## CAN I BE A HOSPITAL VOLUNTEER?

A volunteer is someone who gives time to help others.

As a Volunteer you will receive training, support and supervision

We need people, all kinds of people with time or skills or a smile to share.





## FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT:

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#### WHY VOLUNTEER?

- C Learn new skills
- Meet new people
- Build your resume
- Make a difference
- Try something new
- C Be part of a team
- Challenge yourself

The list goes on...



I get immense pleasure from my work at Burwood and I'm happy to fill in when needed. The volunteers have regular gettogethers, and it's good to meet the others and get to know them," Jan Austin. Mobile Shop volunteer, Burwood Hospital.





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# WHAT MIGHT YOU BE DOING AT BURWOOD HOSPITAL?

Serving in the volunteer shop



Helping in the hospital gardens

Helping people find their way around

Hydrotherapy pool assistance

Helping with recreation activities

Assisting with music therapy

Assisting in the library

## WHAT WOULD YOU BE ASKED TO GIVE?

Time - as little as two hours per week unpaid

Enthusiasm and interest

Commitment - once you've decided to help, we have to rely on you like other staff

