



## **COPPAFEEL! EDUCATION ADVISORY GROUP**

### **ROLE DESCRIPTION**

CoppaFeel! are looking for education experts to join their Education Advisory Group. The Education Advisory Group supports the CoppaFeel! team in educating, encouraging and empowering young people to check their chests. Our members use their expertise and experience to review, develop and inform our messaging, resources, volunteer programmes and campaigns.

We are looking for expertise in the following areas to join our Education Advisory Group:

Secondary School Teacher  
Primary School Teacher  
Trainee Teacher  
PSHE Specialist  
School Nurse  
Youth Group Leaders  
Education Consultants  
NEET Programme Leaders  
SENCOs  
Student Support within FE/HE  
Senior Management  
Special School Teacher / Support

Although we are particularly interested in applications with the above experience, we welcome applications from all education experts.

#### **ABOUT COPPAFEEL!**

CoppaFeel! exists to educate and remind every young person in the UK that checking their chests could save their life.

We are the first breast cancer charity in the UK to solely create awareness amongst young people, with the aim of instilling the knowledge and tools they need to get to know their bodies. We like to talk about a serious message in a light-hearted way, empowering people to start healthy habits for life.

#### **OUR VISION**

We want everyone to have the best possible chance of surviving breast cancer. Ideally, we want to live in a world where all breast cancers are diagnosed at the earliest stage possible, at which treatments are more effective and survival rates are higher. Although our main focus is on breast cancer education, we also instigated the #RETHINKCANCER Campaign, as we strongly believe young people should be taught about all cancers and how to lead healthy lives from a young age.

#### **OUR MISSION**

To ensure all breast cancers are diagnosed early and correctly by:

- Encouraging you to check your chest regularly from a young age
- Educating you on the signs and symptoms of breast cancer
- Empowering you to seek advice from a doctor if symptoms persist

## **ABOUT THE EDUCATION ADVISORY GROUP**

The Education Advisory Group was set up in 2018 to add an extra layer of expertise to the growing team. CoppaFeel! was born from a determined, enthusiastic group of young people who wanted to make a real change. The team and founders, although experts in talking to young people about chest checking, are not trained in the education field. The Education Advisory Group aims to support the CoppaFeel! team in reviewing, developing and informing all health messaging, resources, programmes, materials and campaigns.

## **ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

The principal role of the Education Advisory Group will be to advise the charity on Educational approaches to the following topics:

- The Boobette Programme
- Cancer education, resources and schemes of work
- Education partnerships
- Political strategies and changes generally, more specifically education and cancer
- PSHE/RSHE services and approaches
- Introduce appropriate contacts and/or opportunities
- Promotion in the education sector

There will be the opportunity to run initiatives and test materials in your daily role/workplace if suitable. The group will also consider any other matters referred to them by the board of trustees or CoppaFeel! team.

## **ALL MEMBERS WILL BE EXPECTED TO:**

- Attend meetings and calls, unless communicated to CoppaFeel! team in advance
- Respond to requests for further support on referred matters outside of meetings
- Represent CoppaFeel! in the media when agreed and arranged by the charity and Education Advisory Group
- Highlight any opportunities or contacts that could be beneficial for CoppaFeel! in the education sector
- Review and provide feedback on any draft documents, resources or materials sent to the group by the CoppaFeel! Team
- Familiarise yourself with the charity's current campaigns and areas of work. We recommend visiting our website and reading our latest annual report.

## **COPPAFEEL! WILL ENSURE:**

- Members are only contacted about appropriate and necessary matters
- Meetings will be scheduled as far in advance as possible to allow time for members to confirm the meeting/calls in their diaries
- Members will have the opportunity to write articles for the CoppaFeel! Brazette and appear in social media features / takeovers
- All members are invited to CoppaFeel!'s thank you party to celebrate their contribution to the CoppaFeel! Community
- Travel expenses will be covered for members to attend meetings and any other events on behalf of the charity, as agreed with the CoppaFeel! Team. A travel expense form will be provided after events
- Group members have input to how the group is developed.



## CONFIDENTIALITY AND COMMITMENT

Members of the group are asked to use their discretion where necessary and refrain from discussing points that may be raised by other members outside of the Education Advisory Group meeting.

We understand circumstances can change, therefore if at any point you feel you can no longer commit to the EAG, then please contact CoppaFeel!. We will be happy to discuss alternative options to support our work and welcome any feedback you may have.

## EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES

It is the policy of CoppaFeel! to ensure that no applicant receives less favourable treatment on the grounds of age, disability (including hidden disabilities), gender, gender identity or gender reassignment, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief, sexual orientation or is disadvantaged by conditions or requirements that cannot be shown to be justifiable. Our charity is committed to the positive promotion of equality of opportunity and we are keen to encourage a diverse range of perspectives, skills, experience and knowledge at the charity. **CoppaFeel! strongly encourages applications from Black, Asian, minority ethnic and People of Colour, LGBTQIA+ applicants, applicants with disabilities, and from men, because we would like to increase the representation of these groups within the charity.**

## APPLICATIONS

To apply to join the Education Advisory Group, please complete the application form on our website. CoppaFeel!'s Head of Education will be contacting all applicants to follow up on their application. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact [education@coppafeel.org](mailto:education@coppafeel.org).

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