

## Volunteer Opportunities for Corporations



### Participate in a special activity for long-term care residents

- Decorate for the holidays
- Host a themed event for residents, (e.g., football party, afternoon at the movies, summer indoor picnic)
- Plant annuals on the grounds in the spring



### Host a party or special event

- Back to School Party – School supplies are given to needy patients
- Dr. Seuss' Birthday Celebration – Read to children in the hospital and clinics
- Holiday events



### Conduct drives to collect items for patients, including:

- New or gently used books for children of all ages
- Toiletry packs for pediatric patients' families who stay overnight at MetroHealth
- Playing cards, sets of markers or color pencils, packages of Sculpey clay, puzzle books (word search, crossword, or Sudoku)
- Kitchen measuring cups and measuring spoons for families to use to prepare healthy meals

**Adopt a Shift** – Schedule volunteers from your group so that each volunteer participates once a month or so in MetroHealth areas, such as:

#### **Ronald McDonald Family Room at MetroHealth**

Serve as hosts and hostesses for three-hour shifts daily from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. Volunteers can also prepare and serve a meal for families of patients in Pediatrics and the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit. Donations of snack items are also appreciated.

#### **Reach Out and Read**

Read to children who are waiting for outpatient appointments weekdays from 9 a.m. – noon and from 1 – 4 p.m.

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