



**Edinburgh
Children's
Hospital Charity**

Events Volunteer

Supporting ECHC fundraising activities
at various locations



About ECHC

At ECHC, we believe no child should face hospital alone. Every single day, 500 seriously ill children and their families face a potentially life-changing hospital visit. And every day, they inspire us to make those visits as positive as possible.

About the role

Do you love chatting with people? Maybe you are an organisational whizz? Are you looking for an opportunity to volunteer with your kids? Our Fundraising team are vital to the success of ECHC, working hard to raise the money which allow us to support children and families. They need support throughout the year with a variety of tasks at and ahead of various fundraising events.

Hours

Opportunities are ad hoc and include evenings and weekends. You are not required to help at every event or with every task but we would ask you to try and help at least 3 times per year. Some prep tasks may be able to be done from home at a time to suit you. Chat to us to find out more.

Tasks

Tasks will vary depending on the type of event, the skills, interests and availability of the volunteer and the support required. Examples include:

- Helping at bucket collections and supermarket bag packs (children welcome to assist at many of these events)
- Sourcing prizes for an event or activity
- Helping run a Tombola or other activities at an ECHC stall in a shopping centre or at a fun day
- Manning cheer stations at sporting events (children welcome)



- Assisting at our prestigious evening events including acting as a table host, dealing with queries, taking donations from guests, distributing prizes and helping with spotting bidders during auctions
- Collecting donations or distributing fundraising materials to/from various locations
- With training, attending events on behalf of ECHC to receive donations, give thanks or give a speech

Person Specification

We are looking for proactive, engaging and approachable volunteers who are willing to help in a variety of ways. You need to be reliable, organised and a good communicator who enjoys meeting and engaging with the general public. You should be able to work well independently but also as part of a wider team.

Access to your own transport would be desirable for assisting at some events due to timing or location

Ready to apply?

Check the volunteering page of the website for our current opportunities!

