

Support Inclusive and Healthy Communities in Western Australia.

Is your organisation looking for meaningful volunteering opportunities with a local not-for-profit?

Become a WAAC Corporate Volunteer Partner!

WAAC (pronounced 'whack') is dedicated to promoting the health and well-being of all individuals by reducing stigma and discrimination, improving access to health services, and decreasing the transmission of HIV, sexually transmitted infections, and blood-borne viruses. WAAC offers a wide range of services, including social support for LGBTQIA+ youth, peer mentoring, education and training, counselling and support for people living with HIV, sexual health testing and services for LGBTQIA+ individuals, harm reduction services for people who inject drugs, and a variety of other resources.

Becoming a WAAC Corporate Volunteer Partner

By becoming a WAAC Corporate Volunteer Partner, your team will gain valuable experiences while supporting WAAC's vital work promoting health and inclusivity in Western Australia. WAAC's volunteering experiences will enable your organisation to demonstrate corporate social responsibility, promote teamwork and increase employee satisfaction. WAAC offers convenient half-day sessions and can come to you, or staff can attend our central West Perth office.

Volunteering Support Activities

Our volunteering activities are led by a knowledgeable WAAC staff member who will engage your team with discussions around the work we do, including historical and current issues related to HIV, STIs and BBVs and how to be an LGBTIQA+ ally.

All volunteering sessions have one main activity that volunteers will undertake.











Volunteering activities include:

Safe sex packing: Condoms and lube sachets wrapped in humorous, WAAC-designed packaging that WAAC gives for free to organisations and events. This activity is great all year round, especially during Sexual Health Week and Leavers Week.



Badge making: Fun badge designs are made by WAAC to address stigma and discrimination in affected communities including the LGBTIQA+ and HIV community. These designs are provided in their printed form that your staff can cut and press the designs into badges. This activity is fun all year round but extra useful for IDAHOBIT, Youth Week, Trans Day of Visibility and Pride Month.



Ribbon making: The famous red HIV ribbon, a moving symbol of solidarity and awareness. Ribbons and pins are provided to your staff to create the pins which are used by WAAC at important events as gifts, prizes or worn as part of our uniform. Ribbons are a great activity around WORLD AIDS Day or the International AIDS Candlelight Memorial.











Volunteering sessions

Volunteering at our West Perth office (you come to us!)

Location: 664 Murray St, West Perth

Duration: 4 hours (generally between 9 am and 1 pm).

These half-day sessions are perfect for organisations that want to engage their staff in a meaningful activity, connect and contribute to their community, all within the Perth CBD. These sessions are designed to for staff to work from our West Perth office where everything is provided for them including tea and coffee, music, resources and engaging activities. All staff need to do is get here. Sessions normally run for four hours with a break for food and a leg stretch. Volunteers can come and go according to their schedules.

Volunteering at your office (we come to you!)

Location: Your choice **Duration:** 4 hours.

These sessions are ideal for organisations that want to engage their staff in a meaningful activity, connect and contribute to their community from their offices. For these sessions, WAAC will come to your premises, bringing activities, banners, resources, music and educational materials. Sessions normally run for four hours and volunteers can come and go according to their schedules.

Condom packing challenge

Location: Your choice

Duration: Month long (Weekly four-hour packing sessions).

Every year, WAAC distributes thousands of condoms to the community including young people and LGBTIQA+ communities. We're inviting your organisation to join our month-long challenge and help ensure our condoms and healthy relationships and safe sex messaging reach these communities.

How it works:

- Volunteer for one day per week over the month: Your team will work together to package as many condoms as possible in weekly four-hour packing sessions.
- Choose a target: Every year WAAC has to deliver a set number of condoms to our community groups (young people, LGBTIQA+ communities, migrants and mobile populations and Aboriginal communities). Can you help us meet these targets?
- Compete against other organisations: See who can make the biggest difference!
- **Learn and grow:** Participate in informative discussions on HIV, LGBTIQA+ inclusion, sexual health, consent, and stigma and discrimination.











Financial Donation

Volunteering at WAACs office: 1-12 volunteers for a four-hour session \$600 + GST

Volunteering at your office: Up to 40 volunteers for a four-hour session \$1,200 + GST

Condom packing challenge at WAAC's office: Four sessions held over the month. 1-12 volunteers in each session \$2,400 + GST

Condom packing challenge at your office: Four sessions held over the month. Up to 40 volunteers in each session \$4,800 + GST

Shorter or longer sessions or more volunteers can be accommodated upon request.

Additional Options

We offer a range of options to enhance the volunteer experience. Please let your WAAC contact know at the time of booking if you wish any of these to be included.

Education session

Enhance your volunteering experience by adding an education session. WAAC can provide education on a range of topics, including HIV, LGBTIQA+ inclusion, sexual health, consent and stigma and discrimination. Our trainers are experts who have educated tens of thousands of people over the past 40 years.

Merchandise stall

WAAC can supply a series of themed merchandise including pins, lanyards, mugs and t-shirts available for purchase on the day. This option comes at no extra cost to you.

Certificates

Certificates can be provided after the event to all staff who attend.

Photo booth

We will bring our portable photobooth and take photos throughout the day to document your staff's efforts.

Contact us today!

For more information and to register your team, please email education@waac.com.au or phone 9482 0000.







