ABOUT OUR AGENCY

Child and Family Services of Western Manitoba is a private, non-profit, community-based charitable Agency, led by a community-elected and community-represented Board of Directors.

The goals of our Agency are to:



Strengthen and support families



Protect children from neglect, abuse and exploitation



Ensure children in our care are nurtured and supported in ways that promote their well-being



Work in partnership with the community



Continue to lead in the advancement of health and well-being of children and families of Western Manitoba

We accomplish these goals by offering family strengthening programs and preventative resources to Westman communities.

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Elspeth Reid Family Resource Centre

VOLUNTEER SERVICES

About Volunteering

Volunteers with Child and Family Services of Western Manitoba play a vital role in our capacity to deliver personal, caring support to our families and children. Our volunteers help to keep our programs alive and valuable for those who attend them.

Our volunteers provide a direct link between the Agency and the communities we serve. They expand our resources by reaching out to help build stronger families and healthier communities.

Please note that all volunteers must undergo a Criminal Record Check, a Child Abuse Registry Check, and a Prior Contact Check. Applicants must also provide references.

Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteer opportunities at CFS of Western Manitoba include:



Mentor Be a positive role model and friend to a child, teen, or adult for a few hours a week

children in the family's home

Home Visitor Work with parents and preschool







Child Care Assistant Provide extra attention to a child at our daycare, preschool, or Resource Centre

Program Support Assist with parenting programs and family activities



What We Offer

As a volunteer, you will make a positive difference in the lives of children, teenagers, and adults and will have opportunities to build on your skills. To supplement your volunteer experience, we offer:

- Comprehensive program training
- A variety of volunteer positions in a range of different areas and programs
- Ongoing support in your volunteer role

How to Get Involved

If you are interested in learning more about volunteering with Child and Family Services of Western Manitoba or have any questions about getting involved with our Agency, please contact our Volunteer Coordinator.

About Mentors

Mentors play a vital role in the Agency. They are matched with a child, teen or adult with similar interests, and as a relationship develops, confidence and self-esteem grow.

Mentors are good listeners giving their time, support, and help in a variety of ways, from homework assistance to recreational activities.