**Volunteer Opportunities as of July 2016**

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| **Program Area** | **Position** | **Profile** | **Shift** |
| Palliative Care | **Support Volunteer**  Hospice or Palliative training an asset | Volunteer under the supervision of the Care Team are provided the opportunity to work directly with patients and their families experiencing the personal journey of living and dying. | Afternoon or evening   * Monday * Thursday * Friday |
| Speech Language | **Mealtime Assistance Program (MAP)**  This position is a 1 to 1 ½ hour shift | The goal of the MAP is to train and support volunteers who wish to assist patients at mealtimes. Assistance can include actual feeding but may also involve helping the patient to be as independent as possible through set-up and verbal encouragement. | Breakfast – between 7:45 to 9:00 a.m.  Lunch – between 12:00 to 2:00 p.m.  Dinner – between 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. |
| Patient Visiting | **Friendly Visitor** | The Patient Visiting Program provides one-on-one regular visits to patients in order to meet their need for social involvement, independence, and self-esteem. | Any time of the week  Preferably in the afternoons |
| Spiritual Care | **Roman Catholic** | Assist in portering of patients to and from the service. Assist staff to set up for the service and encourage patients who are capable of doing so to participate in the service. | Sunday  1:30 – 3:30 p.m. |
| Therapeutic Recreation  Continuing on the second sheet. | **Artistic Expression**  Jewellery making alternates with Arts and Crafts each week | Volunteers will work 1:1 with patients to participate in the program as independently as possible.  Jewellery Making – Assist patients with design and string beads in order to complete earrings, bracelets and necklaces.  Arts and Crafts – Assist patients with painting, drawing, cutting and pasting etc. | Monday  2:15 – 4:00 p.m. |
| **Manicures** | The volunteer will be required to assist patients with painting / filing their finger nails ONLY. Volunteers should enjoy speaking, socializing with patients and be able to porter patients back to their rooms if needed. | Tuesdays  1:30 – 3:30 p.m. |
| **Bingo**  Must have an understanding of the rules and concepts of the game | Volunteers will be required to assist patients to participate in Bingo as independently. Assist patients with scanning for numbers, retrieving Bingo chips, repeating numbers and encouraging active participation. | Wednesday  2:15 – 3:45 p.m. |
| **Music Night** | The goal of the Club Phoenix program is to improve the quality of life for the patients by providing them with a change of environment and the opportunity to participate in a social activity of music and entertainment. | Thursday  7:00 – 8:30 p.m. |
| **Chinese Happy Hour** | Volunteer will be required to assist our Chinese patients to participate in crafts, social tea, storytelling, sign-along, games etc. | Tuesday  2:00 – 4:00 p.m.  MUST SPEAK Cantonese and or Mandarin |
| **Musical Visiting** | Provide patients with 1:1 visits. During these visits the volunteers may engage in conversation with patients, play music, | Weekday TBD  1:00 – 3:00 p.m.  Evenings  Weekends |

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