



## Hope Lodge New York City Volunteer Interest Form

MISSION STATEMENT: The American Cancer Society is the nationwide, community-based, voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives and diminishing suffering from cancer, through research, education, advocacy and service.

HOPE LODGE: The American Cancer Society’s Hope Lodge New York City provides free lodging for cancer patients and their loved ones in a supportive and healing environment. Hope Lodge is located at West 32<sup>nd</sup> Street between Sixth and Seventh Avenues, steps away from Penn Station and our city’s mass transit system. The space is a combination of private and communal spaces, featuring 60 guest rooms, community kitchens, a main activity floor and a terrace. The environment allows guests to share their experiences and draw strength from one another in comfortable, home-like surroundings.

Please fill out the fields below and a member of the Hope Lodge team will contact you.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a cancer survivor? (Optional) \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

(If yes) Cancer Type \_\_\_\_\_ Year of Diagnosis \_\_\_\_\_

Do You Have Previous Volunteer Experience? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Name and Type of Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Skills Utilized: \_\_\_\_\_

Start Date (mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_ End Date (mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_ Hours per Week \_\_\_\_\_

Please note any special skills that would be helpful for us to know (ie. additional volunteer experience, medical background, computer skills, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_  
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## **The American Cancer Society's Hope Lodge Needs Your Help**

The American Cancer Society is the largest voluntary health organization with the world, with over 2 million volunteers. Hope Lodge volunteers are an integral part of our community – we depend on them to maintain a safe and comfortable environment and enhance the guest experience. The warm and caring presence of our volunteers has a lasting and positive impact on Hope Lodge guests. For more information about Hope Lodge New York City volunteer opportunities, please contact Lindsay Edgar at (212) 492-8407 or [Lindsay.Edgar@cancer.org](mailto:Lindsay.Edgar@cancer.org). For more information about the American Cancer Society, please call 1-800-ACS-2345 or visit [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org).

*Please check your area(s) of interest:*

### **Individual Volunteer Opportunities**

We are looking for volunteers to perform a variety of tasks during the weekdays and weekends, including administrative duties, upkeep of the space, greeting and assisting guests, and executing events and activities. Please fill in your availability in the following slots.

Shift	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesda	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
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8a-12p

12p-4p

4p-8p

### **Small Group (less than 8 people) Volunteer Opportunities**

Many of the social events and activities we offer our guests would not be possible without groups donating their time and talents. Small groups are the perfect hosts for group dinners, game nights and other fun activities. A small group can be a business, student club, community organization, family, etc. Volunteer Manager Lindsay Edgar will work with you to plan a fun and meaningful evening.

### **Large (more than 8 people) Volunteer Opportunities**

Occasionally large groups are needed for specific projects at Hope Lodge, including hosting holiday activities, assisting with fundraising activities and building upkeep. These opportunities are great for corporate and community groups.