

## You can help!



Harbor House Domestic Abuse Programs serves individuals in Outagamie and Calumet Counties,

where it's estimated that 11,000 women and children are adversely affected by domestic violence.

You can help us ensure that they are safe in their own homes or help them find haven and help at Harbor House.

## A Gift to You

When you give your time to Harbor House, you may receive a gift yourself.

You could be answering the phone when a first-time caller reaches out for support:

*"Thanks for listening. It was hard to make this call, but I'm glad I did."* **That's a gift!**

When you ask a child to play a game, his face lights up. When you have to leave, he asks:

*"When can you come back?"* **That's a gift!**

Join us and make a positive difference in the lives of women and children.

## A Diverse Environment

The Volunteer Program of Harbor House Domestic Abuse Programs does not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, gender, religion, sexual orientation, marital status, age, disability, national origin, ancestry, pregnancy or childbirth, or color.



Harbor House encourages the involvement of individuals of diverse backgrounds. These volunteers enhance our environment, meet the needs of our clients, and enrich the lives of shelter residents.

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# volunteer opportunities



domestic abuse programs

## Volunteer at the Shelter

### Receptionist/Clerical Assistant

answer business phones  
update forms  
greet donors and clients at door

### Shelter & Help Line Coverage

answer crisis Help Line  
assist with shelter oversight

### Service Group Projects

special work projects for church and business groups

### House Manager's Team

shelter upkeep and maintenance  
organize donations  
special projects

## Volunteer with Kids (Ideas for Teens and Adults)

### Children's Advocate (Teen and Adult Volunteers)

assist with support groups  
provide one-on-one support  
tutor  
help with recreational activities

### Childcare (Teen Volunteers)

resources for other teens & children

### Prevention Education Advocate

(Teen Volunteers)  
serve as school liaisons  
present domestic violence issues to peers  
drama troupe (NEW!)

## Volunteer in the Community

### Legal Advocate

monitor courtroom proceedings  
support women during hearings

### Transportation Advocate

transport women to appointments  
support and assist during meetings

### Speakers Bureau

share the Harbor House story with community groups

## Education and Leadership Volunteer Opportunities

### Internships/Work Study and Community Service Jobs

full year, semester or summer  
internships; on-going opportunities

### Board of Directors

provide leadership, direction and financial oversight  
monthly board meetings, event and committee participation required

### Committees

Finance  
Fundraising  
Human Resources  
Long-Range Planning  
Public Relations  
Taste the Valley Event

## Notes

- Your time commitment can be as short as one hour or as long as eight hours, whether you volunteer once a week or once a month.
- **Training is provided for all volunteers.**
- Computer skills and general office knowledge and skills are a plus when volunteering as the Receptionist/Clerical Assistant.
- Teen Volunteers are able to work flexible hours during the school year, and some work continues throughout the summer.
- Liability insurance and mileage are provided for Transportation Advocates.
- Survivors of domestic violence are encouraged to volunteer. We urge survivors to apply for the Speakers Bureau—an opportunity for them to share their stories.

## Volunteer in Calumet County

Many of the volunteer opportunities available at our Appleton location are available at our satellite office in Chilton, also. Call (920) 849-7819 for details.