



Volunteer Opportunity Description

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: Field Production Farm Group

PROGRAM: Field Production Farm

TEAM #: 470

OPPORTUNITY LOCATION: Dahlia Campus for Health & Well-Being

PURPOSE: To work alongside our farmers and food distribution specialists, providing valuable skills related to growing and distributing food in a community and group setting. An opportunity that offers valuable team building experience while making a difference in the community. Groups from schools, summer camps, and offices are welcome to apply.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Responsibilities will vary depending on the Season and the Group
- Weeding -Seeding -Harvesting
- Transplanting -Fertilizing -Bed Building
- Cover Cropping

QUALIFICATIONS:

- No previous farming experience is necessary
- Can lift 40 lbs. and are willing to engage in strenuous, physically demanding tasks.
- We take health and safety very seriously, and have strict Food Safety and Biosecurity policies. Since this volunteer position involves direct contact with food items, we require that volunteer adhere to the following rules:
 - No illness within the past 48 hours prior to volunteering
 - No smokers (this relates to Tobacco Mosaic Virus which can put our crops at risk)
 - Always wear clean clothes, no dangling jewelry, and expect to tie your hair back
 - Please don't wear antiperspirant (this has to do with the aluminum content and potential cross-contamination)

SCHEDULE/TIME COMMITMENT *How many days of the week are they needed? What days of the week are they needed? For how many hours of the day are they needed?*

Groups of 5-20 persons are welcome to Volunteer Monday – Saturday for a 2-3 hour scheduled period.

*All group volunteer applications should be submitted at least 2 weeks prior to their preferred volunteer date. If volunteer groups would like to volunteer for longer than a 2-3 hour period please discuss during scheduling.

PREFERRED VOLUNTEER START DATE: N/A

EXPECETED VOLUNTEER END DATE: N/A