

## **What is my time commitment?**

Each volunteer position varies according to the assignment and your interest and availability. Check with the Volunteer Coordinator for more specifics.

## **Can I volunteer by myself or can I work as a group?**

Typically, an individual will volunteer individually, but friends, spouses, & family members can team together. A group of individuals may take on a volunteer opportunity and share time and responsibilities.

## **What happens if I'm on vacation or need to be off?**

Simply let your immediate supervisor know as far in advance as possible that you are going to be unavailable.

## **Is mileage reimbursed?**

Yes. If you are a volunteer driver or a friendly visitor, your mileage is reimbursed at the IRS reimbursement rate.



**Volunteer's can help with different events**

**Michigan 2-1-1** is an easy way to find help of all kinds, right in your community. Need help with food, housing, or paying bills? Need support in a family crisis or community disaster? We're here for you. Any time. All the time. Just call, text, or search online and we'll get you connected.

# **Montcalm County Commission on Aging**



## **Volunteer Program**

### **Calling all Volunteers!!!**

Providing opportunities for both older adults and younger individuals to assist Montcalm County senior citizens

For more information about becoming a volunteer, please call 989-831-7476

**Our mission is to provide senior citizens and their families with the necessary assistance and information to maintain health, dignity, independence, and well-being for all residents of Montcalm County who are 60 years of age and older.**

## **What can Volunteers do to help?**

### **Volunteer Driver**

Volunteers drive seniors to their medical and dental appointments, grocery shopping, errands, Senior Centers for activities and meals, and deliver Meals on Wheels, using their own vehicles and receiving mileage reimbursement, or using our vehicles.



### **Friendly Visitor**

Volunteers visit seniors in their homes. Volunteers are matched according to interests and location.

**VOLUNTEER**



### **Senior Center Volunteer**

Volunteers have a variety of things they can do to help within the senior centers. Volunteers can assist with activities, decorating or assist with on-site meals.



### **Office Volunteer**

Volunteers perform various office duties. They can help us with surveys, mailings, donations, filing, phone calls, organizing, shredding, copying and more.



### **Yarn Stitching Volunteer**

Volunteers can help make items such as walker/wheelchair bags, baby blankets/items for the local baby pantries, and lap robes. All items are donated throughout the county.

