Make A Difference



We need Referral Order Panel Members who can represent their local community and make a difference to young people's lives.

We are looking for:

♦ Men or women 18yrs old or over ♦

> From all ethnic and social backgrounds with good spoken English �

♦ Good communication skills ♦

Have you got a spare couple of hours a week to help make a difference?

Referral Order panels are for young people who commit crime and receive a Referral Order as a sentence at Court. You can help challenge these young people to take responsibility for their actions and help change their behaviour.

To find out more drop in to the Youth Offending Service, 16 North Steet, Reading on Friday 15th November at 12-2pm or 5-7pm.

Call 01189 372420 or email sarah.dobinson@brighterfuturesforchildren.org for more information

What are Panels for?

Trained volunteers work with young people, their parents and victims. Panel members will talk and listen to create a plan of action designed to repair harm and prevent future offending.

Panels aim to:

- Ensure young people take responsibility for their behaviour
- Help put things right for the victim
- Bring young people back into the law-abiding community