



YOUTH VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

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UNITED WAY
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GET CONNECTED...

by volunteering in a museum, visiting with senior citizens, or teaching younger children. How about helping others with special needs?

VOLUNTEERING...

will bring you a whole new world of experiences and make you feel good about yourself and helping others. Volunteer experience is also appealing to admission counselors on college applications and job resumes.

You will meet people and **DO THINGS** you may have never dreamed of!

FOLLOW THESE THREE EASY STEPS:

- 1) **Look** through this brochure and find an activity or organization that interests you.
- 2) **Match** the location and requirements to your needs.
- 3) **Call** the contact person listed for that agency and make an appointment to start your volunteer experience today!

QUESTIONS?

Call United Way of the Capital Region's Volunteer Center at 717.732.0700 or e-mail hneuhaus@uwcr.org.

PARENTS' GUIDE

TO CHOOSING YOUTH VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We know that volunteering early in life leads to an increased likelihood of continued participation in volunteer efforts throughout adulthood. Volunteering also provides the opportunity for pre-teens and teens to learn about responsibility, commitment and the importance of giving back to the community. Additionally, teens can enjoy meeting new people, learning new skills and gaining new perspectives through volunteer work. However, a negative volunteer experience can be discouraging to teens. For this reason, it is important to talk with your youth and the organization providing the volunteer opportunity to ensure that everyone has the same expectations and that all parties will find the volunteer experience to be beneficial and meaningful!

Questions to ask your youth:

1. Interests. What are your youth's interests? Think about hobbies and activities in which they are involved. Do they enjoy working in an office environment or do they prefer working outdoors? Do they like working independently or in groups? Volunteer opportunities should spark an interest in the youth and be meaningful, engaging and pleasurable. Youth should not feel like volunteering is a chore; it should be something they look forward to doing!
2. Abilities. What special skills or talents does your teen have, or what skills or talents would they like to develop? There is a multitude of volunteer opportunities available that utilize all kinds of talents, ranging from singing, to performing, to yard work, to office support, to creative art projects, to providing companionship, to taking care of animals, to almost anything one can imagine!
3. Time. Be sure to be clear with your teen about how much time they are willing to invest in volunteering. Are they interested in a one-time volunteering event, or do they want to volunteer an hour of their time each week for a year? Are they willing to give up a few hours of free time in the evenings or weekends? Be sure that they are prepared to make and follow through with a time commitment.
4. Why Volunteer? Ask your teen what they hope to get out of volunteering. Why are they volunteering? What do they hope to experience? Who do they want to work with? Who do they want to help out? What difference do they want to make? What do they want to learn? This can spark a great discussion of the benefits of volunteering and the youth's perception of giving back to society and solving community problems. It will also lead to a more informed choice in the eventual selection of a specific opportunity.

In addition to talking with your youth, there are several things that you may want to consider before a final decision is made.

Questions to ask the volunteer coordinator or agency:

1. Child Abuse and Criminal Clearances. Is the staff my teen will be working with required to have up-to-date child abuse and criminal history clearances? Commonly required clearances for organizations working with children include PA Act 151 Child Abuse History Clearance (Childline Clearance), Act 34 Criminal Record Check and FBI Federal Criminal History and Fingerprinting.
2. Dress Code. What are the dress code expectations at this volunteer opportunity? Is professional attire preferred, or is casual clothing acceptable? Are there any needs for special clothing such as hard-toe boots for safety in construction projects or clothing that can get dirty for outdoor or art-related projects?
3. Food and Drink. If my teen will be working over a meal, is there a meal provided or does he or she need to bring one? Will my teen have access to drinking water or should he or she bring a water bottle? Can my teen bring snacks to the site? Will my teen have access to a refrigerator?
4. Supervision. What level of supervision is provided? Will my teen be expected to work independently for long periods of time? For some teens, ample supervision may be helpful in providing structure. Teens may also feel more comfortable knowing that they always have immediate access to someone in charge to answer questions as they come up and provide guidance.
5. Cost. What hidden costs are there for participation? Think about the cost of transporting your teen to the site, parking, providing snacks and lunches, purchasing appropriate clothing and other incidental expenses.
6. Attitudes/Experiences with Youth. Does this organization have experience working with teen volunteers? Do they find working with young people to be fun and exciting, or do they feel that young people are taxing because of their need for additional support and supervision? Most organizations will tell you directly if they accept youth volunteers, but others may have to be specifically asked.

Now that you have spoken with your youth and the organization about volunteering, you are ready to find the perfect match! Best of luck and happy volunteering!

**“How wonderful that no one need wait
a single moment to improve the world.”
--Anne Frank--**

YOUTH GUIDE

TO CHOOSING VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

So you want to volunteer? Awesome! Volunteering is a great way to give back to your community, meet new people, learn new skills, build your resume and just have fun! There are tons of opportunities out there; the trick is finding the right one for you!

With so many volunteer opportunities, where should I begin? Before you get your feet wet (or dive right in!), there are several questions you should ask yourself:

1. What do YOU like to do? Often the best volunteer experiences involve doing what you already love! Do you sing, dance, or perform? Do you like to build things? Do you love working with kids or animals? Do you have lots of friends and quickly make new ones? Chances are, whatever you like, you can find a way to use that to make a difference in your community. Remember, volunteering should be fun, not a chore!
2. What difference do you want to make? Do you want to help end homelessness? Support our troops? Inspire younger kids? Spend time with the elderly? Everybody needs some kind of help at some point in their lives. What problem are you passionate about fixing and who are you passionate about helping?
3. When and for how long? Life is busy. You might be wondering how you are going to volunteer when you already have school, homework, sports, music lessons, extra-curricular activities, clubs, chores and other responsibilities. It is important for you to be realistic about how much time you can commit to a volunteer opportunity. Is it one Saturday? An hour per month? A few hours each week? Knowing this going in will help you avoid a situation where you feel pressured to do more than you have time for.
4. What do you want to get out of volunteering? Just because you are helping others doesn't mean you can't get something out of your efforts as well! Do you want to learn a new skill, boost your resume, create relationships that could lead to a job opportunity, or just have fun? Being clear about *why* you are volunteering can give you a goal and help you make a final decision about what you want to do.

Good luck and have fun!

“Never believe that a few caring people can't change the world. For, indeed, that's all who ever have.”

--Margaret Mead--

Bountiful Blessings

717.790.2620

Website: www.bountifulblessings.org

Contact: Terry Orendi

E-mail: bountifulblessings2001@gmail.com

Location: 3 Keystone Drive, Suite B, Mechanicsburg, PA 17050

Minimum Age: 12

Willing to consider youth with court-mandated community service requirements.

Volunteer Opportunities: Taking electronics apart to see how they work. The pieces are then sold to generate income for the agency's work.

Caitlin's Smiles

717.412.4759

Website: www.caitlins-smiles.org

Contact: Cheryl Hornung or Karen Brulacher

E-mail: volunteer@caitlins-smiles.org

Location: 3303 N. 6th Street, Harrisburg, PA 17110

Minimum Age: 13 (or elementary school age if accompanied by parent)

Volunteer Opportunities: Organize a craft drive or small fundraising event (yard sale, lemonade sale, etc.). At our office - making coping kits, restocking supplies and straighten shelves. More details can be found at www.caitlins-smiles.org/volunteer. To schedule, e-mail volunteer@caitlins-smiles.org.

Capital Area Therapeutic Riding Association (CATRA)

717.743.7232

Website: www.catra.net

Contact: Ben Nolt

E-mail: bnolt@catra.net

Location: 168 Station Road, Grantville, PA 17028

Minimum Age: 13-18 require permission of parent or guardian; under age 13 must be accompanied by parent or guardian who will supervise their volunteer activities.

Willing to consider youth with court-mandated community service requirements.

Volunteer Opportunities: CATRA is a therapeutic riding facility. All activities will be completed outdoors or in one of the facility's barns. Volunteers will get dirty and should dress accordingly. Activities could include assisting with therapeutic riding lessons; grooming horses; painting fences; cleaning animal enclosures and other structures; maintenance of stalls, barns, and other facility buildings; maintenance of paddocks; lawn and garden care; hay storage and distribution; fence clearing; cleaning of equipment used for animal care and riding lessons; and other typical farm activities.

Camp Curtin YMCA

717.238.9622

Website: ymcaharrisburg.org/locations/camp-curtin/

Contact: Dannica Wilt, ext. 100

E-mail: Dannica.wilt@ymcaharrisburg.org

Location: 2135 North 6th Street, Harrisburg, PA 17110

Minimum Age: 15-17

Willing to consider youth with court-mandated community service requirements.

Availability: Monday – Friday, 3-8 p.m.

Volunteer Opportunities: Volunteers will be given the opportunity to mentor Harrisburg City youth. They may assist with activities involving the children's after school program (sports, homework help, life skills, etc.) and help maintain the cleanliness of the facility.

Catholic Charities Interfaith Shelter

717.652.8740

Website: www.cchbg.org

Contact: Lisa Peck

E-mail: lpeck@cchbg.org

Location: 120 Willow Road, Suite C, Harrisburg, PA 17103

Minimum Age: 12 (must be accompanied by adult)

Availability: Weekdays, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. with occasional evening events

Volunteer Opportunities: Activities include, but are not limited to: light cleaning, yard work, craft or game nights with families, and preparing and serving meals followed by clean-up.

Central Pennsylvania Food Bank

717.564.1700

Website: www.centralpafoodbank.org

Contact: Austin Saman

E-mail: asaman@centralpafoodbank.org

Location: 3908 Corey Road, Harrisburg, PA 17109

Minimum Age: 14

Willing to consider youth with court-mandated community service requirements.

Availability: Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. – noon, 1-4 p.m. or 5-7 p.m.; Saturdays 9 a.m. – noon. Note: No Friday evenings.

Volunteer Opportunities: Projects in the warehouse vary from day to day and could include sorting donated loads of grocery product or assembling one of our program boxes.

Dauphin County Library System

717.234.4961

Website: www.dcls.org

Contact: Brenda Fernsler, 717.652.9380, ext. 1009

E-mail: bfernsler@dcls.org or volunteer@dcls.org

Location: 4501 Ethel Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101

Minimum Age: 14

Willing to consider youth with court-mandated community service requirements.

Availability: Year-round. Must commit to two hours each week. Day and time depends on the library location.

Volunteer Opportunities: Volunteers are needed for a wide variety of tasks including shelving materials, book cleaning, adopt-a-shelf and special events.

Healthy Steps Diaper Bank

717.919.2590

Website: www.healthystepsdiaperbank.com

Contact: Rebecca Cason

E-mail: rcason@healthystepsdiaperbank.com

Location: Mission Central, 5 Pleasant View Drive, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055

Minimum Age: 8

Willing to consider youth with court-mandated community service requirements.

Volunteer Opportunities: Volunteers are needed to wrap and pack diaper orders in our warehouse (Monday mornings and some Saturday mornings). Volunteers may also hold diaper collection drives or period product collection drives in the community (any time). Support materials provided. We welcome volunteers to create uplifting, artful stickers to decorate our diaper packs from home (any time). View dates and register to volunteer at: [https://x.gldn.io/Healthy Steps Diaper Bank-17112](https://x.gldn.io/Healthy_Steps_Diaper_Bank-17112)

Hershey Gardens

717.534.3492

Website: www.hersheygardens.org

Contact: Kaitlin Dannenberg, 717.508.1937

E-mail: kadannenberg@hersheygardens.org

Location: 170 Hotel Road, Hershey, PA 17033

Age: 12-16

Volunteer Opportunities: Hershey Gardens' summer "Volunteer" program allows volunteers to grow alongside the garden by assisting with a variety of horticulture tasks, educational initiatives, and guest services. Activities include helping guests engage with our animal and plant collections, assisting with crafts, gardening work and special programs/events. Our program encourages volunteers to explore their personal interests by facilitating optional nature-based research projects throughout the summer. Participants in the summer program are also invited to help with events, programs and gardening activities throughout the year. Applications are accepted until positions are filled. Virtual interviews begin in January. Volunteers are required to attend an orientation on either Monday, June 15 or Wednesday, June 22 from 9 a.m. – noon.

The Hershey Story Museum

717.520.8939

Website: www.hersheystory.org

Contact: Susan Hetrick, 717.520.5587

E-mail: smhetrick@hersheystory.org

Location: 63 West Chocolate Avenue, Hershey, PA 17033

Minimum Age: The program is only for ages 12-16.

Volunteer Opportunities: Apply for The Hershey Story's popular "Past Master" program. Volunteers will learn fun Hershey and chocolate making facts to share with guests. Helping kids with scavenger hunts in the Museum Experience, demonstrating hands-on activities in the museum and our special exhibit, and creating sweet treats with camp groups are all part of this exciting summer program. Because public interaction is vital to these volunteer jobs, we are seeking volunteers who are outgoing and comfortable talking to adults and children. Youth accepted into the program must attend two mandatory training days in June and must commit to volunteering a minimum of 7 times during the summer. Volunteer shifts are available most days during our operating hours. Visit the website to apply. Applications will be reviewed beginning March 1, 2026. Applications will be accepted until May 15 or until all positions are filled.

Hope Within Ministries

717.367.9797

Website: www.hopewithin.org

Contact: Anne Marie McAlester

E-mail: annemarie.mcalester@hopewithin.org

Location: 4748 Harrisburg Pike, Elizabethtown, PA 17022

Minimum Age: 16.

This opportunity is available only to youth that have community service requirement to fulfill.

Volunteer Opportunities: Youth volunteers can help with property needs such as weeding, planting flowers, pruning or exterior cleaning. Occasionally youth can help with events.

Humane Society of Harrisburg Area

717.564.3320

Website: www.jfsofhibg.org

Contact: Shaylee Payne, Ext. 450

Email: spayne@humanesocietyhbg.org

Location: 7790 Grayson Road, Harrisburg, PA 17111

Minimum Age: 8 (with parent or guardian)

Volunteer Opportunities: Youth ages 8-12 can join the junior volunteer program. After the child and chaperone or guardian (18 years+) have both submitted volunteer applications and have attended a volunteer orientation, the fun begins. Junior volunteers can tag along as you help out and participate in activities such as puppy socialization, kitten socialization, grooming, and reading to companions under your supervision.

International Service Center

717.236.9401

Website: www.isc76.org

Contact: Tuan Bui

E-mail: tuan@isc76.org

Location: 21 South River Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101

Minimum Age: 16

Willing to consider youth with court-mandated community service requirements.

Availability: Fridays, 1-4 p.m.

Volunteer Opportunities: Help distribute emergency food to the needy.

Join Hands Ministry

717.582.7844

Contact: Rita Schaaf

E-mail: info@joinhandspa.com

Web Application: www.joinhandspa.com

Location: 51 S. Church Street, Suite 1, New Bloomfield, PA 17068

Minimum Age: Students grade 9-12

Volunteer Opportunities: Are you entering grades 9–12 and looking to make a difference in your community? Join Hands Ministry is inviting motivated students to join our Youth Advisory Board! Help shape community programs, plan events, and be a voice for your peers. This is a great opportunity to grow as a leader and make a real impact.

Midwest Food Bank

717.614.0895

Website: www.midwestfoodbank.org/pennsylvania

Contact: Lisa Moyer

E-mail: lmoyer@mdidwestfoodbank.org

Location: 2700 Commerce Drive, Middletown, PA 17057

Minimum Age: 5. Children under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult.

Willing to accept court mandated community service.

Volunteer Opportunities: Volunteers are needed to help with projects in the warehouse that could include: repackaging bulk food items such as beans, rice and pasta; sorting donated product; labeling bags for distribution; and helping with load out. While not available consistently, administrative projects and cleaning may be available during normal business hours.

Mission Central

717.766.1533

Website: www.missioncentral.org

Contact: Anna Harris

E-mail: aharris@missioncentral.org

Location: 5 Pleasant View Drive, Mechanicsburg, PA 17050

Minimum Age: 15 with adult accompaniment. 16 with waiver form and permission slips completed by parent or guardian. Student groups require one adult for every five youth under 18 years of age. *Willing to consider youth with court-mandated community service requirements.*

Volunteer Opportunities: Youth are welcome for warehouse work, sorting items, making kits, outside yard work and cleaning projects. We also offer hours for community service and school service.

Ned Smith Center for Nature and Arts

717.692.3699

Website: www.nedsmithcenter.org

Contact: Emily Rosmus

E-mail: erosmus@nedsmithcenter.org

Location: 176 Water Company Road, Millersburg, PA 17061

Minimum Age: 16.

Willing to consider youth with court-mandated community service requirements.

Availability: Tuesday - Friday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Volunteer Opportunities: Volunteers are needed to improve hiking trails, assist with preparing education resource materials and props, maintain flower gardens, sort recycling, maintain wildlife feeding stations, clean and fill seed and nectar feeders for the birds and squirrels, and assist with a variety of administrative tasks.

New Hope Ministries

717.432.2087

Contact: Bev James, ext. 1205

E-mail: bjames@nhm-pa.net

Web Application: www.nhm-pa.net

Locations: Mechanicsburg Center - 5228 E. Trindle Road, Mechanicsburg, PA 17050

West Shore Center - 701 Bosler Avenue, Lemoyne, PA 17043

Enola Center - 110 Altoona Ave, Enola, PA 17025

Minimum Age: 16 (unless accompanied by an adult)

Volunteer Opportunities: Volunteers are needed to sort, package and stock food pantry shelves, and receive food orders. Volunteers are also needed for special events, assistance with large mailings and other administrative tasks.

Northern Dauphin County Branch YMCA

717.362.9494

Website: www.ymcaharrisburg.org

Contact: Sidney Gray

E-mail: sidney.gray@ymcaharrisburg.org

Location: 500 N. Church Street, Elizabethville, PA 17023

Minimum Age: 16. Any age accepted with court-mandated community service.

Willing to consider youth with court-mandated community service requirements.

Volunteer Opportunities: Cleaning, weeding, folding brochures, babysitting, helping with community events and serving as tour guides.

Northern Dauphin Human Services Center

717.905.2700

Contact: Bonnie Kent, Ext 0

E-mail: bkent@dauphincounty.gov

Location: 295 State Drive, Elizabethville, PA 17023

Minimum Age: 14. Younger if accompanied by an adult.

Willing to accept court mandated community service.

Volunteer Opportunities: In the garden: weeding, watering and harvesting. For community events: creating posters, setting up vendor tables, manning information and activity areas, handing out materials and playing games. Help is also needed to clean up after events.

Ronald McDonald House Charities of Central PA

717.533.4001

Website: www.rmhc-centralpa.org

Contact: Alyssa Noel, ext. 158

E-mail: anoel@rmhc-centralpa.org

Location: 745 West Governor Road, Hershey, PA 17033

Minimum Age: 12 (with parent)

Volunteer Opportunities: Opportunities include collecting glossy paper/magazines, collecting aluminum tabs and collecting "wish list" items. You can also purchase items and put together snack bags for the families. Volunteers are needed for outside clean-up and pulling weeds.

Susquehanna Service Dogs

717.599.5920

Website: www.khs.org/what-we-do/assistance-dogs/

E-mail: ssd@khs.org

Location: 1078 Gravel Hill Road, Grantville, PA 17028

Minimum Age: 12 years and older minimum (under 18 must be accompanied by parent/guardian)

Availability: Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m., occasional Saturdays

Volunteer Opportunities: Opportunities include weeding flower beds, spring/fall outdoor clean-up, organize a donation drive for dog supplies, and canine enrichment activities (volunteers must attend orientation prior to volunteering one on one with a dog).

Tri County Community Action

717.232.9757

Website: www.cactricounty.org/volunteer

Contact: Alexandra Datesman, ext. 117

E-mail: adatesman@cactricounty.org

Location: 1514 Derry Street, Harrisburg, PA 17104

Minimum Age: 12-15 with parent/guardian accompaniment. Ages 16 and up do not need accompaniment. Student to adult ratios for groups are 5:1 for middle school/junior high students and 10:1 for high school students. Signed parental/guardian consent waivers are required for all youth volunteers.

Volunteer Opportunities: Volunteers are needed to assist with neighborhood clean-ups and to maintain community gardens.

TOGETHER: Change Through Community at St. Peters Lutheran Church

717.944.4651

Website: www.stpetersmiddletown.org

Contact: Shannon Kelly

E-mail: skelly@stpetersmiddletown.org

Location: 121 N. Spring Street, Middletown

Minimum Age: Children and teens are welcome with adults; high school juniors and seniors can be unaccompanied.

Volunteer Opportunities: TOGETHER outreach provides food and clothing/basic needs through our Welcome Center, weekly meals, an afterschool youth program, a summer fun and lunch program for children and youth, along with other collaborative programs like Family Promise, Hope Academy bilingual preschool, and our Hope TOGETHER community garden. All of our outreach programs are at no cost to the community and funded through grants and donations.

Opportunities include gardening, building garden beds and teaching ecology during our Summer Fun and preschool programs. Cooks, servers and clean up help are always needed for our weekly community meals and the weeks of Family Promise. The Welcome Center is open four mornings per week and needs volunteer greeters, help sorting and folding clothes, and helping restocking food shelves. Youth programs need help with activities around leadership development, recreation activities, meal preparation and homework help. Hope Academy welcomes people to read to the children or help at special events with food and clean up. Join us as we work TOGETHER to change through being community

Tri-County OIC Adult Learning Center

717.238.7318

Website: www.tricountyoic.org

Contact: Christina Johnson

E-mail: cjohnson@tricountyoic.org

Location: 500 Maclay Street, Harrisburg, PA 17110

Minimum Age: 15

Availability: Monday – Thursday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Volunteer Opportunities: Tri-County OIC welcomes volunteers who want to make a difference in adult education, workforce development, and community engagement. Opportunities include:

- **Urban Garden Support:** Help maintain our large community garden—assist with outside clean-up, pulling weeds, planting, and seasonal upkeep.
- **BookyMobile Project:** Sort and categorize donated books for our OIC BookyMobile literacy initiative, bringing free books and learning resources to families and children.
- **Administrative Assistance:** Answer phones, greet visitors, and assist with family intake and student inquiries.
- **Community Outreach:** Help prepare outreach materials, distribute flyers, and promote upcoming programs, events, and volunteer opportunities.

UPMC Central PA Volunteer Services

717.657.7397 or 717.782.3353

Website: www.upmc.com/volunteer

Contacts: Stephanie Blandy (Community Osteopathic Hospital), blandyse@upmc.edu
Shonda Chapman (Harrisburg Hospital), chapmansg@upmc.edu
Paulo Oliveira (West Shore Hospital), oliveirap@upmc.edu

Location: 2005 Technology Parkway, 4th floor, Suite 445, Mechanicsburg 17055

Minimum Age: 15

Availability: June - August, Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Volunteer Opportunities: A variety of opportunities are available based upon the student's interest. Volunteers must complete application requirements, attend student orientation prior to volunteering and be committed to a minimum of 30 volunteer hours during the program period.

Vision Resources of Central Pennsylvania

717.238.2531

Website: www.vrocp.org

Contact: Cheryl Cuddy

E-mail: ccuddy@vrocp.org

Location: 1130 S. 19th Street, Harrisburg, PA 17110

Minimum Age: 16 and older

Volunteer Opportunities: Volunteers will assist the agency with tasks such as shredding, filing, painting and yardwork.

Whitaker Center for Science and the Arts

717.724.3850

Website: www.whitakercenter.org

Contact: Volunteer Coordinator

E-mail: volunteers@whitakercenter.org

Location: 222 Market Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101

Minimum Age: 16

Volunteer Opportunities: We rely on the enthusiasm, talent and creativity of our volunteers. Whether answering questions about an exhibit, helping guests to their seats in one of our theaters, or answering phones, volunteers are involved! The Whitaker Center welcomes diverse people of all ages, abilities, educational levels and backgrounds. The volunteer manager will help you select a role that matches your interests and abilities. A contribution of your time and talent is one of the most generous gifts you can make.

Wildheart

405.234.0866

Website: www.wildheartministries.net

Contact: Nic Dunlap

E-mail: contact@wildheartministries.net

Location: 333 South 13th Street, Harrisburg, PA 17104

Minimum Age: 12

Willing to consider youth with court-mandated community service requirements.

Volunteer Opportunities: Primarily focused on serving the community through beautification projects, volunteer opportunities consist of litter pickup, basic landscaping, illegal dumpsite removals, tending to community garden spaces and vacant lots. Volunteers can also serve at the urban farm, helping to prepare for educational field trips, maintain and beautify the property, planting/harvesting, and all that goes with operating a vegetable farm. Opportunities are available throughout the year, and some indoor options are available upon request.

YWCA of Carlisle

717.243.3818

Website: www.ywcacarlisle.org

Contact: Katherine Smith

E-mail: ksmith@ywcacarlisle.org

Location: 301 G Street, Carlisle, PA 17103

Minimum Age: 16

Availability: Weekdays, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. with occasional evening and weekend events

Volunteer Opportunities: Duties vary depending on organizational need. Tasks may include office work such as mailing, copying, answering phone, cleaning, organizing storage areas, taking inventory of games and preschool supplies, sorting, etc. For more than 100 years, YWCACCC has been dedicated to eliminating racism and empowering women and girls, and promoting peace, justice, freedom and dignity for all.

Website: www.ywcahbg.org

Contact: Jennifer Sands

E-mail: info@ywcahbg.org

Location: 1101 Market Street, Harrisburg, PA 17103

Minimum Age: 18

Availability: Weekdays, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. with occasional evening events

Volunteer Opportunities: Duties vary depending on operational needs. The tasks could include: administrative functions such as filing, copying, mailing, etc.; organizing storage areas; inventory toys, games and daycare supplies and donations; and light cleaning and housekeeping, including laundry. The YWCA is a well-respected nonprofit organization that is proud of the services offered to the community.



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