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VOLUNTEERING AT THE RUTH ELLIS CENTER

The Ruth Ellis Center is dedicated to providing a safe and supportive space for LGBTQ+ young people. Volunteering with us offers a rewarding way to contribute to this mission through a variety of impactful projects.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- Beautification Projects: Help maintain and enhance our welcoming environment through gardening, painting, and other hands-on improvement projects.
- Resource Closet Support: Organize, stock shelves, and sort clothing donations to ensure our youth have easy access to necessary resources.
- Meal Preparation and Service: Directly connect with our youth in a meaningful way by preparing and serving nutritious meals at our Drop-In Center.

TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

To ensure a safe and effective environment, all volunteers must attend a quarterly training session. Training includes:

- Introduction to Volunteering: Covers what it means to volunteer at the Ruth Ellis Center.
- LGBTQ+ Cultural Competency: Understanding the unique needs and experiences of LGBTQ+ young people.
- Trauma-Informed Care: Best practices for interacting with and supporting our young people.

By completing this training, volunteers are well-prepared to make a positive impact.

Join us today in supporting our mission and creating a thriving community for LGBTQ+ young people.

GET STARTED

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