



Volunteer Opportunities

1-1 Special Friend: If you like to socialize, play games, read out loud then why not consider becoming a 1-1 special friend. Some of our residents have little or no family and would enjoy someone to visit with them. Bethany will help pair you up with someone that shares similar interests as you. Often times these individuals may need someone to ride along for day trips, outings or appointments.

Shifts Needed: Daily

Activity Assistant: Volunteers are needed daily to help with a variety of crafts, games, cooking, socializing and other activities.

Shifts Needed: Daily

Evening Activity Assistant: Volunteers are needed to gather residents so they can participate in the activities after 4pm. Activities are usually one to two hours and volunteers are needed before, during and after the events.

Shifts Needed: Daily

Baking Demonstrations or Assistant: Every Tuesday at 10am the Assisted Living residents have a baking or cooking activity. Assistance is often needed to help with set up and clean up, getting residents down to the activity and helping with the cooking or baking. If you like to cook you can also talk about setting up a Baking Demonstration day for the residents to watch.

Shifts Needed: Tuesdays

Hours Available: 9:30 am to 11:30 am

Valet: Volunteers are needed to assist residents to and from the Beauty Shop, Activities, Bleu Barn, Fire Side Grille, Walks around Campus, church and so much more. If you are looking to get your steps in, this is a great way to do so! Our campus is quite large and residents love the company and chit-chat throughout the day.

Shifts Needed: Daily

Bingo Announcer: Volunteers are needed to announce bingo games and/or assist residents with playing bingo. Bingo prizes are provided. All you need is the willingness to have fun and socialize with residents. Bingo is held in Spruce Ridge Skilled Nursing and in The Pines Assisted Living.

Shifts Needed: Saturdays at The Pines, RCAC Assisted Living

Hours Available: 2:45pm-4:15pm

Shifts Needed: Mondays at Spruce Ridge Skilled Nursing

Hours Available: 1:45pm-3:15pm

Church Service Helper: Bethany has many different church services held throughout the week. Volunteers are needed to help bring residents to and from church from many areas of the campus. Help is needed one to two hours each day church is held.

Shifts Needed: Sundays

Hours Available: 9:15am-11:15am

Shifts Needed: Wednesdays

Hours Available: 9:45am-10:45am

Conversations: Enjoy sharing current news and the latest trends? “Conversations” is a time to learn about different topics, trends, travel, hobbies, Waupaca history or upcoming changes and historical events. If you have something that you would like to share with the Residents, sign up for a time slot.

Shifts Needed: Thursdays

Hours Available: 1:45pm-3:00pm

Driver: Drivers are needed for resident appointments or outings and country rides. Helping with outings you can also socialize and help the activities staff. Help get people on and off the bus, walk with residents and participate in qualifying activities. Please plan your hours with transportation, volunteer opportunities daily.

Shift Needed: Daily

Gardner: Bethany has many plants located inside and outside that need attending. Indoor: water plants, dust, sweep fallen leaves or flowers, prune if necessary. Outside: water plants, rake, prune landscaping, plant flowers or gardens, sweep sidewalks, clean up garbage etc. In the winter volunteers can help with shoveling, salting, clearing walkways etc. In the spring, summer and fall help clear and tidy up the Crystal River trail.

Shifts Needed: Daily

Housekeeping Assistant: Wipe down and sanitize tables, chairs, patio furniture, handrails and doorknobs. Clean windows, dust, clean entry ways, remove spider webs, pick up and dispose of cigarette butts and trash. Clean and sanitize wheelchairs throughout the week. Wash, sort, fold and put laundry away.

Shifts Needed: Daily

Men's Group: Visit with the men! This group of gentlemen meets weekly to talk about different topics of interest. Help spark topics and get to know the group.

Shifts Needed: Mondays

Hours Available: 10:00am-11:00am

Outing Assistant: Help assist residents on shopping days, assist with outings for meals, activities and social gatherings. Join in the fun when off campus.

Shifts Needed: Varies

Women's Group: Visit with the women! This group of women meets weekly to talk about different topics of interest, shows off their crafts or just has fun. Help spark topics and get to know the group.

Shifts Needed: Mondays

Hours Available: 10:00am-11:30am

Special Event Assistant: Special events vary each month; please see the activity calendar to plan your volunteering.

Shifts Needed: Varies

Support Clerk-Duties may include delivering mail, answering phones, checking office supply inventory, assisting with large projects, making copies, greeting visitors or using the computer for small tasks.

Shift Needed: Daily

Thrift Store Attendant: This is a fun activity for someone that enjoys sorting through treasures! Currently the Thrift Store does not have shopping hours but with your help it just might! The Thrift Store is made up of donations and has many items including: clothes, shoes, decorations, blankets, puzzles, games, books, yarn and more. As a Thrift Store volunteer you will sort through items, organize and help set up the store.

Shifts Needed: Daily

Workout Buddy: Help with set up for different classes, wiping down machines or encouraging people at the gym, greet members and potential members to the Wellness Center, assist Coordinator with tasks.

Shifts Needed: Daily

Walking Leader: Start a walking group. You pick the times and the route.

Shifts Needed: Daily

Reading Buddies: Do you enjoy reading? Why not read to someone out loud. Talk to them about the book and generate a conversation and a potential new friend.

Pedi-Cab: Do you enjoy biking, would you like to take Residents across campus or even into town. This is a great opportunity to socialize and do an activity you love.

Shifts Needed: Varies

Pet Therapy: Do you have a pet that enjoys socializing? Bring them by for a visit.

Shifts Needed: Varies

Bleu Barn Assistant: A person who loves to assist others is needed to help with orders, take meals to residents, get beverages, wash tables and socialize with residents.

Shifts Needed: Daily (Noon at 5pm)

Delivery Driver: Often maintenance has projects going on and are not able to get out to get materials needed. Do you enjoy going out and about? This would be a perfect opportunity for you!

Shifts Needed: Daily

Many volunteer times are flexible and can be set up to accommodate your schedule.

****Additional training required.***