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Advertisement: Chair of Trustees at Gilgal a refuge for women who have suffered domestic abuse (women candidates only)

Position: Chair of Trustees

Location: North Birmingham

Commitment: Part-time, including regular meetings and occasional events

Remuneration: Voluntary (expenses reimbursed)

Are you an experienced female leader with a passion for making a difference? We are seeking a dynamic and committed individual to join our organization as the Chair of Trustees. This is an exceptional opportunity to lead our board and contribute to the strategic direction and governance of our charity.

About Us:

Gilgal provides a sanctuary for female victims of domestic abuse and their young children. We support these women to rebuild their lives, find new homes and satisfying work or further education in order to lead enjoyable lives.

The Role:

As Chair of Trustees, you will:

- Provide strategic leadership to the board, ensuring effective governance and compliance with legal and regulatory requirements.
- Chair board meetings, facilitating productive discussions and decision-making.
- Develop a strong working relationship with the Chief Executive, offering support and guidance.
- Act as an ambassador for the organization, enhancing its public profile and representing it at external events.
- Oversee board performance, ensuring trustees receive appropriate training and development.
- Lead on board appointments and succession planning.
- Ensure effective risk management and compliance.

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Key Responsibilities:

- Lead and manage board meetings efficiently.
- Foster a collaborative environment among trustees and the senior management team.
- Support and challenge the Chief Executive to achieve the organization's strategic objectives.
- Promote the organization's mission and values to stakeholders and the public.
- Ensure robust governance practices are in place and followed.

Who We're Looking For:

We are looking for someone who:

- Has proven experience in a leadership role, preferably who understands the charitable sector.
- Possesses a strong understanding of charity governance and the role of a trustee board
- Is an excellent communicator with strong interpersonal skills.
- Can think strategically and oversee the development and implementation of long-term plans.
- Is committed to our mission, values, and objectives.
- Demonstrates high integrity and accountability.

Application Process:

If you are passionate about our cause and believe you have the skills and experience to lead our board, we would love to hear from you.

Please submit your CV and a one page memo outlining your suitability for the role to rob@robleggeconsulting.co.uk.

For an informal discussion about the role, please contact Rob Legge at the rob@robleggeconsulting.co.uk.

Join us and help shape the future of Gilgal

Gilgal Birmingham is committed to diversity and inclusion and welcomes applications from all sections of the community.