

Magellan's Pennsylvania team increases local volunteer opportunities at food and social services organizations

Over the past few months, Magellan Behavioral Health of Pennsylvania extended its annual tradition of identifying local volunteer opportunities for its employees at food and social services organizations. With increased interest to give back locally, Magellan employees were provided eight volunteer choices between September-November. This was an increase of opportunities and months offered compared to past annual campaigns which were primarily focused within October each year.

The six organizations (with a total of eight volunteer opportunities) chosen across the state, provided employees the choice to select a volunteer time off (VTO) company benefit opportunity that worked best for their schedule.

We encourage our provider network and community stakeholders to consider similar opportunities with the food and/or social services organizations listed below or with other organizations performing important work in local communities.

Red Cross Blood Drive, Bristol, PA

- **About:** On September 26, a team of volunteers from Magellan assisted with the local Red Cross Blood Drive at the Ancient Order of the Hibernians.
- Website

Mitzvah Circle, Lansdale, PA

- **About:** On October 8, November 13, and November 14, teams of volunteers from Magellan sorted and organized food donations at Mitzvah Circle.
- Website

Fresh Connect, Warminster, PA

- **About:** On October 22, a team of volunteers from Magellan assisted with the Fresh Connect Food Drive.
- Website

The Way Home, Johnstown, PA

- About: On October 23, a team of volunteers from Magellan did outside clean up to include winterizing the garden at The Way Home in Johnstown, a location operated by the Women's Help Center.
- Website

Worthwhile Wear, Plumsteadville, PA

- **About:** On October 25, a team of volunteers from Magellan organized donations, restocked the sales floor, and assisted with other store needs at Worthwhile Wear.
- Website

The Seed Farm, Nazareth, PA

- **About:** On October 29, Magellan volunteers planted seeds and did other farm-related volunteer activities at The Seed Farm.
- Website

For future community outreach requests in Pennsylvania, send an email to MBHofPA@magellanhealth.com.

