

Customize Your Volunteer Experience

ABOUT

The Edlavitch DCJCC's Morris Cafritz Center for Community Service (MCCCS) provides your group with a meaningful volunteer experience custom-designed to fit your needs. We will work with you to put together a program that will engage and inspire the members of your group and works with your schedule.

With 30 years of experience in facilitating volunteer programming in the DC area, the MCCCS and its professional staff are uniquely equipped to partner with you on your day of giving back.

POSSIBLE ACTIVITIES

- Prepare a meal for a local agency serving those in need
- Serve a meal to those experiencing homelessness in DC
- Paint, landscape, repair, or provide other light construction for a shelter or low-income homeowner
- Do a river clean-up
- Remove invasive plants from native parks and green spaces
- Work on an urban farm
- Sort donations at the EDCJCC or a local service agency
- Create "dignity kits" with necessity items for men and women experiencing homelessness
- Assemble and pass out care packages to individuals experiencing homelessness

GUIDELINES

- Upon request, we can include a reflection or educational activity to explore the issue behind the volunteer activity
- We can accommodate groups of up to 50 individuals
- Youth under the age of 14 must be accompanied by an adult
- Youth under the age of 12 must have a 1 to 5 adult-to-child ratio
- All volunteers must sign a waiver of liability
- Cancellations must be made 48 hours in advance for a full refund of program fees
- Projects can range from 1 to 4 hours in length

COST

We request a per-person fee to cover the costs of supplies and staff time associated with each project. Because a large portion of the fee covers the costs of the project, a portion of it is tax-deductible.

GET STARTED!

For more information and to start planning your group volunteer project contact Sonya Weisburd at [202-777-3269](tel:202-777-3269) or sonyaw@edcjcc.org.

