ACCEPT THE CHALLENGE Volunteer





December 2021



To Be a Volunteer you must:

- **♦ Be 18 years of age or older**
- Complete the necessary and annual training
- Work a minimum of two to four hours per week.
- Visit designated Facilities in Clarendon, Kershaw, Lee and Sumter Counties.

Volunteer Ombudsmen make unannounced friendly visits to designated long-term care facilities on a regular basis. During their visits volunteers listen to and interact with the residents. Volunteer Ombudsmen work with residents to communicate their concerns and provide support and empowerment. The Volunteer Ombudsman assist residents by being their voice and with their permission, work hand in hand with the facility staff to resolve issues.

There is joy, peace and happiness serving others!

Please take this life affirming opportunity!

During this season of family, friends and fellowship many of our seniors living in long-term care facilities are alone with no one to visit them. However, this is not the only time that they need you, 60% of seniors living in long-term care have no one to visit them. Make an early New Years Resolution and become a volunteer with the Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program. Change your life for the better and impact the life of a senior!



PEOPLE LIVING IN LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES NEED YOU TO BE A FRIEND!

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