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## Volunteers

### Action for Advocacy

Volunteers wanted for a legal advice helpline for independent mental health advocates (IMHAs). We are looking for a team of qualified solicitors/barristers who practise in the area of mental health and are able to devote two hours per month. For more information, contact Colette Byrne, IMHA Learning from Experience Project Manager, on: 020 7820 7868 or e-mail: [Colette@a4a.uk.net](mailto:Colette@a4a.uk.net)

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## the Howard League for Penal Reform

### SENIOR SOLICITOR (PRISON LAW)

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This role involves supervising the Legal Services Commission contract on prison law to ensure that the legal work is fully compliant in both hours and range of work. The Senior Solicitor will also carry full fee-earning caseload acting for children and young adults in prison and in the penal system including taking judicial reviews and using a wide range of appropriate legal strategies.

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The Howard League for Penal Reform is an expanding charity, leading the way on penal reform and with a groundbreaking legal team that represents children and young people in custody working towards less crime, safer communities and fewer people in prison.

This post is full time and based in London.

For more information, download an Application pack at [www.howardleague.org](http://www.howardleague.org) or email [elsie.egbulefu@howardleague.org](mailto:elsie.egbulefu@howardleague.org) or telephone 020 72497373. Or write to 1 Ardleigh Road, London, N1 4HS

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