



# People First Dorset Quality Checking Team



Thank you for your interest in becoming a Quality Checker.

Here is some more information that you may find useful and an application form to fill in.



**The team:** You will be part of a team for each quality check. You will be on each check with 1 other person and support. We will pay expenses and you may get “community credits” for volunteering with us. How many checks you do is up to you.



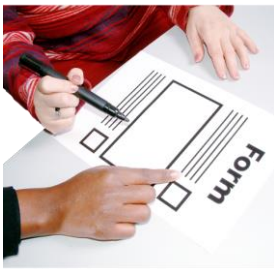
**Transport:** We will arrange transport with you when we book you for each check.



**Place of work:** You will travel to day services or to people’s homes to do each Quality Check. Day service checks last one full day.



**Skills.** To make a good Quality Checker you must like asking questions to people about the service. Be comfortable in lots of different environments. You will like speaking up for others. Everyone goes on Quality Checker training before starting to help you understand the job more.



**Support:** You will be supported to do your work by a member of the Quality Check staff team. If you need adapted transport, help with personal care, communication or other specialist support, you are welcome to bring your own support staff with you to the checks.

As a Quality Checker you may be able to get Community Credits



# Application Form Quality Checkers

## About you



Name:



Address:



Phone:



Email:

What is the best way to contact you?

# Transport

How would you travel to Quality Checks?



I would always need a lift from my house



I can use the bus



I can use the train

I'd like to learn to use the bus or the train

# Travel time

What is the longest time you would be prepared to travel for a Quality Check

Over an hour is fine

An hour maximum

Half an hour or less



# Work

What Days would you be available to work?



Monday    Yes                      



Tuesday    Yes                       No



Wednesday    Yes                       No



Thursday    Yes                       No



Friday    Yes                       No

# Tell us some more!



Why will **you** be a really good Quality Checker?



Tell us about a time when you did something good as part of a team

# Speak Up!

If you can, tell us about a time when you have had to “Speak Up” about something that was unfair or not good enough.

What happened?

How did you feel?

Did anything change?



# References



Please give us information about **1 person we can contact** who can tell us more about you. Here are ideas for other people you could choose:

- Teacher;
- Manager at your job;
- Adult Education tutor;
- Key worker;
- Day Centre manager.

**Name**

**Address**

**Phone number:**

**Email address:**

**How do they know you? (E.g. manager, teacher?)**



# And finally...



Please tell us about any extra help or support that you might need to do your work as a Quality Checker.

**Sign your name and write the date here please:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

# Send this form to:

Elly Layfield  
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2, Herringston Barn  
Winterbourn Herringston  
Dorchester  
Dorset  
DT2 9PU



Once we have received your application we will be in touch about training.

You can ask someone to help you with this form.

If you have any questions, contact Elly

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