

Phased Return to Volunteer Plan

All Current Volunteers – including those considered higher risk by CDC guidelines

COVID Training

- Review COVID Training online at www.stelizabeth.com/currentvolunteers and complete the answer sheet, included with this communication for your convenience
- Available beginning June 8
- This must be completed prior to your return and will be noted in your volunteer record

Phase 1 – *As a precaution – Phase 1 is open only to volunteers not considered higher risk by CDC guidelines (see attached)*

- Invitation to assist in guest centered positions such as guest/patient check-in at the Information Desk or delivering patient mail to nurse's stations
- These positions are open to adult, college, and high school **volunteers that are NOT considered higher risk by CDC guidelines**
- *Estimated Timeline:* June 15

Phase 2 – *Phase 2 is open to all volunteers including those considered at higher risk by CDC guidelines (see attached)*

- Invitation for current volunteers, **including those considered at higher risk by CDC guidelines**, to return to your volunteer position(s) in low-contact patient care areas or assist in guest centered positions from Phase 1
- Departments will be responsible for determining when volunteers are needed based on patient and visitor volumes.
- **Each volunteer will receive direct communication from the Volunteer Office regarding their department's ability to welcome volunteers back; Please wait for communication from the Volunteer Office prior to returning to your previous volunteer role or schedule, even after July 6**
- *Estimated Timeline:* July 6

Phase 3

- Invitation for current volunteers to return to your volunteer positions in high-contact patient care areas
- Departments will be responsible for determining when volunteers are needed based on patient and visitor volumes
- *Estimated Timeline:* August or later

St. Elizabeth Volunteers are passionate about their role in making a positive difference in the patient experience.