

Brandon Regional Health Centre Volunteer Application Process

What to expect when you apply to become a volunteer.

| | |
|--|---|
| Volunteering | <p>Volunteers are an integral part of our team and work in collaboration with staff to improve the health care experience for our patients. The majority of volunteer positions are during the weekday; daytime but we do have limited evening and weekend positions.</p> <p>Volunteers must be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ~15 years of age and up ~in good physical and mental health ~ able to commit to a regularly scheduled shift with minimal absences ~able to commit to a minimum of 6 months (seasonal and year round volunteers are welcome) ~ enthusiastic, positive, respectful, responsible ~ willing to contribute in a caring environment ~ commit a minimum of one hour per week ~ prepared to commit to the Personal Health Information Act and uphold a pledge of confidentiality. |
| Step 1 Applying | <p>Complete an application form available on-line or from Volunteer Services office located on the main floor of the Nurse's Residence building at the Hospital site. If you are under 18 years of age, consent from a parent/guardian is required.</p> <p>Two references are required. Reference contacts shall be one character and one work or volunteer; excluding family or relatives.</p> |
| Step 2 The Interview | <p>Once our office receives your application and a volunteer opportunity is available, Volunteer Services staff will contact you to arrange a date and time for an interview.</p> <p>The interview is our way to find out more about you and your interests and your availability. Available volunteer opportunities are discussed and questions are encouraged. During the interview you will be notified of required security clearances for applicants 18 years of age and older.</p> |
| Step 3 Screening | <p>After your interview, the Volunteer Services Manager will contact your references. At this time, security clearances will be requested for adult applicants.</p> |
| Step 4 The Offer | <p>If a successful match is made between your skills, abilities and interests and an available position, Volunteer Services will make you an offer. If you accept the offer an appointment will be arranged for orientation.</p> |
| Step 5 Training & Orientation | <p>The New Volunteer orientation involves approximately 2 hours of your time. A review of process' and policies are completed. A tour of the department and some areas of the hospital complex are conducted. Parking information is provided and a Picture Identification badge is ordered.</p> <p>A start date is determined for your first volunteer shift. Your first placement will be a training shift. After this first shift we then determine if the placement is suitable to both you and the department in which you are working.</p> |
| Contact Us: | Room N106, 150 McTavish Avenue East, Brandon, R7A 2B3 or (204) 578-2065 |
| Email: | bross@pmh-mb.ca |