

Volunteer Opportunity

Title: Minds in Motion® Facilitator

Summary: The Alzheimer Society of New Brunswick is seeking volunteers interested in

facilitating Minds in Motion[®], a fun and engaging online program for people living with dementia. Minds in Motion[®] combines physical activity and mental stimulation in a social environment: a certified fitness instructor from the Saint John YMCA leads the fitness component, followed by brain activities led by the

Alzheimer Society of New Brunswick.

Position Benefits: The volunteer will engage with participants in a fun and meaningful way while

having a positive impact on the lives of New Brunswick families impacted by

dementia.

Responsibilities: • Create a welcoming and friendly environment for participants

• Lead brain/social activities, such as word games, puzzles, trivia, and sharing

stories

Optional - Develop Minds in Motion[®] brain activities

Optional - Manage Zoom meetings – sign in as the host, admit participants

from the "waiting room", assist participants with muting/unmuting, ensure fitness

leader is visible, take attendance

Qualifications: • Friendly and engaging

• Effective communication and group facilitation skills

• Comfort with online programs

Criminal record check required

Term: Ongoing

Time Required: An hour and a half each month on the Thursday of your choice from 11:45am –

12:15pm, plus 30 minutes prep time at your convenience.

Please contact:

Alzheimer Society of New Brunswick 1-800-664-8411 or (506) 459-4280 volunteer@alzheimernb.ca

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