

## **VOLUNTEER AS A GROUP**

**Person to Person** gratefully offers group volunteer opportunities for our corporate and business partners. The size of the group we can accommodate will depend on the day, program, and location. Opportunities include:

Darien | 1864 Post Road (behind St. Luke's Church)

## **Food Pantry**

• Unload food from trucks, unpack and sort food for the pantry and/or help P2P families shop for food

## **Clothing Center**

• Sort clothes and help P2P families shop for clothes, toys, home goods and other general household items

Monday – Friday; 2-3 hour shifts
• Open 9am-3pm, shifts vary

Group size per shift: Up to 15 people

## **Stamford Warehouse** | 425 Fairfield Avenue

Unpacking and sorting food; prepare home deliveries

Tuesdays once per month; 1.5 hour shift

•11:30am-1pm

Group size per shift: Up to 8 people

Other programs (typically at the Darien location)

Coat Giveaway | October

Turkey Giveaway | November

Toy Store | December

Stamp Out Hunger | May

**Group Reservations** It is best to schedule your team-building volunteer experience up to three (3) months in advance but ask for at least one (1) month's notice of your group's intent to volunteer. To reserve a shift, please email Juri Garone, Chief Services and Community Relations Officer, at jurigarone@p2phelps.org.

**Eligibility** Volunteers must be of a minimum age of 14. We recommend comfortable clothing and closed-toed shoes. Most jobs require standing for the shift and lifting 30lb bags. Please indicate if anyone needs special accommodations.





**Engagement Costs** Person to Person is asking volunteer groups for a financial contribution in addition to their volunteer time. This is largely due to the increased demand in our community and the rise in the cost of food. These financial contributions are essential in purchasing food from Connecticut Foodshare and bulk distributors as well as operating our other programs for our clients.

Monetary Donation	Total Shift*	Benefits
\$10,000	4 shifts	Partner spotlight on website Plus benefits below
\$7,000	4 shifts	Community Corner feature in e-newsletter     Plus benefits below
\$5,000	3 shifts	<ul><li>Logo on P2P website for year participated</li><li>Plus benefits below</li></ul>
\$4,000	2 shifts	<ul> <li>Name recognition in e-newsletter to 12,000 subscribers</li> <li>Plus benefits below</li> </ul>
\$2,000 or \$200 per person/shift (e.g. 8 people @ \$200 = \$1,600)	1 shift	Social media group photo posting     Annual Report mention     Water provided to volunteers

<sup>\*</sup>Shifts are defined as up to 15 people per shift (2-3 hours) in Darien and up to 8 people per shift in Stamford.

(For example, a \$7,000 donation will provide 4 shifts which may be done on the same day or broken up into different days throughout the year.)

**Other** Please understand that when you sign up for an activity, you are committing to volunteer for the entire shift on the day chosen. If you find that you can no longer keep your commitment, please provide a minimum of three (3) weeks' notice from the start time of your activity.

Prior to the visit, Person to Person will send you a Volunteer Policy Agreement. Within that document we ask that you kindly provide us with the names and email addresses of each volunteer.

For any questions regarding volunteering, please contact Juri Garone, Chief Services and Community Relations Officer, at jurigarone@p2phelps.org.

For any questions regarding financial contributions, please contact Julie Moeller, Corporate Engagement Officer, at juliemoeller@p2phelps.org.

**Thank you.** Your dedication to Person is the cornerstone of our success, and we genuinely could not carry out our mission without your support.