



## How much time do I have to commit?

There is a wide range of volunteering opportunities at JewishCare

Volunteering for some programs will constitute a significant commitment in terms of time and training. This may involve working directly with clients and can have a profound impact on the life of all parties involved. Most volunteers are however comfortable in providing less intensive support. Volunteers who only have maybe one hour a week can still make a substantial contribution to members of our community who need assistance and support. A volunteer does not have to make a regular commitment and can be 'on-call' to be contacted in case a client needs to go for an unscheduled appointment to a doctor or dentist.

## What do volunteers receive?

JewishCare volunteers receive all necessary training, professional support and supervision, as well as recognition for their valuable work.



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## Who do you contact?

To find out more about volunteering with JewishCare, phone the Volunteer Coordinator Lana Kofman on 8305 8040 or email [volunteer@jewishcare.com.au](mailto:volunteer@jewishcare.com.au)

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# Volunteer Services

## Supporting the Professional Services of JewishCare





JewishCare could not provide the range and quality of its service without the involvement of hundreds of dedicated volunteers.

## *Why become a volunteer?*

- To help the community
- To do something worthwhile
- To be involved with the work of JewishCare
- To gain personal satisfaction
- To meet people and maintain social contacts

## *Who are volunteers?*

People over the age of 16 who want to make a difference to their community.

## *What do volunteers do?*

JewishCare volunteers complement the work of the professional staff and ensure the range and quality of the services offered.

Programs that use volunteers include:

### Children, Family & Community Services

- Big Brothers Big Sisters of JewishCare, Sydney
- Family Support including meals / food roster
- Family to Family Respite
- Chessed Bereavement support
- Counselling
- Mental Health support groups
- Links North Shore
- Prison Outreach

### Disability Services

- Client support
- Beit Chaim
- Print 35
- Group activity program
- Outings and activities that help a client to achieve their personal goals

### Aged Services

- The Burger Centre (a partnership with Montefiore Home)
- Community Transport including using volunteer's own vehicle
- Home visiting
- Hospital and Nursing Home visiting
- Herta Muller Cassette Library
- Keeping in Touch Magazine
- Community Club Network clubs
- English Second Language classes

### Community relations

- Help to organise events to support the work of JewishCare

### Administration

- Provide administration support

