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Aged Care Volunteer Visitors Scheme



What is it?

The ACVVS is a free service which involves Red Cross volunteers visiting older people who are lonely or experiencing social isolation.

The visits are relaxed in nature and can involve any activities that both parties enjoy. This could include:

- Having a cup of tea
- Watching sports
- Playing card games
- Going for a walk

Who is eligible?

The ACVVS is offered to people living in Aged Care Facilities and people receiving Home Care Packages.



How can I access this service if I...

...live in an Aged Care Facility?

Speak to the staff at your facility and ask them to contact one of our Support Officers.

...receive a Home Care Package?

Speak to your Case Manager and ask them to contact one of our Support Officers.

...want to refer someone I know?

Get in touch with our team and we'll guide you through the process.

Become an ACVVS Volunteer

Volunteers are essential to the ACVVS – without them, this program simply would not exist.

As an ACVVS volunteer, you'll help improve the wellbeing of an older person by providing them with genuine friendship and restoring their sense of independence.

A friendly visitor makes all the difference

Red Cross will ensure that you receive training, ongoing support, and access to other opportunities within the world's largest humanitarian network.

If you're interested, contact us or visit our website for more information.

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