



FEEDING SAN DIEGO AMBASSADOR

SUMMARY

Ambassadors support Feeding San Diego's (FSD) mission of ending hunger through education and advocacy. They accomplish this by sharing information at community events such as service, wellness and school fairs, distribution sites and special events. Through these initiatives, ambassadors assist in recruitment and relationship building with community members. Through a positive attitude and knowledgeable interaction with the community, the Ambassador plays a key role in engaging the community in the mission of ending hunger.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Attend community events and represent Feeding San Diego
- Share information about our mission
- Educate community members about food insecurity in San Diego
- Assist in recruitment and relationship building with community members
- Record details of outreach event in spreadsheet software
- Report to Volunteer Coordinator and Volunteer Manager

Requirements

- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Attend 1-2 events a month
- Attend 1 volunteer shift a month
- Attend orientation and training
- Must submit an application and resume
- Reliable means of transportation to attend events throughout San Diego County.

As mentioned above, ambassadors regularly interact with individuals and groups from the community. Therefore, Ambassadors must exhibit the following:

- Display a positive attitude at all times.
- Comfort interacting with the community.
- Interest in being proactive and outgoing in the engagement of community members in conversations about the mission of ending hunger in the community.
- Ability to work in culturally diverse settings and display cultural competence and sensitivity at all times.
- Ability to interact with a variety of ages.

TRAINING PROVIDED

As an Ambassador of FSD, it is imperative to understand how FSD operates, food insecurity, who we are serving and the impact of our collective efforts to combat hunger in San Diego.

Therefore, Ambassadors will attend a training and orientation session that will discuss FSD and its programs, as well as education on the state of hunger in San Diego. Additionally, Ambassadors will attend one volunteer shift a month to keep up to date with general FSD information and to become knowledgeable about what most volunteers do at FSD.

Through the Ambassador training and attending community events, Ambassadors will have the opportunity to expand on public speaking skills and interpersonal skills with diverse groups of individuals. It will also contribute to refining leadership skills and networking skills.

HOW TO APPLY

Please submit a volunteer application and resume to the Volunteer Department at volunteersd@feedingsandiego.org, or to Feeding San Diego c/o Volunteer Department at 9455 Waples Street, Suite 135, San Diego, CA 92121.

QUESTIONS? COMMENTS?

Contact the Volunteer Department by phone (858.452.3663 x100), or email (volunteersd@feedingsandiego.org). You can also visit feedingsandiego.org to learn more about making a difference in San Diego.