

**GET SMART. GET TESTED.
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**



THE KIDNEY TRUST

The Kidney TRUST is an independent non-profit organization founded in 2006. We seek to prevent or delay progression of chronic kidney disease (CKD) to kidney failure through free, rapid screening and education, primarily in non-medical settings such as work sites and health fairs.

CHRONIC KIDNEY DISEASE (CKD) RAPID-SCREENING PROGRAM

More than 26 million adult Americans have chronic kidney disease (CKD), and 90% of them don't know it. CKD is a silent epidemic, and people with the disease often have no symptoms until the kidneys begin to fail. Although CKD is usually treatable if detected early, thousands of people crash into kidney failure each year because they didn't know their kidneys were at risk.

The goal of the TRUST's free rapid-screening program is to identify individuals who have signs of kidney impairment. Participants receive their screening results on-site. TRUST staff and volunteers are present to explain the screening process and what their results mean; provide materials that offer education about CKD and its prevention; and encourage participants to seek medical follow-up as appropriate.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Volunteers make the work of the TRUST possible. The success of the TRUST's CKD screening program depends on their time and talents. The TRUST will provide the necessary orientation and training to perform volunteer roles, which are described below. We are recruiting a pool of volunteers that can be called upon intermittently, based on their availability, for our ongoing events held on both weekends and weekdays

➤ **REGISTRATION**

Greeting attendees and talking with them about CKD, the screening process, and The Kidney TRUST. Assisting attendees in completing the Participant Questionnaire and ensuring they are screened in order of registration.

➤ **CKD EDUCATION**

Explaining screening results to event attendees and educating them about recommended actions based on their results. Raising awareness about kidney disease risk factors and steps they can take to protect their kidney health.

CONTACT US

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