



## GOOD THINGS HAPPEN WHEN YOU VOLUNTEER In Indiana County, PA!!

One of the most personally rewarding investments you can make is that of yourself and your skills. Many agencies can use your help. Below is a list of agencies, contact persons, and requests for volunteers or areas in which to volunteer.

<b>AGENCY NAME/ ADDRESS</b>	<b>CONTACT PERSON PHONE NUMBER</b>	<b>VOLUNTEER REQUESTS</b>
Aging Services, Inc. 1005 Oak Street, Indiana, PA 15701	Jim McQuown 724-349-4500	Help with group activities, crafts, reading, music, and card games. Also provide friendly visits on a one-on-one basis; Aging Services helps the PA Senior Environmental Corps and Evergreen Conservancy to recruit volunteers to monitor streams two times a month for one to three hours, Senior Environmental Corps volunteers must be 55 years of age. Monitoring streams involves physical activity in getting to the streams. (Call 724-479-8919 or 724-349-3333)
Alice Paul House P.O. Box 417 Indiana, PA 15701	Whitney Carmichael 724-349-5744	Volunteers to provide crisis intervention and trauma -informed empowerment counseling to victims/survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, other serious crimes and offenses by juvenile offenders. By completing this training course in paraprofessional crisis intervention and trauma-informed empowerment counseling you will be able to assist and empower individuals in crisis in person or on our 24- hour hotline.
American Red Cross 610 Kolter Drive Indiana, PA 15701	724-465-5678	Help with blood drives as a walker, greeter, or canteen worker. Disaster Action Team Caseworkers, and Health and Safety Instructors (CPR, FA, AED, Babysitting), and front desk/clerical support.
ARIN Center for Education 300 Indian Springs Road Indiana, PA 15701	724-463-5300 Ext. 2329	Tutor - to work with adults to improve basic reading and math skills, in preparation for the GED, or to improve English as a Second Language skills.
Big Hearts Little Hands Program of YMCA of Indiana County 60 North Ben Franklin Road Indiana, PA 15701	George Nace 724-463-9622	Mentor (provide guidance, care and emotional support) to one of Indiana County's youth in need. 1-3 hours per week
Community Action Council, Inc. At Chevy Chase Community Center 640 N. 5 <sup>th</sup> Street Indiana, PA 15701	724-463-0674	Volunteers to assist with clean up of the center, both inside and out; clerical such as filing, organizing, creating and editing spread sheets; and other administrative assistance; fundraising assistance;
Communities at Indian Haven Saltsburg Avenue Indiana, PA 15701	724-465-3900	Volunteers to assist with wheelchair transportation and assisting residents with activities (AM, PM, eve), including Bingo (Wed/Sat) and offering religious services (Sunday eve). Assist with prep and pushing wheelchairs on outings; bring appropriate pets to visit; share craft ideas/skills, and adopt-a-grandparent.
Community Guidance Center 793 Old Rte 119 Hwy N Indiana, PA 15701	Kerry Ray 724-465-5576 Ext 128	Volunteers needed for filing, data entry, and general clerical support
Evergreen Conservancy PO Box 783 Indiana, PA	724-471-6020 or Bob Lankard @ 724-463-8138	Volunteer Board Members; Environmental Educators to work with children at their Tanoma outdoor classroom and other locations (will train). Help with field work to do water monitoring, down loading data and site maintenance (training provided). Organizational help to manage memberships and help with social media.
Four Footed Friends 220 Beck Road Indiana, PA 15701	724-349-1144	Receptionist, animal care, dog walkers, special event volunteers, and fostering.
Heritage Hospice 625 Rustic Lodge Rd. Indiana, PA 15701	724-334-6600 Lauren Suprano	Support and companionship for patients/families; caregiver support such as running errands, light housekeeping; sewers of memory items, administrative support such as filing, copying, mailings, computer tasks, etc.

Hopeful Hearts/A Service of VNA Family Hospice Medical Arts Building 850 Hospital Road Suite 3000 Indiana, PA, 15701	Laura McLaine 724-463-6340	Peer support group facilitators, family greeters, food servers, office assistants, & special projects.
Indiana County Community Action Program (ICCAP) 827 Water St., PO Box 187 Indiana, PA 15701	724-465-2657 or 724-248-9555	Clerical assistance (phones, typing, filing); Shelter assistance (mentor, child-care provider); Warehouse work; Help with special events (for example, volunteers for Care and Share Day)
Indiana Free Library 845 Philadelphia Street Indiana, PA 15701	John Swanson 724-465-8841	Book-shelvers from 3 to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday. Training provided and background checks required. Open to students or anyone with a passion for books!
Indiana County Humane Society 191 Airport Road Indiana, PA 15701	724-465-7387 724-465-3977	Help with bathing, grooming, and walking animals; Office work (filing, mailing, answering phone); Help with special events (County Fair, school presentations, etc.), fundraising, grant writing, and publicity.
Indiana Regional Medical Center 835 Hospital Road Indiana, PA 15701	Betty Kubin 724-357-7138	Greeters needed at their different sites to greet patients/visitors and direct them to their proper departments/services; Information Desk/Guide needed as well as a Mail Room Volunteer who sorts mail for departments, staff, and patients.
Penn State Cooperative Extension-Indiana County 4H Program 827 Water St Indiana, PA 15701	Stacie Hritz 724-465-3880	Looking for volunteers who are interested in sharing a skill with youth in informal club settings. Volunteers can choose over 100 exciting projects  and can structure club meetings to fit their schedules.
Senior Corps - RSVP 105 Grace Way Punxsutawney, PA 15767	Samantha Schrecengost 800-648-3381 x236 <a href="mailto:sschrecengost@jccap.org">sschrecengost@jccap.org</a>	National volunteer organization-sponsored by CNCS. Provides volunteers age 55 & over with volunteer opportunities in nonprofit agencies (long and short term assignments). Benefits include free accident, personal liability and excess automobile insurance while volunteering, awards, and recognition events.
SNIPP (Spay Neuter Indiana PA Pets) 2559 Warren Road Indiana, PA 15701	Jeanne Stelmak 724-465-6515	Volunteers needed to help with a mobile clinic to alter cats-offered several times per year; help with physical set up/tear down, registration, phone calls to clients, observation of animals after surgery, and assistance with form completion. Also needed: Transportation Provider for cats (to be taken to Action for Animals in Derry so they may be altered), assistance with completion of paperwork, and help with community outreach and fundraising.
Society of St. Vincent de Paul St. Bernard of Clairvaux Church 200 Clairvaux Drive Indiana, PA 15701	Lynn Contrucci 724-471-2210	Volunteer for "Adopt an Elder" Program; at least 30 minutes of your time per month to visit someone in a nursing home or personal care home; need ongoing commitment
Torrance State Hospital PO Box 111 Torrance, PA 15779	Lenore Meketa 724-459-4464 <a href="mailto:lmeketa@pa.gov">lmeketa@pa.gov</a>	Library Aide for shelving books, filing and shelf reading; GED & Literacy Tutors; Basic Computer Tutor; Help with special events (picnic, auction, holiday events) through year. Looking for volunteers to be a friendly visitor for patients and to help with patient oriented activities.
VNA Family Hospice 859 Hospital Road, Suite 3000 Indiana, PA 15701	Mary Edith Cicola 724-463-8711	Support and companionship for patients and their family, respite relief and errands for families, grief support and reading and other activities for patients.

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