Safely Volunteer

During the COVID-19 Outbreak

You can safely volunteer. Many nonprofits need your help now!

You've heard the Governor's messages: Stay at home unless you work in an essential job like healthcare or food service. Keep 6 feet distance between you and others outside your household. But our community needs your help! We encourage people under 65 without underlying health conditions to safely volunteer.

Volunteer at a food bank

Food banks are essential and continue to operate during the pandemic. They rely on volunteers to keep their doors open. To volunteer for Nourish Pierce County food banks, email volunteers@nourishpc.org.

Support homeless services

Help the homeless Benefits Access Department as a program assistance. You will support staff with the following duties:

- Completing client intakes.
- Returning phone calls.
- Processing client mail.
- Data entry.
- Additional administrative assistance.

Apply online at: https://associatedministries.org/get-involved/volunteer/

Provide childcare with Tacoma Public Schools

Tacoma Public Schools needs people to assist with providing care at day camps for the children of first responders and other medical staff. Email volunteer@graduatetacoma.org for questions about volunteering.

Check in with groups in your community
Local collaborations know of needs at the neighborhood level. You can check with local groups in your community. Contact the facilitators on this list.

Find other volunteer opportunities
Want to volunteer? View other volunteer opportunities from local nonprofits at uwpc.galaxydigital.com/covid-19-response.

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