



Strathmore FCSS KARE Volunteer Driver Program Volunteer Driver Job Description

Duties and Responsibilities

- Provide rides for clients to healthcare and personal appointments.
- Coordinate all trips through the FCSS Office.
- Be punctual and dependable in picking up the client at the scheduled time.
- Keep the FCSS Office informed regarding your availability
- Provide the FCSS office with as much notice as possible when cancelling a trip
- Maintain confidentiality regarding client information.
- Regular vehicle maintenance to ensure safety of clients - seat belts must be available.
- Provide annual updates on vehicle insurance policy and registration.
- Immediately report incidences, accidents or concerns to the FCSS Programmer.
- Inform the FCSS Office of any changes in address or phone number.
- Read the FCSS Driver Handbook and become familiar with program policies and procedures

Time Requirement

There is no minimum time requirement, however volunteers are asked to keep the FCSS Office updated of their availability.

Skills and Qualifications

1. Valid driver's license and safe driving record with a maximum of 3 demerit points.
2. A minimum of one million dollar liability insurance and current vehicle registration.
3. Access to a vehicle that is demonstrably roadworthy, reliable and suitable for client's needs.
4. No health conditions that may impair ability to drive safely (vision, hearing, perception, reflexes, certain medications, etc.).
5. Understand the limitations experienced by some individuals, such as mobility and hearing/vision loss.

Screening

The position of Volunteer Driver requires a rigorous level of screening that corresponds to the risk associated with volunteers who work unsupervised and transport passengers in their own vehicles.

Volunteers will provide and/or complete:

- Application
- Interview
- Oath of Confidentiality
- Reference check
- Police Security Clearance Check (including vulnerable persons sector)
- Driver's Abstract (to be updated annually- cost reimbursed)
- Proof of One Million Dollar Liability Insurance and current registration



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Benefits

1. Meet new people and gain new experiences.
2. A sense of pride and accomplishment for helping an individual to maintain their independence.
3. Experience personal growth.
4. Give back to your community.
5. Complementary personal development and education opportunities.