

## **Current Volunteer Opportunities with Wellspring Family Services**

### **Family Store**

The Wellspring Family Store serves families with children ages 0-17 who are experiencing homelessness and poverty. The store provides free children's items (new and gently used). Individual volunteers are welcome anytime between 9am and 5pm (Monday through Friday) to help clients find the supplies they need to support their family. Typical activities include sorting through donated clothing, shoes, toys, books, and equipment to ensure only quality, items are available for families. This opportunity welcomes individuals and groups. Due to COVID-19 precautions, we have protocols in place to allow for safe volunteering.

### **Knitting for Families**

#### ***Virtual Opportunity***

In coordination with [Row House Yarn](#), we are seeking experienced knitters or volunteers who wish to learn knitting to help craft handmade blankets, hats and other items for children ages 0-17 who are served by Wellspring's Family Store. Those who crochet are also welcome! This opportunity provides a creative outlet to contribute to warm items for families in need in our community. If you would like to donate your time and skills for children, ages 0-17, who are experiencing homelessness in Seattle this is a great opportunity for you!

This could be the ideal, **ongoing virtual volunteer opportunity** for you if you have:

- Interest in supporting the mission of Wellspring Family Services
- Sufficient knowledge and experience in knitting **or** willingness to learn knitting
- Willingness to learn and adopt new techniques and methods for knitting
- Ability to participate in online virtual workshops and discussions. Post-COVID there may be opportunities to participate in in-person sessions

### **Admin Volunteer**

#### ***Marketing Assistance:***

We are looking for 7 to 10 volunteers who would like to support families facing homelessness by assisting in a marketing campaign to grow our Employee Assistance Program. The revenue from our EAP social enterprise helps support our community service programs. Please join the marketing team in a fun work party to assemble packages for our multi-touch campaign. This is a one-time volunteer opportunity to be scheduled for the last week of July.