



Vacancy: Chair of Trustees for Anawim

Are you passionate about issues affecting women and want to work to make a real difference to the community? Anawim – Birmingham’s Centre for Women - is looking for an inspiring and dynamic individual to join us as the Chair of Trustees.

About Anawim:

Anawim is a Birmingham charity committed to working with and for women. We offer gender-responsive and trauma-informed support, to enable women to reach their potential. We do this through wraparound services including long-term specialist provisions alongside other practical resources, both in the community and in prison. Our vision is for a world where women and girls are safe, free, valued, and empowered members of society. We are based in a diverse area and seek to represent the women we work with.

Role: Chair of Trustees

As the Chair of Trustees, you will be pivotal in guiding Anawim’s strategic direction and ensuring we achieve our goals. You will lead our Board of Trustees, working closely with the Chief Executive Officer and the senior leadership team to provide strong governance, oversight, and support.

Key Responsibilities:

- Lead and inspire the Board of Trustees to fulfil its governance responsibilities.
- Ensure the charity is compliant with all legal and regulatory requirements.
- Support the CEO and senior management in delivering Anawim’s strategic objectives.
- Foster a collaborative and inclusive board culture.
- Act as an ambassador for Anawim, promoting our work and expanding our network of supporters and partners.
- Oversee the financial health and sustainability of the organisation.

What We Are Looking For:

- Proven experience in a leadership role, ideally within the charitable or public sector.
- Strong understanding of governance, finance, and strategic planning.
- Exceptional communication and interpersonal skills.
- Passion for women’s rights and social justice.
- Ability to commit time to attend board meetings and events and provide guidance as needed.

Why Join Anawim?

- Be part of a transformative organisation that makes a real impact in women's lives.
- Work with a dedicated and passionate team of staff and volunteers.
- Lead an organisation with a strong reputation and a supportive community.
- Develop and share your expertise while contributing to meaningful change.



How to Apply:

We would love to hear from you if you are ready to make a difference and lead Anawim into the future. Please email joydoal@anawim.co.uk If you would like to visit and have an informal chat, or send your CV and a cover letter outlining your suitability for the role to recruitment@anawim.co.uk.

Join us at Anawim and help us continue to provide hope, support, and opportunities for women, and to advocate for them, in Birmingham and beyond

Anawim is committed to promoting equality and diversity and welcomes applications from all sections of the community, particularly those from underrepresented groups. We believe in the power of diverse perspectives and lived experience and strive to create an inclusive environment where everyone can thrive.

For more information about Anawim, visit our website at <http://anawim.co.uk/>