



POSITION TITLE: Community Chords Music Therapy Volunteer

JOB SUMMARY: Volunteers will provide support to Community Chords Music Therapy (CCMT) program before, during, and after music therapy groups for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities at the Knox Music Institute. The ideal candidates will be energetic, reliable, and helpful, with a heart for supporting and cultivating relationships with adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities in the community.

REPORTS to: Community Chords Music Therapist

AVAILABLE HOURS

- Tuesday mornings: 9:30AM – 1:30PM
- Wednesday 9:30AM – 12:30PM
- Thursday 9:30AM – 12:30PM

DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Complete general orientation to CCMT with Program Director.
- Maintain confidentiality of CCMT participants.
- Greet and welcome groups coming to the Knox Music Institute.
- Assist with set-up and break down for groups (moving chairs, sanitizing instruments, storing instruments).
- Attend music therapy group and assist/support participants as discussed/directed by Music Therapist [see note below].
- Escort groups as they exit the Knox Music Institute and the Miller Theater.
- Communicate promptly and openly with Music Therapist about scheduling and availability.

SKILLS & ABILITIES

- No musical training or experience required; music appreciation desired!
- Openness to adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities.
- Strength-based mindset is a must.
- Willingness to participate musically in groups is helpful (sing with the group, play a drum, etc); however, expectations can be aligned upon interview.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Background check required.
- Proof of COVID vaccinations is required.
- Masking may be required depending on the status of COVID transmission in the community and the infection control practices of our community partners.

If interested and available for one or more volunteer shift, please send a letter of interest to: communitychords@augustasympphony.com