



Forever Dublin Community Team Volunteer Leaders Being Sought

The Dublin community is addressing its facilitation of healthy Aging in Place, which is a goal of Dublin City Council. Aging in Place is defined as the ability for individuals to remain in their homes or neighborhoods safely, independently and comfortably for as long as possible, regardless of age or ability.

Following a year of planning and community conversations, several initiatives are now up and running, including the Forever Dublin Hub, a center located at Syntero which provides resources on all topics related to aging. Now, as progress takes further shape, it's time to ensure that community conversations and community-based strategies continue by launching a volunteer leadership team:

The Forever Dublin Community Team.

Reporting to the co-leaders of the Forever Dublin Hub – Syntero and City of Dublin Outreach and Engagement -- this team is will meet regularly to address and accomplish the following:

- Serve as ambassadors for healthy and supportive aging in Dublin
- Function as a volunteer consultative team for planning, design and implementation of programs and initiatives for the aging population and caregiving community
- Serve as thought leaders on topics of the Aging in Place movement in Dublin
- Develop, implement and monitor programming and initiatives
- Research and connect the movement with diversified funding opportunities

This is a ground up opportunity, as no such team currently exists in Dublin. Therefore, as its first year unfolds, responsibilities may vary and/or change.

Team representation

A total of 18 - 20 community members are being sought to serve on this initial team. Besides 10 Dublin citizens, representation will also include the following:

- Washington Township
- Dublin City Schools
- Ohio University College of Health Sciences and Professions
- Dublin corporate sector
- Dublin faith community
- Dublin nonprofit community
- Caregiving community
- Geriatric-based profession
- Area Agency on Aging representative

Meeting frequency

Meetings will be held on Tuesday evenings and take place once per month

Length of volunteer service

Team members are asked to serve a minimum of one year and no more than three

Time commitment

Depending on the initiatives generated by the team, some volunteer service will take place at times other than during meetings. Members will need to plan for and commit to conducting research, serve as community representative, offer time for neighborhood group and/or community group visits. The commitment should not exceed 10 hours per month.

Interested community members may apply at [THIS LINK](#), or by e-mailing cnardecchia@dublin.oh.us.



Forever Dublin is a partnership between the City of Dublin and Syntero aimed at providing resources for residents to make Dublin their forever home. Forever Dublin is a product of the City of Dublin's Aging in Place Plan, a strategic priority of City Council. The plan involves many aspects and future concepts, including mobility and transportation, housing, health and wellness.