

volunteer

UNITED WAY OF THE CAPITAL REGION ON-SITE VOLUNTEER PROJECTS

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On-site volunteer projects are excellent for team building, and serve to reinforce your organization's dedication to giving back to support our community. United Way of the Capital Region is pleased to provide projects in health, education and basic needs. Many can include labels noting the items were collected and prepared by your organization. We can provide written instructions and flyers customized for your organization.

AREA	PROJECT	COST	TIME	COMMENTS
Basic Needs	Children's fleece blankets (3 yards)	\$12-\$30/blanket	1-1.5 hours	Fleece frequently goes on sale, so costs vary dramatically depending upon time of year.
Basic Needs	Adult fleece blankets (4 yards)	\$16-\$40/blanket	1-1.5 hours	Fleece frequently goes on sale, so costs vary dramatically depending upon time of year.
Basic Needs	Snack bags	\$4-\$6/bag	1-1.5 hours	Items can be purchased in bulk or collected through an employee drive. Branding opportunity
Basic Needs	Breakfast bags	\$4-\$5/bag	1 hour	Items can be purchased in bulk or collected through an employee drive. Branding opportunity
Basic Needs	Hats, gloves and mittens	\$1-\$10/set	1 hour	Volunteers can sort, count, pack and label boxes upon conclusion of drive.
Basic Needs	Birthday Bags	\$6-\$10/bag	1-1.5 hours	Items can be purchased or collected through an employee drive. Branding opportunity

AREA	PROJECT	COST	TIME	COMMENTS
Education	Literacy kits	\$5-\$12/kit	1 hour	Best for groups less than 12. Costs can be reduced by purchasing books and doing a drive for other items (crayons, pencils, glue sticks). Branding opportunity
Education	Classroom kits	\$35-\$50/kit	1-2 hours	Items can be purchased at reduced cost through United Way supplier or the company can do a drive. Branding opportunity
Education	Book drive	No cost	1 hour	Upon conclusion of the book drive, volunteers can sort the books by levels, pack into boxes and label.
Education	Craft drive	No cost	1 hour	Upon conclusion of the craft drive, volunteers can sort, count, pack and label boxes.
Health	Dental Kits	\$4-\$5/bag	1 hour	Items can be purchased in bulk through United Way supplier or the company can do a drive. Branding opportunity
Health	Breakfast Bags	\$4-\$5/bag	1 hour	High demand during summer months. Items can be purchased in bulk or the company can do a drive. Branding opportunity
Health	Personal hygiene kits	\$12 - \$15/kit	1 hour	Items can be purchased in bulk through United Way supplier or the company can do a drive. Branding opportunity
Health	Baby care kits	\$20 - \$25/kit	1 hour	Items can be purchased in bulk or collected through an employee drive. Branding opportunity

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