

Volunteer Outreach Training Program

Description

Participants attending the two-day training program will learn how to spread the good news about Bosma Enterprises' life-changing programs at ophthalmologists' offices, senior living facilities and at outreach events. Training topics include the following: overview of Bosma Enterprises' history, mission, and programs; how to prepare for outreach events and facility visits; how to describe Bosma Enterprises' services; blind etiquette; sighted guide training; and presentation skills.

Who Should Attend?

Bosma Enterprises' volunteers committed to serving as an outreach volunteer for at least one year.

Workshop Dates

September 21-22, 2011

November 16-17, 2011

February 22-23, 2012

April 18-19, 2012

Additional Information

Overnight accommodations (double occupancy) and mileage reimbursement, at the current Bosma Enterprises' rate, will be provided for participants traveling over 50 miles to attend training. A continental breakfast and lunch will be provided both days for all volunteers attending the training.

Register

Register for the workshop by contacting Lise Pace by telephone at 317-704-8196 or by email at lise@bosma.org.

Continuing Education Webinars for Volunteers

Presentation Skills, September 28, 2011, 1-2 p.m.

Description

Are you terrified to speak in front of a group of people, large or small? Skills to overcome your fears and exercises to calm you are just a few of the tips you will receive in this interesting session on public speaking.

Are You Listening? How to Listen Intentionally, November 30, 2012, 1-2 p.m.

Description

Everyone has experienced a conversation that was awkward or even worse—there was a misunderstanding. Learn how to become a more effective listener including exercises that will improve your techniques.

Weaving Your Net: Networking, March 30, 2011, 1-2

Description

Networking while performing outreach, as an event volunteer is one of the best ways you can make contacts that will enhance the reach Bosma Enterprises has in the community. Remember networking can be fun and incredibly interesting. Learn how networking can help you in the work you are doing, how you can help others now and in the future, and how networking benefits everyone!

We Want You: Recruiting Other Volunteers, May 23, 2012, 1-2 p.m.

Description

Our current volunteers are the best source for recruiting new volunteers. Learn the value of volunteering at Bosma Enterprises in terms of human and financial capital. Understand the factors that motivate people to volunteer and how you can appeal to them. Discover the exciting positions available for volunteers at our organization!

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