

Interested in Volunteering with Us, But Not Sure if You Can Commit Long Term?

Some of our volunteer opportunities can be flexible to meet your needs!



CURRENT VOLUNTEER POSITIONS WITH JCS

All our volunteer vacancies are advertised through Volunteer SA/NT and the Go Volunteer website. To view our current volunteer vacancies, please go to:

<http://govolunteer.com.au/Opportunity/Organisation/3243>



A vibrant, welcoming community that is respectful of the needs of all people.

CONTACT US

To find out more about volunteering with us, please contact the Home & Community Support Team at:

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GAIN NEW SKILLS.
MAKE A DIFFERENCE.**



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Why Volunteer With Us?

Volunteers are key to the success of Jewish Community Services. Without our volunteers, much of the work we do would not be possible. Members of our community generously give their time, skills and energy to support our work in a range of services and programs.

By becoming a volunteer with JCS you can make new friends, learn new skills, gain further experience as part of your career & training development and help someone in need by offering support and companionship through offering your time in one of our programs and services. Here are some ways you can help JCS through volunteering:

- ❖ Providing individual transport to someone to attend a fortnightly movie, a monthly group lunch, visit a loved one in hospital or residential facility or to a medical appointment.
- ❖ Helping out with one of our regular group activities which may include helping to prepare for lunch, assist with a reading, computer, exercise, craft or special interest group.

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- ❖ Offering companionship to an older person in the community who is in need of some regular company. Our Friendly Visiting program enables volunteers to be matched with a client in the community who commits to a weekly or fortnightly visit to chat, play cards, read the newspaper, go for coffee... anything that interests you both.
- ❖ Providing basic administrative assistance and support to support administrative functions of JCS such keeping our website updated or production of the JCS newsletter.
- ❖ Providing on-going or specialist advice & skills for specific and specialised projects such as project planning, marketing, community development and research.
- ❖ Undertaking a post graduate student placement to gain practical experience and knowledge as part of your studies.

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The Benefits of Volunteering With JCS

- ❖ Expands your knowledge, skills and experience and increases your prospects of employment.
- ❖ Allows you to connect with individuals & communities, meet a diverse range of people and build friendships.
- ❖ Provides motivation, sense of worth, satisfaction and achievement.
- ❖ Give back to the community by helping others to improve independence, physical and psychological wellbeing.
- ❖ If you are recently retired or no longer working it's a great way to fill in some of your newly found spare time.
- ❖ JCS provides reimbursement of approved expenses that are incurred as a result of your volunteer work such as mileage, lunch, parking and activity fees.
- ❖ All training relevant to each volunteer position is provided and funded by JCS, this includes a First Aid certificate.
- ❖ Compulsory National Police Record checks are funded by JCS.

“Volunteers are not paid – not because they are worthless, but because they are priceless.”