



## 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 [tgadri@uga.edu](mailto:tgadri@uga.edu) if you are unsure.
- You may volunteer at multiple sites.
- You must **document and get the signature of a staff member** or someone in leadership for each volunteer site; see volunteer sign-off sheet.
- You have until April 27<sup>th</sup> 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 12<sup>th</sup> to April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2026**)

### Poverty and Homelessness

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[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

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[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

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[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](#)

[Pinewoods](#)

[Library](#)

## **Clinical**

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[Mercy Health Center](#)

[Athens Nurses Clinic](#)

[Shifa Clinic](#)

[Athens Free Clinic](#)

[Grace Village Medical Clinic](#) (Clarkston GA, Open Wednesdays and Saturdays)

[Athens Neighborhood Health Clinic](#)

[Mercer Clinic](#)

## **Racial Justice**

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[Athens Anti-Discrimination Movement](#)

[OSUMC Community Racial Justice Task Force](#)

[Casa De Amistad](#)

## **Disability**

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[Destination Dawgs](#)

[Butterfly Dreams Farm](#)

[Extra Special People \(ESP\)](#)

[Georgia Options](#)

[Citizen Advocacy Athens-Clarke Inc](#)

## **LGBTQ+**

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[UGA LGBT Resource Center](#)

[The TREVOR Project](#)

[Athens Pride](#)

## **Immigration and Refugees**

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[El Refugio](#)

[Athens Immigrant Rights Coalition \(AIRC\)](#)

[Dignidad Inmigrante en Athens \(DIA\)](#)

[Oasis Tutors](#)

## U-Lead Athens

## Miscellaneous

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[Athens Prison Tutorial](#)

[Athens Land Trust](#)