

**Connections Volunteer Center** is the central clearinghouse for volunteering in Delaware County. Connections provides the leadership, training, education and resources that support volunteers as they improve the quality of life in the Delaware community.

## volunteer here.

Whether it's a one-time commitment or ongoing service project, Connections is the key local source for matching volunteers to meaningful opportunities throughout the Delaware County community.

If you are interested in any of the listed opportunities, please call 740.363.5000 between 9 am and 4 pm or e-mail Suzanne Pingry at [spingry@helplinedelmor.org](mailto:spingry@helplinedelmor.org) or Margie West at [mwest@helplinedelmor.org](mailto:mwest@helplinedelmor.org).



## CONNECTIONS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

MARCH 2009

### MARCH 5, 2009 | **Connections Volunteer Center—Volunteer Fair**

On March 5th from 1:30-3:30pm Connections will be hosting a “Partners In Volunteering” Fair. There will be a variety of Delaware County nonprofit agencies present with information about volunteer needs. This event will be held at Sunbury United Methodist Church, 100 W. Cherry St., Sunbury 43074. Come meet new people, enjoy refreshments and learn how you can help the community!

### ONGOING SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

#### MARCH 2009 | **Annie's Outreach Center**

A creative and crafty volunteer is needed! Annie's Outreach Center is located in Delaware and provides services to those affected by Mental Illness. A volunteer is needed to plan craft activities to do with those who visit the center. All craft supplies will be provided. Volunteers are needed 2 days a week for 2 hour blocks of time between 12noon and 6pm.

#### March 2009 | **Council for Older Adults**

Join this great group of volunteers and interact with older adults in our community. Kitchen Assistants are needed Thursdays from 8-10am and 10am-2pm. Volunteers will help serve food in the line, do dishes, and label meals that go out to client homes. There is also a need for a Catering Assistant on Mondays from 10am-2pm. This volunteer will help bus dishes, set up tables, clean up, and bring food out as it's needed.

#### MARCH 2009 | **Delaware Co. Dept. of Job & Family Services**

Do you enjoy working at your own pace? Are you familiar with the computer program Access? Then this is the job for you! Volunteers are needed for data entry. Hours are flexible, but must be done between Monday and Friday from 9am-5pm.

#### MARCH 2009 | **Equine Assisted Therapy, Inc.**

Do you love the outdoors, horses & helping others? Then we've got the perfect opportunity for you!! Volunteers are needed to assist with lessons & horse care. All volunteers must attend regular training sessions, commit to a regular schedule for a set period of time, and fit enough to physically do the job.

- Lesson Volunteer: Help when clients come to ride. Responsibilities include Horse Handlers and Side Walkers during therapeutic horseback riding lessons. Hours vary based on lesson schedule and client needs. Hours are typically Mon/Tues/Thurs evenings, Weds mornings and Saturdays. Prior experience working with horses and/or people with disabilities is helpful. Volunteers must be at least 14 years old.
- Barn volunteer: Help with daily responsibilities in caring for program horses, including feeding, cleaning stalls, grooming, and help care for facility and equipment. Prior experience working with horses is helpful. Volunteers must be at least 10 years old with adult supervision.