



Community Corner

# Southington Nonprofit Seeks Volunteers To Help Elderly, Disabled

'UR Community Care' is looking for kind-hearted individuals to provide the elderly/disabled with companionship and help around the house.



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A Southington-based nonprofit is looking for volunteers to help the elderly/disabled in the community with household chores and/or companionship. (Shutterstock)

**SOUTHINGTON, CT —** A local agency dedicated to helping seniors and the disabled with everyday tasks that can be difficult for them is looking for volunteers to help.

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[Called "UR Community Cares,"](#) the Southington-based nonprofit matches volunteers with clients to do various tasks that may seem simple to some, but they are difficult for many.

"Residents who want to lend a helping hand in Southington can help their neighbors with household chores, yard work, companionship, and transportation. We match volunteers with individuals who are lonely and isolated," wrote Michelle Puzzo, who is the executive director of the nonprofit.

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"Volunteers who want to be friendly visitors to older disabled residents can play games, talk to people, or teach them technology."

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Her organization is funded with aid from the Main Street Community Foundation, which is a nonprofit that funds various initiatives in municipalities in the state.

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"UR Community Cares" then works with Town of Southington departments, local faith and nonprofit groups, and Southington businesses to find clients and inspire others to volunteer.

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