

Confidential Declaration (Complete Section A or Section B)

Our volunteering roles fall into two categories; those that have regular access to vulnerable adults and/or young people (section A) and those that don't (section B).

Any criminal record disclosed to us will be considered on its merits and disclosure does not necessarily prevent someone from volunteering. Internal policies and guidance exist to support the potential volunteer as well as ensuring the Red Cross makes a fair recruitment decision.

The person going through this form with you will be able to offer guidance. The volunteering adviser can offer additional advice if necessary.

 SECTION A: for roles with access to vulnerable adults and/or young people.

Current legislation allows the Red Cross to ask about all convictions (spent and unspent), no matter what they were for or how long ago they took place.

 I confirm that I have **no** spent or unspent convictions, either in the UK or elsewhere

 I have spent/unspent convictions, details of which are listed below

Offence	Date of conviction	Penalty
Continue overleaf if necessary		

 SECTION B: for roles with no access to vulnerable adults and/or young people.

Current legislation only allows the Red Cross to ask about current (unspent) convictions.

 I confirm that I have **no** unspent convictions, either in the UK or elsewhere

 I have unspent convictions, details of which are listed below

Offence	Date of conviction	Penalty
Continue overleaf if necessary		

Please note that failure to provide full and accurate information about circumstances that may affect your suitability as a Red Cross volunteer will be viewed by the organisation as a very serious matter. Convictions sustained after completion of the Volunteer Interview Record and Confidential Declaration must be notified to the Red Cross.

Where Section A has been completed, it is Red Cross policy to make a formal check of conviction records via the relevant authority using separate paperwork. This check will comply with the law relevant to your part of the UK and codes of practice are available on request.

Please be assured that this form will be stored securely and remain confidential in accordance with internal policies and external data protection legislation.

Signed _____ Date _____

Name _____ (Print in CAPITALS)