



Volunteer at the 15th World Congress on Public Health

3-7 April 2017 Melbourne Australia

Volunteering is a great way for you to be involved in the 15th World Congress on Public Health!

Up to one hundred volunteer positions will be available to support and attend the 15th World Congress on Public Health at the Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre from 3-7 April 2017.

As a volunteer, you will play a vital role in creating a positive and welcoming atmosphere for delegates while assisting the hosts to deliver a professionally run Congress.

Why Volunteer?

Receive free registration!

When you volunteer for 20 hours across four or five days, you will receive a full Congress registration. When you volunteer for four hours on one day you will receive a day registration for that day.

Meet and network

with a diverse range of stakeholders involved in public health from all over the globe including researchers, practitioners, academics, administrators, policy makers, industry representatives and students,

Make a direct contribution

to the success of this international forum for the exchange of knowledge and experiences on key public health issues, contributing towards protecting and promoting public health at a national and global level,

Add to your personal and professional growth

through taking advantage of this great opportunity

Add to your CV

Receive a letter of appreciation from the Congress organisers.

Who are we looking for?

We are looking for volunteers who have the time, dedication and enthusiasm to help us deliver this major international event.

If you are professional, committed, hard working, reliable and culturally sensitive, then you are exactly who we are looking for.



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What roles are available?

We are seeking volunteers to assist staff and support Congress delegates by:

- Staffing information desks and handling attendee registrations,
- Providing site directions,
- Acting as room runners and providing microphone support for Q&A sessions,
- Organising conference material,
- Supporting sessions to ensure they run smoothly,
- Providing support at breakout rooms,
- Meeting with people who require assistance in another language,
- Helping people get where they need to be, and
- Running errands related to conference activities.

These tasks will typically require multiple four to five hour periods. This will allow volunteers to spend half a day on congress activities and half a day at leisure attending congress sessions.

Who can apply?

To apply you will need to be:

- At least 18 years of age,
- Studying public health, health or medicine (or a relevant course),
- Fluent in English (proficiency in a second language would be an advantage),
- Available to attend at least one training/orientation session prior to the congress,
- Be available to work a total of 20 hours between 3 – 7 April 2017,
- Able to fund and take care of your own travel arrangements (this includes visa, flights and accommodation).

Note: preference will be given to students who are a member of one of the organisations on the National Organising Committee (i.e. Public Health Association of Australia, Australasian Epidemiological Association, Australian Health Promotion Association, Australian Women's Health Network, Public Health Association of New Zealand or enrolled in the Australasian Faculty of Public Health Medicine training program)

How to apply?

Applications to volunteer are open until 11 November 2016.

To volunteer you will need to register your details on-line and complete a short survey of selection criteria.

The successful applicants will be notified by 2 December 2016.

Further questions?

Email: info@wcph2017.com



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