



## VOLUNTEERING APPLICATION FORM

### ABOUT YOU

Name	
Address	
Telephone number	
Email address	

### REFERENCE DETAILS

#### Referee guidelines

Please provide details of 1 person who we can contact as referee; to comment on your suitability to volunteer for Gig Buddies. The referee must have known you for over 1 year ideally in a professional capacity although this is not a necessity.

#### Referee

Name	
Address	
Telephone number	
Email address	

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

#### Health

We ask this so that appropriate adjustments can be made to better support you in your role

Do you have any disabilities or health needs that we should be made aware of?	Yes	No
	If yes; please provide details:	

#### Volunteering

If you are from the UK you are free to volunteer. The majority of European Union (EU) citizens are also free to volunteer within the UK. For those outside the EU you need to check that your visa allows you to volunteer. We may ask to see documentation providing eligibility to volunteer in the UK.

Are you entitled to volunteer in the UK?	Yes	No
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### CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS

#### Criminal Conviction Guidelines

Gig Buddies volunteers are in direct contact with vulnerable adults. All volunteers will need to have a police check through Protecting Vulnerable Groups before they can start. All convictions current or "spent" (including fines and driving convictions but not parking fines) must be declared. Please note that this does not mean that all convictions will exclude you from volunteering with us. We will assess any convictions on an individual basis and the PVG will be paid for by Gig Buddies.

Do you have/or have you ever had any criminal convictions(s), caution(s), warning(s) and/or reprimand(s)?	Yes	No
	If yes, please provide details:	

### APPLICATION

#### Covering Letter

In the space below please include a summary of the following;

- Why you want to be a Gig Buddy
- What would make you a good Gig Buddy
- What type of gigs you are interested in taking your Gig Buddy to
- Tell us anything else you think would be useful for us to know

**WHAT ARE YOU INTERESTED IN GOING TO? (Please tick all items you are interested in)**

- **Music**

- Classic Rock ☐
- Metal and Heavy Rock ☐
- Indie/Alternative Rock ☐
- Hip-Hop ☐
- Pop Music ☐
- Rock and Roll ☐
- Swing ☐
- Jazz ☐
- Classical/Orchestral ☐
- Folk ☐
- Blues ☐
- Country ☐
- Reggae/Ska ☐
- Electronic Dance Music ☐
- Festivals ☐
- Other:

- **Comedy** ☐
  
- **Films**
  - Comedy ☐
  - Drama ☐
  - Family Films ☐
  - Horror ☐
  - Thriller ☐
  - Other:
  
- **Sports**
  - Football ☐
  - Rugby ☐
  - Golf ☐
  - Other:
  
- **Theatre**
  - Musicals ☐
  - Plays ☐
  - Dance ☐
  - Opera ☐
  
- **Museums** ☐
  
- **Art Galleries** ☐
  
- **Any other interests:**

When you have completed this form please send to [gigbuddies@thera.co.uk](mailto:gigbuddies@thera.co.uk) or to [volunteers@thera.co.uk](mailto:volunteers@thera.co.uk) with the subject line: **Gig Buddies Volunteer Application**