Makeover Madness Volunteer Position Description

Overview: Makeover Madness matches older adult “clients” with cosmetology students at Thomas Edison High School of Technology and Gaithersburg High School once a month during the school year. The students are able to practice their skills in real life situations and gain proficiency in their field. The older adults, who come from nearby adult day care centers and nursing homes, benefit from the individual attention and human touch, while receiving a haircut, manicure and/or other cosmetic services.

Duties: Volunteers meet the older adults at the school and organize the appointments. More specifically, volunteers:
- Greet the participants from the senior living communities
- Ask the staff members (from senior living) to write down names of the people they brought
- Coordinate with cosmetology teachers to assign clients
- Set up the snack (juice and crackers)
- Ensure that everything is proceeding smoothly and attendance is recorded for both adults and students

Audience: Health-impaired seniors living in nursing homes and assisted living facilities or visiting adult day care centers participate in Makeover Madness.

Cosmetology students from Thomas Edison School of Technology and Gaithersburg High School provide the services.

Commitment: Once a month, 1-2 hours, from October through May

Locations: Thomas Edison High School of Technology
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Gaithersburg High School
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