



“Volunteering has given me the opportunity to meet so many incredible people, going through very difficult situations”

Joan
Day Oncology Volunteer



“Volunteering gives me the opportunity to put a smile on someone else’s face”

Liz
Clinic Volunteer



“Volunteering at BHS helps protect my mental and physical health”

Sugaa
Eureka Village Volunteer

Volunteer at Ballarat Health Services
“Together we make a difference”

How do I apply?



- Complete a Volunteer Application Form and return to Volunteer Services
- Attend an interview
- Police check and reference checks conducted
- Attend a one day training workshop

Contact Volunteer Services



Sue: 03 5320 6931
Vicki: 03 5320 3789
Email: volunteers@bhs.org.au
Address: Queen Elizabeth Centre,
 102 Ascot Street South, Ballarat
 PO Box 577 Ballarat 3353
 Visit www.bhs.org.au for more information and to apply online



“I like volunteering at BHS because I find helping others a rewarding experience.”

Markus

Emergency Department Volunteer



What will you gain?

- Learn new skills and gain valuable experience
- Meet new people and make friends
- Give something back to the community and feel great about helping others
- An opportunity to stay in touch and use skills
- Access to opportunities such as training, free immunisations and annual volunteer events

“It gives me the opportunity to give something back to the community”

Mike
Volunteer Driver



How you can help!

Ballarat Health Services has a strong and vibrant volunteer workforce, providing support and assistance to patients, clients, residents and their families, right across the organisation.

Anyone can apply, and no previous experience in a health setting is necessary. We offer a range of flexible volunteering opportunities.

At the Base Hospital; Providing assistance and a friendly ear to visitors in the Emergency Department, Outpatients and Day Procedure Unit; art and craft activities with children in the Paediatric ward; sale of books and newspapers to patients; conducting patient satisfaction surveys and acting as a simulated patient for educational purposes.

At the Queen Elizabeth Centre; providing support and companionship to patients in Gandarra Palliative Care Unit; mentoring new amputees and fundraising activities with the QE Ladies auxiliary.

At our Residential Aged Care facilities; providing companionship and assistance with games and fun activities such as cooking and outings.

In our Planned Activity Group Centres; helping staff deliver a program of fun and engaging activities to clients.