

## Volunteer Opportunities with YWCA Greater Cincinnati

<b>Program</b>	<b>Type of Service</b>	<b>Schedule</b>
Advocacy	Assist with the planning and coordination of Stand Against Racism: Stand Against Racism is a signature campaign of YWCA hosted each spring to build community and raise awareness about the negative impact of racism.	Ongoing
Advocacy	Assist with the planning and coordination of Domestic Violence Awareness Month events: We have established partnership with The Cincinnati Bengals for October, which is Domestic Violence Awareness Month and with the Cincinnati Reds to host an awareness campaign throughout the baseball season.	Ongoing
Advocacy	Attend community awareness events and distribute YWCA Greater Cincinnati resource materials (racial justice events, health fairs, etc.)	Ongoing
Childcare Center	Assist staff with activities for Infants-4 years	M-F 8a-4p, Downtown
Co-Ed Fitness Center	Distribute Flyers to Downtown/HR Contacts	Flexible
Development	Administrative Support, Mailing Prep	Various
Development, Career Women of Achievement	Set up, clean up, and host	Spring 2019 event is on May 8
Domestic Violence Shelter	Outdoor Beautification (weeding, planting)	Seasonal
Domestic Violence Shelter	Host a collection drive: Host a drive for needed items such as toiletries, bedding, school supplies, etc. or a collection drive for items on our Amazon wish list.	Ongoing
Domestic Violence Shelter	Plan and host a monthly Kids Club: A small group of volunteers plan and lead an activity for children, and give the parents a much-needed break. Parents remain on-site.	Ongoing
Domestic Violence Shelter	Provide and serve meals for special occasions: A group of volunteers prepares the meal which 3-4 volunteers serve to shelter clients	Ongoing
Domestic Violence Shelter	Plan and host a monthly birthday party for the shelter: A small group of volunteers plans a birthday party and provides a cake and decorations for all those celebrating a birthday that month.	Monthly
Domestic Violence Shelter	Decorate for the holidays: A group of volunteers collects holiday decorations (Valentine's Day, Independence Day, Halloween, Thanksgiving, winter holidays, etc.) and decorates the shelter.	Seasonal

*Turn over to see more volunteer opportunities.*

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Domestic Violence Shelter	Plan and host workshops/classes such as yoga, jewelry making, meditation, etc.: Volunteers would need to provide any needed materials.	Ongoing
Domestic Violence Shelter	Monthly Spruce Crew: A group of volunteers selects one day each month to assist in cleaning the shelter, i.e. dusting, sweeping, cleaning baseboards, etc. Ideally volunteers who help provide cleaning supplies.	Monthly
Domestic Violence Shelter	Create welcome kits containing wash cloths, bath towels, twin sheet set and blanket for families who enter shelter	Ongoing
Downtown YWCA Office	Volunteer for a shift at our downtown location's front desk: Individual volunteers commit to a set schedule to welcome visitors and answer the phone at our main office (898 Walnut Street). Volunteers will be trained.	Ongoing during the hours of M-F 9am-5pm
Family Justice Center	Create community resource guides for survivors of domestic violence	Ongoing
House of Peace (Domestic Violence Shelter, Eastern Area)	Outdoor Beautification (weeding, planting, building a raised garden bed)	Seasonal
House of Peace (Domestic Violence Shelter, Eastern Area)	Provide a meal for 14 people	Regularly (weekly or monthly)
Rising Stars	Pianist for Leadership Program Graduation	Annually in May
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Transitional Living Center	Outdoor Beautification (weeding, planting)	Seasonal
YWCA Eastern Area Center	Outdoor Beautification (weeding, planting), Batavia OH	Seasonal

**Thank you for your interest!**

For more information about these opportunities, contact Kate Jarvi at [kjarvi@ywcacin.org](mailto:kjarvi@ywcacin.org), 513-361-2154.

To apply to be a volunteer, complete and return the volunteer application located on the volunteer page of our website: [www.ywcacincinnati.org/get-involved/volunteer](http://www.ywcacincinnati.org/get-involved/volunteer).

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