

Uplift

Northwest



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Uplift Northwest is a nonprofit employment and job readiness organization serving people who have experienced homelessness and poverty. Many of our participants are entering the workforce for the first time or returning after a break due to disruptions in their education or career.

Volunteers play a vital role in helping us achieve our mission: to guide people on their path to self-sufficiency by providing employment and job readiness services. They support our Roadmap to Independent and Sustained Employment (RISE) program, as well as other classes and supportive services for job seekers. Whether offering one-on-one support or helping someone navigate a new skill, volunteers make a meaningful difference every day.



Current Volunteer Opportunities

Learning Center Helper

Support Participants During Breaks between RISE Cohorts

Be a friendly presence in our Learning Center! Help participants with basic computer tasks like setting up email, logging into websites, and using everyday tools like Word or Google Docs. No special skills needed—just patience and a willingness to lend a hand.

Friday Job Support

Assist RISE Participants on Fridays

Join us on Fridays to support participants in our RISE program as they work on resumes, search for jobs online, and build confidence with digital tools. You'll work alongside staff in a supportive, encouraging space.

Community Resource Guide

Connect People to Local Services (Flexible Hours)

Use your local knowledge to help participants find services like housing, healthcare, food, and employment programs. This is a great role for someone familiar with Seattle-area resources—or eager to learn more and help others navigate them.

Career Support Volunteer

One-on-One Job Help (Flexible Hours)

Support job seekers as they write resumes, prepare for interviews, and explore career options. This role is all about offering practical help and encouragement to people working toward employment goals.

All volunteer roles are based in our Learning Center and take place Monday through Friday between 8:00 AM and 3:00 PM. We ask for a commitment of 2–8 hours per month, and all positions require a background check. To apply or learn more, just send an email to volunteer@upliftnw.org



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