

Position Title: Accompaniment Support (Outreach Volunteer Position) **Objective:** Provide emotional support to survivors attending appointments

Supervisor: Volunteer Coordinator(s)

Accompaniment Locations Include:

- Medical Appointments
- Reporting to Authorities
- Court and/or Legal Appointments
- Others as requested and approved

Responsibilities:

- Provide in-person emotional support using a trauma-informed, antioppressive approach to those who have or are experiencing abuse and/or sexual violence.
- Follow and adhere to accompaniment practice guidelines

Requirements & Training:

- Be 18yrs of age or older.
- (40hrs) In-class training as outlined in the volunteer application package.
- Review and sign-off of the Accompaniment guidelines.

Benefits you receive:

- Enhance support skills for vulnerable people
- Engage with resilient people seeking support
- Provide a sense of safety for others

Our Commitment to you:

At Anova we promise to provide a safe(r) space where you can use your skills and passions throughout your volunteer placement. We will ensure there is support and opportunity for learning and growth in your position. We commit to providing an experience that is mutually beneficial to both the organization and the volunteer. We promise to provide prompt response and action in any issues that impact the safety and security of volunteers.