



DELTA HOSPITAL AUXILIARY SOCIETY

Join Us! Be a Gift Shop Associate at the Dogwood Gift Shop

Are you ready to make a difference while having a great time?

Do you love meeting new people and building connections? Are you a team player with an eye for detail and a knack for organizing? Do you have a passion for fashion, design, and curating flawless experiences? If so, read on – this could be the perfect volunteer opportunity for you!

About the Delta Hospital Auxiliary Society (DHAS):

Each year, thanks to the dedication of our amazing volunteers, the DHAS contributes significantly to the Delta Hospital Campus of Care, funding essential equipment and projects through our four businesses: Courtyard Café, Dogwood Gift Shop, Lifeline, and the DHAS Thrift Shop.

Our efforts support vital programs like Music Therapy, Spiritual Health, and Recreational Therapy, and we also provide bursaries to Delta-based students pursuing careers in healthcare. In 2024 alone we donated \$750,000 for priority equipment and \$3 million towards a new long-term care centre. Over the years, we've raised over \$17 million for healthcare initiatives at the Delta Hospital Campus of Care!

About the Dogwood Gift Shop:

Nestled at the main entrance of Delta Hospital, the Dogwood Gift Shop offers a delightful selection of fashionable clothing, accessories, gifts, handmade baby knitwear, cards, fresh flowers, snacks, and so much more! Our volunteer staff ensures a friendly, stress-free shopping experience for everyone – patients, staff, visitors, and area residents alike.

More about you:

Our Gift Shop Associates are the heart of the Dogwood Gift Shop. Do these bullet points sound like you?

- You have warm and engaging interpersonal skills.
- You have an eye for fashion and design and can display products attractively.
- You're a collaborative team player, working with coordinators and buyers to replenish stock and enhance customer satisfaction.
- You're enthusiastic about sales and love the thrill of upselling.
- You're comfortable with basic math for processing transactions, balancing tills, and preparing deposits.
- You're experienced in, or open to learning about, our POS (point of sale) and computer systems.

- You take pride in maintaining a clean, organized space by dusting, cleaning, and restocking as needed.
- You're committed to helping the team succeed, whether by mentoring new volunteers or reliably sticking to your schedule. You communicate in advance about upcoming absences so the team can plan accordingly.

More about this role:

- **Shifts:** Volunteer shifts are available Monday through Friday, 10:00am – 1:00pm or 1:00pm – 4:00pm. We aim to expand to weekends soon!
- **Accessibility:** While the shop is wheelchair accessible, counter height may pose challenges for some potential wheelchair users to access the cash register. We value all volunteers and have other potential opportunities which focus more on customer experience and various shop needs.
- **Physical Activity:** Expect to stand or walk for up to 3 hours with light lifting (under 10kg).
- **Languages:** Volunteers engage primarily in English. Comfort in verbal and written communication (CLB 7 or higher) is essential. Additional languages are a plus!
- **Delta Hospital/Fraser Health Requirements:** Volunteers serving in any Fraser Health facility, including at Delta Hospital, must complete a Criminal Record Check, an online orientation, provide photo ID, and meet immunization requirements (MMR, COVID-19 [x2], Pertussis [*recommended*], and Influenza annually as needed during flu season).

Ready to join us? Apply today: [CLICK HERE TO APPLY NOW!](#)

Questions or want to learn more? Contact our Volunteer Coordinator: [CLICK HERE TO CONTACT OUR VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR](#)

DHAS Volunteer Philosophy: We, the DHAS volunteers, are united by a common bond: we believe that all people are created equal. We support and encourage the inclusion of Indigenous peoples, racialized individuals, persons with disabilities, and women and gender equity-deserving groups; both in our society and our volunteer sites. With generosity, discretion, and gentleness, and without prejudice or pride, we will carry out our volunteer duties.

DHAS gratefully acknowledges that we operate on the shared, traditional, ancestral, and unceded territories of the hən̓q̓əmin̓əm' speaking people; the scəwáθən (Tsawwassen) and the xʷməθkʷəy̓əm (Musqueam).