Visiting Volunteers

Age Requirements 18 and over Available 24/7 No Other Eligibility Criteria Residents of Metro Richmond. Intake Contact Colleen Wilhelm Intake Contact Email volunteer@familylifeline.org **Intake Process** Telephone; complete application. Referrals can call or email volunteer@familylifeline.com. This service is FREE. **Provider Refer** Yes **Report Problems** Call the Agency Self Refer Yes **Family Lifeline** http://www.familylifeline.org/ https://www.familylifeline.org/livingwell https://www.facebook.com/familylifeline/ Main (804) 282-4255 2325 West Broad Street 23220 VA **United States** Monday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm Tuesday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm Wednesday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm Thursday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm Friday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm

Saturday: Closed Sunday: Closed Additional Availability Comments Volunteer hours are flexible; friendly visiting hours are flexible Fee Structure No Fee Languages Spoken English

Family Lifeline's Visiting Volunteers Program is a volunteer-based friendly visiting program that provides companionship, outreach, and advocacy to individuals in the community. Our mission is to provide social engagement opportunities to older adults as well as persons with disabilities who are experiencing social isolation and loneliness. The Visiting Volunteer staff connects participants and volunteers and helps facilitate weekly friendly visits for one year. Staff also provide training and ongoing support to both.

To join as a participant, you must be at least 60 years or an individual aging with a disability, live independently, want a friendly visitor for weekly visits for one year, and, not be diagnosed with Alzheimer's or dementia or enrolled in hospice.

To join as a visiting volunteer, you must be a good listener and communicator. Have a good sense of humor. Provide own transportation. Commit to being a friendly visitor for weekly visits for one year. Ask about Phone Buddies, Stationary Projects, and Friendly Baskets of Cheer.

Call or email <u>volunteer@familylifeline.org</u> if you are interested in being a volunteer or participant.

This service is FREE.

Service Area(s) Chesterfield County

Henrico County

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Richmond City Email volunteer@familylifeline.org