



*HHHS is committed to recruiting and maintaining first rate registered volunteers who provide essential services in our community and support our clients and patients and staff throughout Haliburton County.*

*HHHS will achieve this standard by screening their volunteers, by providing ongoing training, by having a friendly, accessible, and responsive volunteer program, and staff that appreciate and understand the value of their volunteer coworkers.*

*There are numerous opportunities at HHHS to share your passion, your skills and your kind heart.*

*Let us help you find your perfect Volunteer Opportunity!*

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## **HOSPICE VOLUNTEERS**



### **A Hospice Volunteer is:**

- . Easy to talk to**
- . Caring/Compassionate**
- . Comfortable to be around**
- . Non-judgmental**
- . Positive**

*HHHS Volunteer Opportunity*

## **WHAT'S INVOLVED?**

At HHHS Hospice, we believe in:

- Quality of life
- Care of the whole person
- The need for family and caregiver wellness
- Providing respectful and non-judgmental support
- Respect for client choices
- Support for volunteers

## **EXPECTED DUTIES**

As a volunteer, the most important gift you bring is the gift of yourself, being there with the client to:

- Listen to concerns, fears, feelings
- Talk about the illness and about feelings of loss
- Provide respite to caregivers
- Provide practical support (letter writing, accompanying to medical appointments, etc.)
- Report volunteer hours to office monthly.

## **BENEFITS OF VOLUNTEERING**

*I feel that I am privileged to have the opportunity to share with my clients; they have taught me so much!"*

Hospice Volunteer

HHHS Hospice provides extensive training, ongoing support and supervision to all Volunteers. Training includes:

- Active listening skills
- Being non-judgmental
- What to say to a person who is palliative
- How to support caregivers/family members
- Working as part of a team

***Become a Hospice Volunteer***

*It's so rewarding!*

And you'd make a huge difference to someone in need.