



Volunteer Services



The support of volunteers is integral to the efforts of DonateLife to increase awareness of organ and tissue donation in the community.

We operate in 20 locations across Victoria, participating in community events to encourage people to discover the facts and discuss their decision about organ and tissue donation with their loved ones.



Why volunteer with DonatLife Victoria?

Expand and share your skills and experience

Gain valuable work experience

Connect with others, meet new people and build relationships

Increase your confidence and self-esteem

Give back to the community

Recognition and reward for your contribution

Ongoing training and development activities

Flexibility

What activities can I volunteer for?

There are a variety of activities and events that you can participate in as a volunteer. These include:

Information/trade displays

Event coordination and support

Administrative duties

Community speaking engagements

Media opportunities

We will make every effort to find a place that will suit your interests, skills and abilities.

What training is provided?

All volunteers participate in an online learning module, followed by an induction program. If you are interested in community speaking engagements or media opportunities, further training will be provided to you through our communications team.

How will I be supported?

Our Community Engagement Coordinator, staff and other volunteers will ensure that you are welcomed, informed and supported in your volunteer role.



**Say YES to
volunteering**

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Meet one of our Volunteers

Rachel Driscoll is in her last year of study for her medical degree at Deakin University in Geelong and has been a DonateLife Volunteer since 2013.



“Volunteering for DonateLife has been a highly rewarding experience, and has increased my passion regarding improving organ donation awareness in the community,” Rachel said.

Rachel’s passion is reaching out to the younger generations, encouraging them to have the conversation with their families about their donation wishes.

“As a young person, organ donation and end-of-life interventions are not widely discussed, and the process of becoming an organ donor is not well understood. What I have taken away from this is that it is never too young to discuss organ donation with your family or partner.”

“Helping DonateLife through volunteering has increased my understanding of many of the misconceptions held regarding organ donation in the general community, allowing these issues to now be addressed.”

Rachel says giving back through volunteering has had other benefits for her medical career, like improving communication skills and knowledge about the values and religious beliefs that can impact on families’ decision-making.

Find out more

Visit donatelife.gov.au/donatelife-victoria to learn more about volunteering with DonateLife Victoria.

How do I become a volunteer?

To request a copy of our application form, please contact:

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