

Volunteer Recruitment

Lobular
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About LBCUK

We are the only UK charity dedicated to improving outcomes for people with a Lobular Breast Cancer diagnosis.

Launched in September 2021, we are committed to ensuring that everyone with a Lobular diagnosis lives, and lives well.

We are small but mighty, collaborating nationally and internationally with patient advocates, clinicians, researchers, charities and organisations committed to unlocking the challenges of Lobular.

You can find out more about what we do by visiting our website at <https://lobularbreastcancer.org.uk> or following our social media accounts **@LobularBCUK**.



What is Lobular Breast Cancer?



Lobular Breast Cancer makes up **15% of all diagnosed breast cancers**. It is the 6th most common cancer in women in the UK.

22 people in the UK are diagnosed with Lobular every day. That's equivalent to two football teams.

Lobular rarely forms a lump, making it hard to see on scans. As a result, it is often diagnosed at a late stage, requiring more extensive treatment, or even being first diagnosed as secondary disease.

It is an **under-studied and misunderstood disease** that needs better research and treatments.

Despite the evidence, **Lobular is not recognised as a distinct disease** in treatment guidelines across the UK.

Our Purpose & Vision

Purpose

Working together we all live well.

Vision

Lobular Breast Cancer is understood comprehensively, diagnosed effectively, treated appropriately, and patients have access to support across the UK.



Our Values

- The patient is always first.
- We are bold and courageous in speaking up for ourselves and anyone affected by Lobular Breast Cancer.
- We commit to reducing the isolation and fear of a Lobular Breast Cancer diagnosis.
- We are evidence based in all of our communications and information.
- We act compassionately towards everyone, recognising and accepting our different experiences and beliefs, and treating each other with care, consideration and respect.
- We are stronger together, collaborating and sharing learning with all of our stakeholders.



Volunteer Roles



What we need

Primarily, we want you to be passionate about getting involved and align with our values.

We are looking for volunteer involvement in the following areas:

- experience of co-ordination and/or administrative and secretarial support;
- understanding and/or experience in changing Health Policy and Treatment Guidelines;
- assisting with the running of Lobular patient support groups;
- experience in writing funding bids to trusts and foundations, and getting involved in fundraising.

We offer specific roles so that you know what is expected from you and we can provide you with the right support. We want volunteering to be a rewarding and enjoyable experience for you.

How to apply?

The stories of the women involved with the charity should inspire us all.

Dame Martina Milburn, LBCUK Patron

Please send an email (or 3 minute video), explaining why you are interested in becoming a volunteer with LBCUK, what area of volunteering you would like to do and what you will bring to the charity.

Please send to **info@lobularbreastcancer.org.uk** by **12pm on Wednesday 4 June** and title your email **Volunteer Recruitment**.

If you would like to chat further about volunteering with us before applying, please email Claire Turner our CEO at **claire@lobularbreastcancer.org.uk** to arrange.

Interviews will take place on Zoom during the week of 16 June.

New Volunteers will be provided with a full induction and training. Depending on your role, you may also require a basic DBS check.

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