

This year, I volunteer.

More volunteers are needed for the
Aged Care Volunteer Visitors Scheme.



5 steps to become an aged care volunteer visitor



There are over **18,000** funded ACVVS volunteer placements.



There are currently around **4,150** ACVVS volunteer vacancies.
Can you help?



Becoming an aged care volunteer can be a **rewarding and life changing** experience.



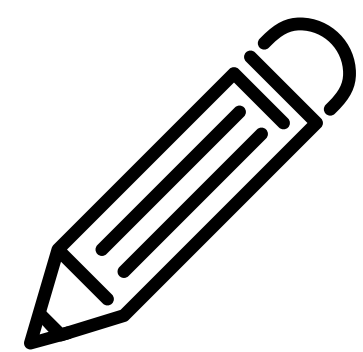
Aged care volunteer visitors provide **friendship and companionship** to older people.



You will make a friend, share ideas and stories, and **help someone** who might be feeling lonely.



Regular visits from volunteers can help improve **quality of life** and help people feel less isolated.



1. Sign up

Use the **Become a Volunteer form** or contact your local **ACVVS Network Member** to register your interest.

You'll then be referred to an ACVVS community organisation in your area, who will support you each step of the way.



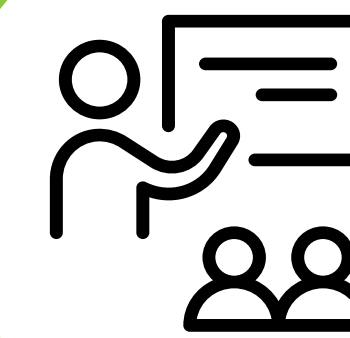
2. Meet & greet

The community organisation will contact and support you to complete the application process, including **discussing your interests, hobbies, abilities, or preferences.**



3. Verification

The community organisation will conduct a **reference check** and the appropriate police check. It may take a few days or weeks for the verification check to be processed.



4. Training

Once you are verified to be a volunteer, the community organisation will provide you with the **training** you need to complete.



5. Friendship

Make a friend! Volunteers can expect a tailored matching process to ensure the right fit with an older person.

As a volunteer, you'll visit for a minimum of **one hour per fortnight**. You can visit the older person in their own home, their aged care home or at a public venue.

