the trustee with responsibility for fundraising strategy & liaison will:

- Have regular contact with the fundraising lead to support fundraising activity
- Have oversight of the organisation's fundraising strategy, including the setting of middle and long term fundraising targets with the fundraising lead
- Take a lead role and coordinate other trustees to be involved with writing and editing fundraising applications

Background:

OBS relies solely on voluntary donations in order to exist. We currently fundraise in the following ways:

- Localgiving website where our service users donate/set up monthly giving
- Major donors
- Two large fundraising events - a festive concert in the winter and a triathlon in the summer, which is organised in partnership with another charity
- Applications to trusts and foundations. For example we have previously received funding from Oxfordshire Community Foundation, Midcounties Co-op and Comic Relief. We are in the process of submitting an application to the National Lottery to support our core costs.