Approved Volunteering Organizations

Things to Remember:

- Volunteering through these organizations on this list will be accepted or any other underserved organization of your choice. Please email tqadri@uga.edu if you are unsure.
- You may volunteer at multiple sites.
- You must document and get a signature of a staff member or someone in leadership for each volunteer site; see volunteer sign-off sheet.
- You have until May 10th to complete 50 hours volunteering and submit documentation to the coordinator.
- Volunteering may take a while to set up, therefore students are strongly encouraged to start the process of volunteering early in the semester.
- Be aware not all volunteer sites may be accepting volunteers.
- To get the most from the program, students are encouraged to step outside their comfort zone and try a new volunteer opportunity. This will also be helpful on your professional school application if you challenge yourself.
- Volunteering must be completed during spring semester (January 24th to May 10th, 2023)

Poverty and Homelessness

- Athens PBJ
- Athens Area Homeless Shelter
- Family Promise of Athens
- The Sparrow's Nest
- Our Daily Bread
- Bigger Vision
- Northeast Georgia Food Bank
- Campus Kitchen
- Habitat for Humanity or Restore

Older Adults

- Athens Community Council on Aging

Any Hospice Volunteering (below are examples)

- Kindred Healthcare Hospice
- Pruitt Health Hospice
- Bridgeway Hospice
- Compassionate Care Hospice of Northern Georgia
- St. Mary’s Hospice

Children and Youth

- Clarke Co Mentor Program
- Boys & Girls Clubs of Athens
- Thomas Lay After-School Program
- Whatever it Takes
Athens Tutorial Program
Oasis Tutors
U-Lead Athens
Math Counts
Aces for Athens
Books for Keeps
Paper Airplanes
Food2Kids

Clinical
Mercy Health Center
Athens Nurses Clinic
Shifa Clinic
Athens Mobile Clinic
Grace Village Medical Clinic (Clarkston GA, Open Wednesdays and Saturdays)
Athens Neighborhood Health Clinic

Racial Justice
Athens Anti-Discrimination Movement
OSUMC Community Racial Justice Task Force

Disability
Destination Dawgs
Butterfly Dreams Farm
Extra Special People (ESP)
Georgia Options
Citizen Advocacy Athens-Clarke Inc

LGBTQ+
UGA LGBT Resource Center
The TREVOR Project
Athens Pride

Immigration and Refugees
El Refugio
Athens Immigrant Rights Coalition (AIRC)
Dignidad Inmigrante en Athens (DIA)
Oasis Tutors
U-Lead Athens
Miscellaneous

Athens Prison Tutorial
Athens Land Trust