Virtual Individual Volunteer Opportunities

The success of DASH programs would not be possible without the dedication and passion of volunteers! At DASH, you play a vital role in supporting survivors of domestic violence and their families. During the pandemic, we have put a pause on in-person volunteering and shifted to operate virtually. Please consider joining us in one of these capacities!

1. **Tutoring** - Work one-on-one with a child or adult seeking tutoring at DASH! Tutors help with language support, GED practice, and after school homework. We are not looking for experts, just enthusiastic, committed individuals. All tutors must be able to commit to the full September-May tutoring season.

2. **Social Media/Communications Support** - DASH is looking for volunteers with expertise in communications and marketing to support branded content for DASH communications such as email campaigns and local media opportunities. Design expertise in web design using WordPress, creating social media designs and ads is welcomed!

3. **Host a Drive** - Engage your networks to learn more about DASH and participate in a donation drive for DASH families! This is an ongoing activity to host anytime to collect essentials for families from our [Wish List](#) or create your own fundraiser on Facebook or a fundraising page.

4. **Skills-Based Support** - DASH is always looking for volunteers who have specific skills to bring to the table, which is a great way to help grow our organization and as well! We are always looking for enthusiastic volunteers who are willing to help us out with:
   - Grant writing
   - Graphic Design
   - Technology – e.g. Wordpress, Dashboards, Analytics

5. **Educator** – Do you have a skillset or knowledge base that you would like to share with our survivors? DASH has monthly community meetings to bring residents together to learn about a topic that has practical use as they plan and pursue their goals. Bring your knowledge to DASH!

*Volunteer opportunities require individuals to attend an orientation and undergo a background check. Orientations: All new volunteers are asked to attend a virtual orientation with our Volunteer Coordinator.

If you would like more information, would like to sign up, or have an idea that you don’t see here please contact Jessy Murgel at [jmurgel@dashdc.org](mailto:jmurgel@dashdc.org) or call 202-462-3274 x 227.