

About us

Providence Row is a homeless charity that has been supporting rough sleepers and vulnerably housed people in Tower Hamlets and neighbouring boroughs since 1860. We currently work with around 1200 people a year.

Working in partnership with Providence Row offers your company an opportunity to provide homeless and vulnerable people in London with a brighter, safer future, away from the streets. Together we can build a community of support for people affected by homelessness.

All our volunteering opportunities are meaningful and impactful and we hope you will have fun along the way too!



Activity	Weekday	Time	Volunteering Fee*	Number of volunteers needed
Lunch Challenge	Friday	9:45am – 1:15pm	£75 per person	Max 4 volunteers
Garden Sponsorship Programme	Tuesday Thursdays	12:45pm – 15:15pm 13:45pm – 16:15pm	Packages start at £500, further details below.	2 volunteers per session.

We charge a small fee for each of our corporate volunteering challenges to help us cover any costs that may be involved in facilitating your time with us and to enable us to raise funds to support the vital work of both our kitchen and garden.

Our unique rooftop garden grows a large variety of fruits and vegetables from around the world, supplying fresh produce to our kitchen year round, which enables us to provide daily hot meals to people rough sleeping or affected by homelessness.



Lunch challenge

Task: Prepare, cook and serve lunch to people rough sleeping or living in

vulnerable accommodation (approximately 60 people).

WHEN: Fridays* 9:45am – 1:15pm

TEAM OF: 4 people COST: £75 per person



Bookings are open now for challenges from 1st May 2022.

As a team, your first task will be to plan a menu by looking at what ingredients we have in the storeroom and what food we have grown on our rooftop garden! Together you will plan a delicious and nutritious three-course meal.

You will then work with our talented chef Craig to prepare, cook and serve lunch to our clients. At the end of your volunteering challenge, you will enjoy the fruits of your labour.

We are currently serving food to approximately 20 people on site at our day centre and delivering 40+ meals to a nearby hostel.

*On request we may be able to change the day of the week.

Garden Sponsorship Programme

Our sponsorship packages are designed to support our Rooftop Garden for a programme year (April 2022 – March 2023).



By signing up to become a sponsor, your organisation will be contributing to the cost of resources such as seeds, plants, compost, tools and garden upkeep, helping us to grow nutritious food for our Catering Programme, which over the last year provided over 12,500 hot healthy meals to those in need.

You will also be supporting the return of our accredited garden training program, which enables people affected by homelessness to discover a passion for gardening, learn valuable skills and increase employment opportunities





Sponsorship	Price	Activity	
Greenhouse Sponsorship (x1)	£7.000	10 garden sessions, 2 lunch challenges	
Large Vegetable Patch (x5)	£2500	6 garden sessions, 1 lunch challenge	
Small Vegetable Patch (x5)	£1500	3 garden sessions, 1 lunch challenge	
Fruit Tree Sponsorship (x4)	£500	2 garden sessions	

With each package, companies are given a unique sponsorship plaque and an allocated amount of volunteering sessions in our rooftop garden.

Volunteering sessions run on Tuesdays and Thursdays throughout April – November for up to 2 volunteers at a time.

At the end of your sponsorship year you will be given and an end of year impact report so you can see the difference your support has made to people facing homelessness in London.

We are holding a Rooftop Garden Party on Friday 10th June for all our garden sponsors. This event has been kindly sponsored by FSCS who have sponsored our Greenhouse for a second year. All garden sponsors will be invited to a Rooftop Garden Party.



To book a volunteering challenge or find out more about our sponsorship programme, please contact the fundraising team at getinvolved@providencerow.org.uk

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