

# Community Placement

## Your first step to employment!

### Do you need:

- ⇒ practical hands-on experiences?
- ⇒ a chance to showcase your skills?
- ⇒ work experience to fill a gap?
- ⇒ an increase in your self-confidence?
- ⇒ Canadian work experience?
- ⇒ valuable references?
- ⇒ to improve your workplace English?

Being involved in a volunteer placement is an experience that can enhance your employability while you gain relevant work skills related to your employment goal.

## How to get started...

Let your Ontario Works caseworker know you are interested in participating in Community Placement at Pathways.

Call us at 519-667-7795 to book a time to attend our next Community Placement Information Session.



# What people are saying...

"I have felt like I have been in the dark for so many years. I thought I could only do one job. Someone flipped a switch and I became aware of my other abilities..."

Bonnie

"As a graduate of post secondary education I was new to job searching and I needed to learn more about the current job market. Volunteering helped me because I was able to network with professionals in my field..."

Jansuk

"I felt like a hostage for several years... my skills & emotions trapped inside. My placement has opened doors and given me a fresh outlook and provided a safe, comfortable place that values me..."

Samir