



SHREVEPORT-BOSSIER RESCUE MISSION

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

He said to His disciples, "The harvest is so great, but the laborers are so few. So pray to the Lord who is in charge of the harvest; ask him to send out more workers for his fields." (Matthew 9:37-38)

All volunteers should attend a monthly Volunteer Orientation. Check the website at www.sbrescuemission.com for dates.

Name _____ Today's Date _____

Phone (Home) _____ (Work) _____ (Cell) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____ Date of Birth _____

Contact in Emergency _____ Phone _____

Skills and Interests/Educational Background

High School _____ College _____

Current Occupation _____

Hobbies, Interests _____

Special Skills (e.g. nurse, teacher, pastor) _____

Previous Volunteer Experience _____

Is there a particular type of volunteer work in which you are interested? *(Check all that apply)*

- Sorting donations in clothing, hygiene, and pantry rooms—as needed
- Thrift Store (Sort, price and hang clothing, straighten shelves. Monday – Saturday, 10 am – 4 pm)
- Warehouse (Various opportunities from lawn care & maintenance and more Monday- Friday, 8am - 4pm)³
- Serve breakfast to the homeless (Hours for breakfast are 6:45-7:15am Monday thru Sunday.)*
- Serve lunch to the homeless (Hours for lunch are 11:10-11:45 am Monday thru Sunday.)*
- Serve dinner to the homeless (Hours for dinner are 4:55-5:45pm Monday thru Sunday.)*
- Administrative (Answering phones, helping with mailings & other office needs. Monday-Friday, 8:30-4:30)
- Medical Clinic¹
- Dental Clinic²
- Therapist/Counselor³
- Tutor/teacher⁴
- Working with children – during Chapel 6 to 7 pm nightly

¹⁻⁴ If you are a licensed therapist, nurse, doctor, dentist, or certified teacher etc. and would like to participate in a clinic or donate your services you must bring a copy of your license or certification and call and set up an interview. Call 227-2868 Ext. 104 for more information.

*Please no more than 6 volunteers at a time because the kitchen has limited space and activities. Hours are subject to change.

If licensed to practice a profession, please list the profession and the state in which licensed. _____

At what times are you interested in volunteering? Flexible Weekdays Evenings Weekends

Are you interested in a one-time event or volunteering on an ongoing basis? One-Time Event Ongoing Basis

If one-time event, check box if you are unable to volunteer for the Rescue Mission for future events

How did you hear about us? Advertisement Internet Friend/volunteer Other _____

PERSONAL (SBRM reserves the right to conduct a background check on any prospective volunteer.)

Have you ever been charged or convicted of a felony, or of a sex-related offense? Yes No If yes, explain:

The Shreveport-Bossier Rescue Mission is an evangelical, Christian, humanitarian organization. Because of the unique nature of our Christian ministry, we would like our volunteers feel comfortable with our organization. Please take a moment to answer the following questions that help us in evaluating our compatibility. Thank you for sharing your thoughts with us and for your interest in volunteering with us.

Are you presently attending a church? Yes No If yes, please give more information:

Church Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Your pastor's name _____

Are you involved in serving at your church? Yes No Specify areas where you serve (i.e., singing in choir, teaching children, etc.): _____

AGREEMENT

It is understood and agreed upon by the Shreveport-Bossier Rescue Mission and the undersigned that the relationship being entered into is one of volunteerism and not employment; that both parties agree there will be no payment or fringe benefits which may be enjoyed by regular employees; and that either party may terminate the volunteer services at any time, with or without cause and without prior notice.

Volunteer Signature

We appreciate your interest in volunteering!
Please return completed form to: Shreveport-Bossier Rescue Mission
901 McNeil Street, Shreveport, LA 71133 Phone: 318-227-2868 Ext. 104 Fax: 318-629-8493
www.sbrescuemission.com