

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

(Updated: 5/23/2024)

Agency Name: Kline Galland Home

Agency Description: Part of the Kline Galland Circle of Care, Kline Galland Home is the only Jewish long-term skilled nursing facility in Washington State, and warmly welcomes all faiths. A part of the Seward Park neighborhood for over 100 years, Kline Galland Home currently offers three major areas of care: long-term skilled nursing care, short-term care and rehabilitation, and memory care. Residents have the option of engaging in a wide variety of life enrichment activities like art music, and games.

Position Description: Volunteers support a variety of enriching, stimulating, and fun programs, and enhance the quality of life of residents. Volunteer opportunities include:

- Life Enrichment Programs, supporting a variety of recreational programming (bingo, card and board games; arts and crafts projects; special interest groups)
- Pet Visits
- Caring Companions (1:1 social visits with residents)
- Memory Support Programs, such as challah baking, music, trivia or leading special interest groups
- Tech Support for residents
- Hospitality & Visitor Greeting

Qualifications: Volunteers should be dependable, have a pleasant and compassionate personality, and an interest in helping and supporting others. A desire to engage with the elderly and an openness to working in a Jewish environment are important.

Days/Hours: Preferred days are Sunday through Friday; some opportunities are available on Saturdays but activities are more limited. Recommended times are 10:30 am – 12 pm, 1:30 pm – 5:30 pm.

*40 hour minimum commitment required over the course of 3-6 months

Number of openings: Opportunities consistently available

TB test required prior to start (available on-site at no cost)

Other requirements:

- Passing of background check
- Completion of interview, assessment and onsite orientation training
- Commitment of 40-50 hours (at minimum) of service
- Agreement to adhere to organization policies (ie; patient confidentiality, etc)
- Copy of initial 2 dose Covid19 vaccination record
- Proof of current influenza vaccination

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Application Instructions: Please complete the brief Volunteer Interest Form online <https://www.klinegalland.org/get-involved/volunteer/volunteer-interest-form/> and a member of their team will contact you to arrange a phone interview. Due to variability of resident and staff needs, volunteer placement is not always guaranteed.