**Personal details**

DRSG Member Application Form

**Please read the relevant Role Description before completing this form.**

Title: First name: Surname:

Affiliation(s):

Address: Postcode: Home phone: Mobile phone: Email:

### **Do you currently volunteer with Diabetes UK?**

No [ ]

Yes [ ]

In what role? ………………………………………………

**Which role would you have in the DRSGs?**

Please select all that apply

[ ] Healthcare Professional (Only Patient Facing)

[ ] Healthcare Professional (Also Conducting Research)

[ ] Researcher

**Which DRSG(s) are you interested in applying to (Member)?**

Please select all that apply

[ ] DRSG1: Causes of diabetes

[ ] DRSG2: Type 1 treatments and prevention

[ ] DRSG3: Type 2 treatments and prevention

[ ] DRSG4: Acute Care

[ ] DRSG5: Living with diabetes Long-Term

[ ] DRSG6: Complications

[ ] DRSG7: Children and young people with diabetes

**Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974**

Do you have any unspent convictions?

No ☐ Yes ☐

If yes, please specify:

If you would like to talk with someone about this before applying, please contact the Safeguarding team at safeguarding@diabetes.org.uk or telephone 0207 424 2205. Please note that a conviction will not necessarily exclude you from volunteering with Diabetes UK but will be taken into account when assessing your suitability. Some volunteer roles will require you to complete a Data Barring Service check, DBS (England and Wales) / PVG (Scotland) / ANI (Northern Ireland).

Supporting Statement

## We’d love to keep you updated about how we support people living with diabetes and how you can help by donating, volunteering and campaigning.

We’ll stay in touch with you by post and phone. It helps us to keep our costs down if we can email you but it’s **entirely your choice**.

Please tick the box to tell us you are happy to receive emails [ ]

We want to send you the most relevant information so might ask you for personal data, for example about your diabetes or ethnicity. **We promise to store it securely and keep it confidential.** Please tick the box to tell us you are happy for us to use this information [ ]

Occasionally we may need to share personal data with our suppliers to process your orders and requests or to provide other services to us.

We promise:

* Never to release your personal details to another company for their marketing purposes
* To always respect your communication preferences

We only want to send you relevant information and requests to support us. To do this we may analyse the information you provide and gather extra data.

You can find out more about how we use your information at [**www.diabetes.org.uk/privacy**](http://www.diabetes.org.uk/privacy)You can change how you hear from us or ask us to stop communicating with you at any time: Visit us at **https://forms.diabetes.org.uk/im-in-charge**

Email us at **helpline@diabetes.org.uk**

Phone us on **0345 123 2399**

I confirm that the information given on this form is, to the best of my knowledge, accurate. Signature: Date:

# Thank you for completing the form

**Please email your com****pleted form, along with your CV to** **DRSGs@diabetes.org.uk****, and if you have any questions ahead of applying feel free to ask!**

# Equal opportunities monitoring

We welcome and celebrate the diversity of all our volunteers and are strongly committed to achieving equal opportunities for all people and groups in society.

The information in this section is used only for the purposes of monitoring the effectiveness of the Volunteer Equal Opportunities Policy, which is available on request. The forms are confidential and will be stored securely.

### Volunteer role Gender

Age group

[ ]  <20 [ ]  21-30 [ ]  31-50 [ ]  51-60 [ ]  61-70 [ ]  71+ [ ]  Prefer not to say

### How would you describe yourself?

Using the following classifications, how would you describe your ethnic origin (please tick appropriate box).

#### Asian or Asian British

Indian [ ]

Pakistani [ ]

Bangladeshi [ ] Chinese [ ]

Other Asian background [ ]

#### Black or Black British

Caribbean [ ]  African [ ]

Other Black background [ ]

#### White

White [ ]

British [ ]

Irish [ ]

Traveler [ ]

 Other White background [ ]

#### Mixed

White and Black Caribbean[ ]

White and Black African [ ]

 White and Asian [ ]

 Other mixed background [ ]

#### Other

Arab [ ]

Other ethnic group [ ]

(please describe)

Would prefer not to say [ ]

### Do you consider yourself to have a disability/impairment?

Yes [ ]  No [ ]  Would prefer not to say [ ]

### Do you have any requirements that might affect your volunteering?

(E.g. diet, disabilities, religion)

Yes [ ]  No [ ]  Would prefer not to say [ ]

Please discuss any requirements you have with your main contact so that we can make any adjustments you need.

# Completing the form

## Please support your application form with a short outline of your qualities, skills, and achievements, particularly how they relate to the role description. These experiences do not have to be work-based – you can draw on other examples to highlight your skills and experience, e.g. previous volunteer work, education-based learning or perhaps an interest or hobby.

**Equal opportunities**

We strive to uphold and promote good equal opportunities practice.

As part of the application process, equal opportunity monitoring forms are included with the application form for you to complete. This will help us to monitor the effectiveness of its equal opportunities policy.

These forms are confidential and will be stored by the local volunteering team.

**Queries**

If you have any queries regarding the completion of the application form, please do not hesitate to contact the DRSG team at DRSGs@diabetes.org.uk

**Support**

We are committed to ensuring that volunteers are supported during their time with us. We will provide all volunteers with an informal induction covering volunteer procedures and our equal opportunities section of the Volunteering Policy.

We also encourage all volunteers to participate in relevant training and development opportunities where appropriate to their volunteering role.

These forms are confidential and will be stored securely.

**Expenses**

We do not expect any volunteer to be out of pocket when participating in a Diabetes UK activity or representing Diabetes UK, and therefore we are committed to ensuring that reasonable and agreed expenses should be met, e.g. lunch and travel.