

Giving Back by **ENHANCING WELLNESS**

HealthFinders' unique care coordination model and innovative results are made possible by in-kind volunteer support, providing over \$600,000 in care annually to those with limited healthcare alternatives.

Be part of this life-changing work!

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We work as a team to improve the health of our uninsured, marginalized population without concern for anyone's ability to pay, their citizenship, or what we get out of it. It has introduced me to marvelous people. I feel very fulfilled and privileged to be part of HealthFinders and to have seen it grow from its very modest beginning in 2003.”

– Dr. Marshall Hansen
Volunteer Healthcare Provider



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What inspires me is that everything is centered around the people we serve. I am drawn to the genuine compassion that employees and volunteers share and contributing to something bigger than myself.”

– Olaf Morkeberg
Student Volunteer

Get Involved **MAKE AN IMPACT**

Volunteers, donors, and community engagement play a critical role in empowering change. By 2024, all of our neighbors in Rice County will feel secure about their healthcare. ***Join us as we double our impact!***



VOLUNTEER

Volunteering in any capacity helps carry forward our commitment to ensure equal and accessible healthcare in the Rice County area.



STAY CONNECTED

Follow along on social media to stay updated on HealthFinders news, happenings, and events.



GIVE A GIFT

Your contributions are tax deductible and will make a true impact on the health and well-being of our community.

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Get Involved

HealthFinders Needs You



About HealthFinders Collaborative

HealthFinders Collaborative (HFC) evolved from caring people at St. Dominic Church in Northfield who recognized the need to improve healthcare access in the community. HFC now consists of two community offices, located in Northfield and Faribault.

We are a community organization providing **quality healthcare, advocacy, and wellness education for people with limited healthcare alternatives.**

A dedicated group of staff and volunteer medical providers, nurses, interpreters, and receptionists, plus support and services from local hospitals and community and health system partners and organizations, makes this work possible.

Volunteers Meet Community Needs

Our volunteers are invaluable partners, delivering critical services and support. ***Not only do volunteers help us extend our resources, but their expertise and passion provides a unique quality of care and builds community within our clinic.***



Peek inside for **volunteer opportunities** and see how to get involved »

Volunteer Roles

► Student Interns

Through student internships during the school year and summer, interns gain experience by working in clinical operations, interpreting, dental assistance, communications and development, healthy lifestyles programming, and more. Students execute research studies, which mutually benefit HFC's community!

► Receptionists

Volunteer receptionists serve as a welcoming presence at HealthFinders and are responsible for greeting patients, administrative tasks and excellent customer service. Basic language skills in Spanish/Somali preferred, but not required.



► Community Volunteers

If you want to get involved with HealthFinders but are not experienced in healthcare or bilingual*, there is still a place for you.

- Serve on our board and committees
- Coordinate events
- Write stories for our website
- Take photos at activities and events
- Assist with landscaping and building maintenance
- Provide childcare at events
- And more!



**You do not need to speak English to be a community volunteer.*

No es necesario hablar inglés para ser voluntario comunitario.

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► Medical Providers

Volunteer providers (D.O., M.D., N.P., and P.A.) provide quality medical treatment/primary care and follow-up for a diverse patient population. They partner with patients and collaborate with other clinic volunteers and staff to improve patient outcomes. Must be licensed to practice in Minnesota.



► Nurses, Clinical Assistants, and Lab Specialists

Volunteer nurses (LPNs or RNs), medical assistants, EMTs, Certified Nursing Assistants (CNAs), phlebotomist/lab techs, and/or student nurses provide patient care and clinic support according to their license and experience. Nurses and medical assistants work independently to carry out patient intake processes, patient education, and point-of-care testing and assist with procedures, preparation, and coordination. EMTs, CNAs, and student nurses take vital signs, assist with patient flow, and provide clinic support.

► Dental Providers

Volunteer dentists, Registered Dental Assistants, dental therapists, and Registered Dental Hygienists provide quality dental treatment and patient follow-up. Duties include patient assessment and treatment, hard and soft tissue assessment, patient education, and clinic support. Must be licensed to practice in Minnesota.

► Interpreters

Volunteer interpreters come from a range of backgrounds, speaking Spanish or Somali, and assist with cross-cultural communication between patients and the care team. They help with medical/clinic interpretation, as well as group and individual interpretation for educational sessions and classes. Interpreters must be fluent and willing to expand their vocabulary to include medical terminology.

Visit **healthfindersmn.org/get-involved** or call **507.323.8100** to learn more or apply.