



Southeast Louisiana Veterans Health Care System Stand Down 2016 **Volunteer Registration Form**

Thank you for your interest in volunteering for our Stand Down for Homeless Veterans on Saturday, October 22 at our new facility, located at 2400 Canal St. We are very happy to have you join us in support of helping homeless Veterans in New Orleans. This year's Stand Down will be very special. We are holding the event at our new hospital, and making it the first time that Veterans will receive medical care within this facility.

Stand Down supports approximately 500 homeless people from greater New Orleans. We are very happy to have you join our team on this "Make a Difference Day" to participate in this special event.

Given that we are holding this event at our new facility, we have a few changes in place for the program. To help ensure the day runs smoothly, all volunteers are **required** to attend a Stand Down volunteer orientation session. At this orientation you will be given important information and specific guidance about your volunteer shift.

This year we are requiring all volunteers be at least 14 years old and in high school to volunteer at Stand Down due to the nature of the event.

Please fill out the short form included and email it back to our Voluntary Service office. We will do our best to place you in one your top choices. We will be sure to follow up with you once we receive the form back.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any additional questions. We look forward to you joining us on this day.

Thank you!

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Name: _____

Organization: _____ Approx. number in group: _____

Phone number: _____ email: _____

___ I'd like additional information on becoming a regularly scheduled volunteer at the VA!

Orientation Volunteer Shifts:

Please select one orientation date to attend. Orientation is required to volunteer

___ October 1 (Saturday) 9 am- 11 am

___ October 15 (Saturday) 9 am- 11 am

___ October 6 (Thursday) 4:30- 6:30 pm

___ October 19 (Wednesday) 5 pm- 7 pm

October 22 Volunteer Shifts:

Civilian Clothing ___ 7- 12 ___ 11- 3 (15 volunteers needed/shift)

Dental ___ 8- 12 ___ 11- 3 (2 volunteers needed)

Military Clothing ___ 8- 2 (or until all the clothes are given out, 10 volunteers)

Welcome Gate ___ 7- 12 ___ 11- 3 (10 volunteers needed/shift)

Escorts ___ 8- 12 (100 volunteers) ___ 11- 3 (100 volunteers)

Way Finders ___ 8- 12 ___ 11- 3 (15 volunteers needed/shift)

Break Down ___ 1- 3 (25 volunteers needed)

Pre-Stand Down Volunteering

I'm interested in volunteering to help before the Stand Down in one of the following areas:

___ Organizing Donations at the VA hospital: ___ weekdays ___ weekends

___ Setting up on Friday, October 21

___ Helping to procure needed donations

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