



2024 Adult Volunteer Program Opportunity Guide

Application Submission

Applications will open
7/8-7/19

Acceptance

We will accept 50 volunteers
per application period

Zoo U

Application Cycle #3:
August 17th

New Volunteer Requirements

- Complete at least 3 General Volunteer Shifts from the choices on the right
- Attend a scheduled Docent Tour

Shadow Horticulture
Positions (March-
October)

Animal Handling
Assistant

Visibility Scan

Exhibit
Maintenance

Shadow Ambassador
Positions

Enrichment Building

Volunteers are
welcome to stay in
these roles for as
long as they would
like or continue the
roles in addition to
joining one of the
teams listed below

Once New Volunteer Requirements are Met (1+ months after Zoo U)

Guest
Experience
Sign Up

Animal Care
Application

Nutrition
Application

Horticulture
Application

Hospital
Application

Team Training

(contingent on accepted application and available positions)

Guest
Experience
TBD

Animal Care
September 7th
12-1:30pm

Nutrition
(as needed)

Horticulture
(1-2 times in
spring)

Hospital
(individual
training as
needed)

What Can I do?

Ambassador Positions
(info carts, conservation
spotlight)

Docent Training
(Fall 2025)

Exhibit
Interpreter
Positions

Keeper
Assistant
(cleaning, diet
prep,
enrichment,
etc.)

Nutrition Center
Assistant
(cleaning and
diet prep)

Horticulture
Team Member
(weeding,
mulching,
planting)

Veterinary Hospital
Assistant (cleaning)

Animal
Handling
Training

Animal
Handling
Positions

Animal Behavior
Observations

Veterinary Hospital
Program Support
(data entry)