



A direct opportunity to activate the mission of Catholic Charities Dallas and serve our neighbor in need.

Decompression Center Volunteers



Please note that a majority of roles require bilingual volunteers and **all** volunteers must be cleared with the Diocese of Dallas.

Volunteer Request

The Kay Bailey Hutchison Convention Center will be used for the next 90 days or longer beginning as early as this week, according to written notification sent to members of the Dallas City Council on Monday. Federal agencies will use the facility to house boys ages 15 to 17, according to the memo, which describes the soon-to-open site as a “decompression center.” We need your immediate help to provide peace and comfort to this vulnerable population.

Volunteer Roles

- Case Management Assistance: Bilingual only. Day and night shifts
- Intake Worker: Bilingual only. Night shift, some day shifts.
- Bathroom or Showers Monitor: Bilingual or English-only. Male volunteers only. Day and night shift.
- Chaperone for Children: Bilingual or English-only (bilingual preferred) Day and night shift.

Volunteer Guidelines

- All training will be provided on-site by HHS
- Meals and beverages are provided
- COVID-19: For the safety and well-being of all, volunteers will be asked to follow COVID-19 CDC guidelines.
- Safe environment: Please note this opportunity requires safe environment clearance. Renew your clearance at <https://dallas.setanet.org/obligations.php>
- **If you are interested and available to volunteer, please indicate your interest by emailing volunteer@ccdallas.org.**

Shift Times

Volunteer shifts are around the clock in 6-hour increments:
7 AM – 1 PM | 1 PM – 7 PM | 7 PM – 1 AM | 1 AM – 7 AM