

ABOUT US

Our Shared Lives carers provide comfortable family home environments and personal care for adults with physical disabilities, learning disabilities and older people enabling them to live life as independently as possible in the community.

Individuals are very carefully matched with suitable carers who are able to treat them as a member of their family, meet the needs and provide the support that's right for them. We carry out a thorough selection and checking process to make sure Shared Lives carers are the right people for the role. The Shared Lives service also carries out regular checks to make sure the support provided is appropriate for the customer.



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SHARED LIVES

**Could you become a
Shared Lives Carer?**

ASSESSMENT, TRAINING AND SUPPORT FOR CARERS

All Shared Lives carers are carefully assessed, trained and supported to ensure that they receive the help and support they need.

The initial assessment process explores why the potential carer wants to join the Shared Lives scheme, what they can offer a customer and how they will help them to live independently and confidently.

Following a successful application, the Shared Lives officers will organise a thorough introduction process for the carer and customer.

Representatives from the Shared Lives scheme will then regularly visit customers and their carers to ensure the relationship is working well and that all parties are happy with the placement.

"Matching our customers to the right home is essential and we will spend a lot of time looking for the best carer for each customer so that the individuals needs are met"

**EARN BETWEEN
£200 AND £500 PER
WEEK.**

**SHARED LIVES CARERS
RATES ARE DEPENDANT
ON SKILLS AND
EXPERIENCE.**

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Shared Lives carers are paid according to the type of support they are required to provide to the customer.

Most Shared Lives placements are covered by special tax arrangements with HMRC and many carers do not have to pay income tax on their earnings.

If you would like more information, including how to become a Shared Lives carer please contact our team.