

Group Volunteer FAQ

Thank you for considering volunteering at Our House! Volunteers are truly the heart of Our House and we could not do what we do without your support. Please review common questions and answers listed.

Is there paperwork to be completed before volunteering with my group?

Yes, we ask that all groups complete a group application form found on our [website](#). Once the paperwork is completed, the House Coordinator will contact the group leader.

Can my group volunteer for a one-time event?

Yes. Please contact the House Coordinator to discuss details.

How big can a volunteer group be?

This depends on the project the group will work on. For example, if the group is cooking a meal we recommend 4-6 individuals. For cleaning or working in the yard we may require 6-10 people.

Can we volunteer as a family?

Yes, we are happy to work with families to find possible volunteer opportunities.

Can children volunteer at Our House?

We have opportunities for teens for in-person outdoors or virtual/at-home volunteering. We also have virtual/at-home volunteer projects for children and classroom projects. You do not need to fill out an application for a classroom project. For additional information please contact the House Coordinator.

How many guests should the group prepare goodie bags for?

We ask that you prepare enough goodie bags to accommodate 10-20 guests. We ask that groups provide all items needed for goodie bags.

How many guests should the group prepare dinner for?

Contact the House Coordinator to discuss since the amount of guests we have week to week may change.

Where does the group park when they arrive (for In-Person opportunities)?

Volunteers can park on the street and side of Our House.

Do you accept matching grants from my company for volunteer work?

Yes! Remind your volunteers to take advantage of matching-grants or gifts their organization offers.

Where do volunteers go when they arrive (for in-person volunteering)?

Volunteers report to the office at Our House. Currently volunteers will sign in, complete a photo consent form, and receive a disposable name tag.

I have a question you didn't answer. Who should I contact?

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