

# Volunteer Health & Safety Information

Thank you for volunteering with Habitat for Humanity East Bay/Silicon Valley. We are so thankful for your participation in our Women's Leadership Build. Your health and safety is our number one priority. Please review this document for additional health and safety information before your volunteer day.

# Stay Home If You're Sick

If you are feeling unwell; show symptoms such as a cough, sore throat, shortness of breath, fatigue, nausea, or fever; or if you have been exposed to someone with symptoms in the last 14 days; please stay home. Staying home is the best way to protect your fellow volunteers, Habitat staff, and community. If your organization has decided to postpone your day, we will make future arrangements.

# Face Masks Required on Site

You will be required to bring and wear a face mask or covering during your volunteer day. We do have a limited supply of face masks in case you do not have one or need an additional mask during the day.

- Your face mask/covering must have straps and stay in place.
- Please bring something you will not need to reposition, readjust, or fiddle with throughout the day.
- For more information about appropriate face masks/coverings, please visit the <u>California Department of Public</u> Health's website.
- Bringing multiple masks or coverings is recommended in case your mask becomes dirty or sweaty during the course of the day.

# Site Entry

Before entering site, site staff will:

- Ask you to wear your face mask/covering.
- Ask whether you are feeling well and symptom free.
- Check you in through E-Sign In!

#### **Social Distancing**

The 2021 Women's Leadership Build is divided into build days throughout the month of June to provide for smaller groups of volunteers to build together. Staff and volunteers will be asked to maintain at least 6 feet between themselves at all times. There will be tape markings on site noting 6 feet distances. Volunteers will work individually or in small crews.

## Hand Washing & Sanitizing

Handwashing stations and hand sanitizer will be available for frequent cleaning throughout the day. If you have hand sanitizer, please bring it for yourself.

# Cleaning

- We are limiting tool sharing and increasing cleaning of tools.
- Bring your own work gloves if you can. Disposable gloves will be available.

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### Lunch & Water

- We will break for an hour for lunch around noon. As a participant of the Women's Leadership Build, you will be provided with a pre-packaged, boxed lunch.
- Please bring multiple water bottles with enough water for your volunteer day. For safety, we have discontinued the use of communal water sources.

### What to bring:

- o Face Mask
- o Bagged Lunch
- o Plenty of Water
- o Hand Sanitizer (if you have it)
- Work Gloves (if you have it)

# As always, remember to wear:

- ✓ Closed toed shoes
- ✓ Clothes you don't mind getting dirty, paint on, or ruined
- ✓ Layers for fluctuating weather
- ✓ Optional: Hat, sunscreen, and sunglasses for outdoors

### Questions?

Please contact the Volunteer Team at Volunteer@HabitatEBSV.org or 510-803-3322.