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## **VOLUNTEER POSITION DESCRIPTION**

Position: Welcome Centre Volunteer

**Location:** 99 Ottawa St. South, Kitchener

**Purpose:** To provide reception duties and administrative support at the

Welcome Centre

**Responsibilities:** Greet visitors, staff and people supported

Respond to telephone and in-person inquiries

Receive mail and deliveries

Perform various small clerical tasks Keep workplace clean and tidy

**Boundaries:** Volunteers will not be alone with people supported

Volunteers will be friendly, courteous and respectful to all visitors,

staff and people supported by KW Habilitation

Volunteers will not have access to confidential information

**Qualifications:** Customer service experience

Human Services sector experience

Excellent interpersonal and verbal communication skills

Excellent problem-solving skills

Computer proficiency – Microsoft Word an asset

Proficiency in English – verbal and written

Characteristics: Responsible, organized, flexible, friendly, outgoing

Able to follow directions, multi-task, and work independently

Respectful, welcoming, professional

Other Requirements: Vulnerable sector Police Records Check

Provide two references

Attend mandatory orientation and training

Risk Assessment: Low

**Training:** Volunteers will attend agency and job-specific orientations

Volunteers will complete online trainings

Violence in the WorkplaceHealth and Safety 4 Steps

- Accessibility of Ontarians with a Disability

- WHMIS

**Supervision:** Volunteer Coordinator/Administration team

**Availability:** 9:00am – 12:00pm, 1:00pm – 5:00pm

Monday - Friday

**Commitment:** Minimum of 3 hours per week for 6 months

**Benefits:** Volunteer appreciation events and activities

Be a part of an inclusive and person-centred team

Gain work experience

Develop interpersonal skills

Training opportunities Meet new people

**How to Apply:** 1. Complete and submit an application. Applications can be found

in the Volunteer section of our website: www.kwhab.ca

2. Attend an interview with the Volunteer Coordinator

3. Complete screening requirements

4. Receive notice of next steps

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