

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Skills desired for all volunteer positions:

- A friendly, compassionate, and non-judgmental attitude.
- Good communication skills—you'll be interacting with people from all walks of life as well as other volunteers, Executive Director and Board of Director Members.
- Desire to make a difference in the lives of low-income individuals and families.

WEEKLY VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITES (Tuesdays 1:30-4:45, Thursdays 8:30-11:30)

Pantry Pro – Shopping and Stocking Specialist

Make a difference by helping others shop for essential groceries and keeping our pantry shelves stocked and ready to serve the community! Great for people looking for group atmosphere. These positions work with other volunteers to make sure our clients have access to whatever they may need – non-perishable items, hygiene products, meat, produce, dairy and baked goods. These volunteers would be comfortable answering questions and providing guidance for navigating the pantry. Some lifting and reaching may be required, although we all share the load.

Welcome Wizard - Client Check-In Champion

Be the friendly face that greets our clients, checks them in with ease, and helps create a warm, welcoming experience at the pantry! This position is great for someone who is familiar with a computer or an iPad. The volunteer helps get information for new clients entered into our database and checks in and/or updates existing ones. Occasionally the volunteer also asks for feedback and/or administers surveys or offers information on other local assistance.

(Coming soon!) Resource Rockstars (Community Connectors)

Help guide clients to the resources they need while making meaningful connections in the community! Resource Rockstars will play a key role in empowering clients by helping them access valuable resources and services from other programs they may qualify for. This volunteer would be interested in engaging with clients onsite, identifying their needs and connecting them with available resources such as WIC, FoodShare, housing support, and more.

Board of Directors (openings available Oct 2024)

Volunteers on the Board help guide the pantry to be sustainable and continue to help those who need it. Time commitment is around 15-20 hours per year including fundraisers with a three-year commitment. These volunteers either have ideas or energy to help others execute ideas...or both! Many of those interested in the Board of Directors may consider a short-term project alongside the existing Board to get their feet wet!

For more information on these or other volunteering projects, please contact Director Amy Bergstrom – info@cchope.net or 715-907-2576