

VOLUNTEERS

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Central California Blood Center locations:

Jenny Eller Donor Center
4343 W. Herndon Avenue
Fresno, CA 93722
559-389-LIFE (5433)
Fax 559-225-1602

Fresno Donor Center
3445 N. First Street
Fresno, CA 93726
559-224-2900
Fax 559-224-1373

North Fresno Donor Center
8094 N. Cedar Avenue
Fresno, CA 93720
559-324-1211
Fax 559-324-1741

Visalia Donor Center
1515 S. Mooney Boulevard
Visalia, CA 93277
559-625-3121
Fax 559-625-2136

Porterville Donor Center
93 N. Main Street
Porterville, CA 93257
559-781-5532
Fax 559-781-5914
Fax 559-225-1602

Central California Blood Center
Volunteer Contact Information:
559-389-5446
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Is volunteering for you?

Central California Blood Center (CCBC) volunteers are links in a life-saving chain of services that gets blood to patients in Central Valley hospitals. Without volunteers, that connection wouldn't exist and patients would suffer. So, volunteers from every walk of life are as vital to the community as blood donation.

What is required of a volunteer?

- be at least 17 years of age - there is no upper age limit to volunteer
- complete CCBC volunteer application and training
- provide quality service to donors
- schedules can be as specific or as flexible as you need it to be

What are the benefits?

- helping to save lives
- gain work experience
- have the opportunity to do something great for your community

Primary Volunteer Positions

Administrative Assistance

Provide vital support to the Central California Blood Center's internal operations.

- corporate site only
- regular recurring shifts and on-call shifts available



Donor Monitor

Monitor donors for post-donation reaction while serving refreshments and maintaining positive customer relations. Help donors schedule their next appointment.

- at donor centers and special event drives
- regular recurring shifts and on-call shifts available

Special Project Groups

Help assemble Donor Reward coupon packs or use your talent for sewing as one of the Quilting V's.

- regular recurring shifts

Special Event Blood Drives

Guide donors through the various stages of the donation process and/or help promote and recruit donors during special event drives.

- at donor centers and off-site
- on-call shifts available



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Volunteers promote the Great Pumpkin Blood Drive



“CCBC volunteers actively partner with Blood Center staff to provide safe and reliable blood services for our communities and the patients we serve.”



Quilting V's talk about their latest project.

Our Philosophy

The Board members and staff of the Central California Blood Center (CCBC) truly believe volunteers are the life-blood of our organization. Without the selfless help of these generous members of our community, CCBC would not be able to successfully complete its mission, to save lives.

This is our philosophy: volunteers support other volunteers. It is an idea that generates and sustains a remarkably strong sense of community. And, within that community, there are volunteers dedicated to making life better for all of us.

By being a part of the Central California Blood Center's volunteer program, you will be helping to ensure a stable blood supply for the entire Central Valley. And, for patients in hospitals across the five county area, that could make all the difference in the world.

The Central California Blood Center provides our volunteers with a variety of opportunities to interact with the community; build relationships and skills; and help others understand the importance of their contributions. Come and be a member of our valuable life-saving team!

About Us

The Central California Blood Center (CCBC) has been helping save lives for more than 50 years and is the sole provider of blood and blood products for the 31 hospitals in Fresno, Tulare, Madera, Kings and Mariposa Counties.

CCBC must collect between 5,000 to 6,000 pints of blood a month to meet the needs of our Central Valley community.

The Central California Blood Center has donor center locations in Central Fresno, North Fresno, Visalia and Porterville. The newly built Jenny Eller Donor Center in Northwest Fresno is also the site of the corporate headquarters.

The Central California Blood Center is licensed by the United State's Food and Drug Administration.

CCBC is accredited by the American Association of Blood Banks (AABB).

The Central California Blood Center is a member of America's Blood Centers (ABC), North America's largest network of non-profit community centers, which collects half of America's blood supply.

Join Our Life-Saving Team

To be a part of the Central California Blood Center's Volunteer Program, the most important qualification is a passion to give back to the community. Potential volunteers must also:

- be at least 17 years of age, and just like blood donation, there is no upper age limit.
- call 224-2900, ext. 3017 and make an appointment to meet with our Volunteer Coordinator
- complete an application, background check and training
- get ready to have some fun and help save lives!

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