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## **VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT**

<u>Chinese Information and Service Center (CISC)</u> is hosting the 2019 CISC Annual Senior Resource Fair on **Wednesday**, **September 4**, from 10am to 2pm at the North Bellevue Community Center. Every year, over 300 community members attend the CISC Annual Senior Resource Fair, where they connect with over 30 organizations that provide a wide variety of medical, legal, and social services. With this year's theme "Dynamic Aging: Be Well. Feel Well. Do Well.", we aim to gather the community together to support older adults in achieving dynamic aging through meaningful connections and information sharing.

We are looking for volunteer interpreters (Mandarin/Cantonese, Spanish or Russian) to assist with language interpretation and general volunteers to help with participant registration, guest guidance and other tasks as needed for various programs and workshops at the event. This is a tremendously rewarding experience for volunteers to help older adults connect to much-needed services and encourage them to stay active and engaged in the community.

Volunteer orientation and training will be provided on the day of the event. For inquiries, please contact Sunny Yang at <u>sunnyy@cisc-seattle.org</u>.

## 2019 CISC Annual Senior Resource Fair

Date: Wednesday, September 4, 2019 Time: 8:30 am – 2 pm (Volunteer orientation begins at 8:30am) Location: North Bellevue Community Center (4063 148th Ave NE, Bellevue, WA 98007)

## Number of volunteers needed

General Volunteer: <u>10</u> Mandarin/Cantonese Interpreter: <u>16</u> Spanish Interpreter: <u>2</u> Russian Interpreter: <u>2</u>

## Volunteer requirement

- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Friendly, outgoing, patient and a team player
- English language proficiency

About CISC:

CISC support immigrants and families by creating opportunities for them to succeed, while honoring their heritage. Our agency's service philosophy is to use a holistic approach with bilingual/bicultural staff to provide developmentally appropriate services to individuals, families, and groups within our community. The focus is first on stabilizing, then strengthening our community members through strength-based skill building. The ultimate goal is for each client to reach their maximum potential as quickly as possible, and become self-sufficient, contributing members of the community.