

Food Pantry Volunteer Opportunity

Position: Food Pantry Volunteer

Department: Health and Human Services **Location**: 7648 N Paulina St, Chicago. IL 60626

General Description: Food Pantry Volunteer Team members work with HECC staff to receive and sort food donations and prepare food packages for distribution to clients. Volunteer team members help keep the Food Pantry well-organized and operating

efficiently.

Time Commitment: Must be able to keep a consistent schedule and have availability

during at least one of the time slots listed below.

Mondays: 10:00pm – 4:30pm Wednesdays: 8:00am – 12:30pm Fridays: 8:00am – 12:00pm

Note: Volunteers must be able to lift between 10-50lbs

DUTIES/RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Unload deliveries from Greater Chicago Area Food Depository Truck and other Pantry partners
- Sort and clean fresh produce
- Sort, stock, and rotate food shelves
- Date food products
- Dispose of expired food
- Reorganize food and supplies, as needed
- Prepare food bags for distribution
- Assist in the distribution of food to clients
- Assist with paperwork, as assigned

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Ability to lift boxed food items (10 50 lbs.)
- Able to work as part of a volunteer team
- Flexibility and ability to adapt to a fastpaced environment
- Positive attitude
- Able to keep to a consistent schedule
- Basic computer skills are not required but are helpful

HECC Food Pantry Volunteer Application Form - Metropolitan Family Services

