Volunteer with us for a rewarding experience!
Volunteer Application Form

Personal Information
Name: (please print) ______________________________________________________

Address: ________________________________________________________________

City:____________________________________ Postal Code:_____________________

Phone:_________________________ Email:____________________________________

Briefly describe why you are interested and what you hope to accomplish as a GEF Seniors Housing volunteer.
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What types of volunteer opportunities are you interested in? (Please check)

☐ Administrative  ☐ Outings  ☐ Bingo  ☐ Fitness & Wellness  ☐ Special Events

☐ Games Assistant  ☐ Fundraising Events  ☐ Visitation  ☐ Other Opportunities:
(please indicate below)

(eg. music programs, arts and crafts, reading programs, mental fitness, pet visits, drama club, men's groups etc.)

Location & Availability
At what site(s) are you interested in volunteering? ______________________________

What days and times are you available for volunteering?
________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________

I am available to volunteer for approximately ______ hours each week.

I can make a commitment of ________________ (6-month commitment preferred)

How did you hear about our volunteer program?

☐ Advertisement  ☐ Friend  ☐ GEF  ☐ Volunteer Centre

☐ Other__________________________________________
Background Information

Education/Training:

________________________________________________________________________
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Present Occupation/Employment History:

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Hobbies/Skills/Interests:

________________________________________________________________________
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Previous/Current Volunteer Experience:

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References

Please provide the names of two persons as references (employment or education contacts are preferred)

Name: ________________________________________________________________

Phone:_________________________Email:____________________________________

Relationship to you:_______________________________________________________

Name: ________________________________________________________________

Phone:_________________________Email:____________________________________

Relationship to you:_______________________________________________________

I authorize GEF Seniors Housing to obtain references from the individuals listed above, and I certify that the information I have provided is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant Signature:_________________________________________Date:_____________________

Please note that if you are successful in obtaining a volunteer position, a Police Information Check with a Vulnerable Sector Check is required under the Protection for Persons in Care Act prior to the volunteer placement.
Volunteer and Connect with Seniors

When you volunteer, you are giving the gift of your time and talent to help others.

We welcome people who want to share their smiles, ideas, encouragement, enthusiasm, and energy.

We offer many volunteer opportunities to interact with seniors living at our residences throughout the city.

We are always looking for new program ideas and welcome your suggestions on anything that keeps seniors active mentally and physically.

You could assist our Recreation Coordinators with lodge activity programs, such as art classes, exercise programs, and special events or entertain seniors with your singing, dancing, or other musical talent.

To apply, fill in the form on the next two pages and drop it off or send it to the site of your choice.

You can find our locations on our website at www.gef.org.

GEF Seniors Housing is also happy to provide reference letters and confirmation of your volunteer hours to fulfill academic, corporate and association based volunteer requirements.

If you have any questions about volunteering with GEF Seniors Housing, please email volunteer@gef.org.