



## GEISINGER **HELP** VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

### **HELP** - Hospital Elder Life Program

**Interested in a career in health care?** Geisinger Volunteer Services is partnering with Misericordia University on a new volunteer opportunity for students to gain first-hand experience in health care through the **HELP** Program.

Through **HELP**, students will have the opportunity to work one-on-one with patients and family members, and engage with multiple health care professionals. This program is designed to bring students out of the classroom and into the health care field in order to gain real world experience.

#### **IN THIS PROGRAM, YOU WILL:**

- Enhance your learning outside the classroom and gain hands-on volunteer experience
- Strengthen your resume and graduate school applications
- Explore health care while helping to improve the hospital experience for older patients
- Shadow and observe technicians, nurses, and advanced practitioners
- Truly "clinical" patient contact and interaction with multiple health care professionals
- Supervised patient contact through volunteer service supporting clinical staff
- Interact with health care professionals from varying fields
- Gain insight into the inner dynamics of a hospital system
- Understand the challenges that patients and their families face on a day to day basis

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Speak with your academic advisor about how the Geisinger **HELP** program can fit into your educational plan.

To learn more or apply and become a **HELP** volunteer, visit the Geisinger website at <https://bit.ly/mugeisingerhelp>

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