

VOLUNTEER POSITION DESCRIPTIONS

On-call Volunteer Advocate Position Description

Purpose: To provide emotional support and information to survivors of sexual violence and child abuse and their families.

Major Responsibilities:

- Follow agency's confidentiality policy
- Accompany victims of sexual violence/child sexual abuse to the hospital providing support and information during the sexual assault evidence collection kit
- Provide support and information to child victims' parent(s)/caregiver(s)
- Provide information on the FREE services available

Requirements:

- Must be 18 or older
- Clean Criminal Background Checks (SLED/DSS/Federal & State/Sex Offender Registry)
- Valid Driver's License
- Working/reliable transportation
- Working/reliable cell phone and/or home phone
- Volunteer Application & Interview
- Completion of initial 27.5-hour Volunteer Training

Commitment:

- Remain with Beyond Abuse as a volunteer for six (6) months
- Sign up for 4-6 on-call shifts per month (required)

Benefits:

- Further your career goals
- Build your resume
- Sense of accomplishment
- Knowing you have helped others, your community, and an important cause
- Networking opportunities
- Experience in volunteering with a non-profit agency

Support Line Volunteer Position Description

Purpose: To provide emotional support and information to survivors of sexual violence and child abuse.

Major Responsibilities:

- Follow agency's confidentiality policy
- Respond and provide support to caller(s) who call in crisis
- Provide information on services available through the agency
- Ensure safety of caller
- Make referrals depending on callers needs
- Complete Crisis Intervention Assessment to verify caller is safe and in no danger of committing suicide/homicide