

Lend a hand!

Community Volunteer Income Tax Program



Become a tax volunteer

Since 1971, the Canada Revenue Agency has worked with community volunteer organizations to help people complete their income tax and benefit returns.

Help people in your community

Many people don't know how to complete their income tax and benefit returns and are unable to pay for assistance. We need volunteers like you to provide this important community service to individuals who have low incomes and simple tax situations.

As a volunteer, we will ask you to respect the privacy of the client, decline any offers of monetary reward for your services, and return the completed income tax and benefit return and other personal documents to the client.

What do you get out of it?

Becoming a volunteer is easy and rewarding. As a volunteer, you will meet other people who, like you, are experienced in completing an income tax and benefit return and want to lend a hand at tax time.

You will also have the satisfaction of knowing that you are providing a service to those who may need it the most. The Canada Revenue Agency offers free volunteer tax training sessions to community organizations and individuals across the country and provides volunteers with a kit of handy reference material.

With the volunteer training session and reference material, you will be ready to help others in your community.

Remember, our employees are always available to help you if you have questions.

How can you get involved?

If you have experience in completing tax returns and you are interested in learning how you can help, visit our Web page at www.cra.gc.ca/volunteer or call us at 1-800-959-8281.

*You will be a welcome addition
to our volunteer network!*