

Make an Impact with Virtual Volunteer Opportunities

Looking for ways to give back, but feeling stuck at home? Here are a few ideas for how you can help our community from the safety and comfort of your couch.

OPPORTUNITY: Honor a Caregiver (AdventHealth)

COMPANY: AdventHealth

Web: <https://www.adventhealth.com/coronavirus-resource-hub/form/honor-a-caregiver>

DESCRIPTION: A simple “thank you” or thoughtful gift can mean the world to a doctor, nurse, or caregiver during these unprecedented times. You can also send a word of encouragement to front-line teams who are working tirelessly through this health pandemic.

OPPORTUNITY: “Soap Saves Lives” - Build Hygiene Kits at Home

COMPANY: Clean The World

Contact: Amy Armstrong

Phone: 407-574-8353

Email: aarmstrong@cleantheworld.org

Web: cleantheworld.org

DESCRIPTION: Clean the World’s mission has never been more relevant than now. During these trying times, are you looking for a great community give-back activity for your employees to do while working from home? Companies large and small are working with this passionate organization to drive real impact in their local communities.

OPPORTUNITY: Face Masks for Community Hope Center Clients

COMPANY: Community Hope Center

Contact: Kiersten Funcheon

Phone: 321-677-0245

Email: Kiersten.funcheon@hope192.com

Web: hope192.com

DESCRIPTION: Calling all those with sewing skills! Your talents are needed to make face masks for clients who visit the Community Hope Center each week. If you’re interested in crafting face coverings for clients, please email Kiersten Funcheon for details.

OPPORTUNITY: Take Stock in Children – Virtual Classes

COMPANY: Education Foundation of Osceola – Take Stock in Children Program

Contact: Aggie Aponte

Phone: 407-846-8532

Email: Agueda.Aponte@osceolaschools.net

Web: foundationosceola.org

DESCRIPTION: The Education Foundation – Take Stock in Children program is looking for people interested in holding virtual talks with students in grades 8-12. Topics can be anything you're passionate about, including career paths, travel and tourism, hobbies, good books, etc.

OPPORTUNITY: Send Love to Seniors

COMPANY: Osceola Council on Aging

Phone: 407-846-8532

Email: housing@osceola-coa.com

Web: osceolagenerations.org

DESCRIPTION: During this time when many seniors feel isolated and lonely due to the COVID-19 quarantine, Osceola Council on Aging is looking for help sending support and positive thoughts to seniors by mailing or emailing a card, picture, drawing, or letter for a bit of cheer.

Mail: 2350 North Central Ave Kissimmee, FL 34741

Email: Housing@osceola-coa.com

(Note: Items mailed will be held in quarantine for a period to ensure the wellbeing of the recipients.)

OPPORTUNITY: Social Media Ambassador

COMPANY: Sunshine Foundation Dream Village

Contact: Wanda Curtis

Phone: 863-424-4188 (office) or 407-346-7828 (cell)

Email: wcurtis@sunshinefoundation.org

Web: www.sunshinefoundation.org

DESCRIPTION:

1. Follow, share, like, and comment on the Sunshine Foundation's social media posts found [here](#), and on the Dream Village's [Facebook](#) page.
2. Create a Facebook fundraiser and choose Sunshine Foundation as your charity. Share and invite your friends to contribute. The best part - 100% of all donations through Facebook will go directly to the foundation!
3. Visit the [Adopt A Dream](#) page and fundraise for children by sharing their link on your social media pages. You can also find children to help sponsor on the Adopt A Dream [waiting list](#). If you'd like to recruit a group of friends, family, or co-workers to help, a fundraising link can be set up for each person to share and track. Please send the list of people participating (first name, last name initial only, and email address) to adoptadream@sunshinefoundation.org. The system will email each person with a link and login for their individual fundraising page.

OPPORTUNITY: Share the Word – The Mercy Foundation

COMPANY: The Mercy Foundation

Atten: Aboo Patel

Phone: 833-MERCY-FL

Email: abbo@mercyfoundationusa.org

Web: mercyfoundationusa.org

DESCRIPTION: The Mercy Foundation’s mission is to assist the less fortunate and promote the common good through service work, including providing healthcare and education opportunities for all. Support their efforts by following and sharing their story via Facebook.

<https://www.facebook.com/mercyfoundationusa/>

Additional Virtual and Stay-at-Home Volunteer Opportunities:

- Heart of Florida United Way: <https://www.hfuw.org/virtualvolunteer/>
- RetailMeNot: <https://www.retailmenot.com/blog/virtual-volunteer-opportunities.html>
- Volunteer Match: <https://www.volunteermatch.org/search/virtual>