

Volunteer Handymen/Handywomen
1-3 volunteer positions



H.I.T. Foundation

Home Is The Foundation

Everyone in Preble County has a safe and affordable place to call HOME

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Home is The Foundation, a 501c3 nonprofit located in Eaton, Ohio, was founded in 2003 and is made up of 3 programs: Affordable Housing, Senior Home Repair, and Homeless Services.

We are searching for volunteer handymen/handywomen to assist with our Senior Home Repair Program (SHRP). SHRP has provided hundreds of essential home repairs for qualified adult seniors 60+ in Preble County. We believe seniors should be able to stay safely in their homes for as long as possible.

Volunteer Overview

We are looking for reliable handymen/handywomen to assist with general projects on the interior or exterior of the homes of Preble County seniors. Your time is volunteer with no monetary pay, though mileage will be reimbursed. All supply costs are covered by donors and HIT Foundation.

Examples of Tasks

- Undertake light installation or carpentry work (e.g. build door ramps)
- Identify and report the need for major repairs
- Install grab bars or hand rails
- Painting/staining
- Cleaning/fixing gutters
- Replacing trim
- Installing new doors/repairing existing doors
- Caulking

Requirements

- Proven experience as handyman/handywoman
- Experience with hardware tools and power equipment
- Good communication ability, especially with the elderly
- Well-organized and apt in problem-solving
- Attention to detail
- Patience and kindness when working with the elderly
- Able to lift over 25 pounds
- All volunteer handymen/handywomen must pass a background check with HIT Foundation

Interested in volunteering? Please email your interest, experience, and number of hours you wish to volunteer monthly to Lindsay at lindsay@hitfoundation.org

Questions? Please email Lindsay or call 937-472-0500 ext. 409.