

Volunteer Opportunities in Lviv, Ukraine

Dzherelo Children's Rehabilitation Centre

(An outpatient rehab centre for children with cerebral palsy, autism, down syndrome, etc.)

We are currently recruiting two or more volunteers in 2017 for a pilot project for a period of approximately two months, to assist in the care of children with special needs at Dzherelo.

**Two month volunteer opportunities are now available during the following time periods:
February to June 2017 and / or September to December 2017.**

Qualifications:

- Member of the Ukrainian Self-Reliance League of Canada preferred;
- Desire to work with children with disabilities;
- Basic Ukrainian language skills;
- Priority to persons who have an interest in, or have experience in health care services: e.g. physiotherapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy;
- Willingness to fundraise for their assignment. Partial funding or grants may be available;
- Prepared to act as an ambassador for Dzherelo in Canada upon completion of the assignment.

Project Description:

- Hours from 9 am to 5 pm daily;
- 4-5 days per week (Monday to Thursday, occasional Fridays);
- Volunteers will provide support to staff in their daily duties; assistance in established tasks, such as helping feed children, dressing them, providing them with socializing stimulation;
- Lunch is available at Dzherelo;
- Living arrangements: various options: e.g. dormitory, private apartment, billeting, etc.

For this pilot project, there will be a volunteer co-ordinator in both Canada and Ukraine. For those who have never been to Ukraine or those needing assistance in Ukraine, the co-ordinator will be travelling with the volunteers to assist them with any settlement issues and in adapting to life in Lviv.

For further information and questions, please contact Andrew Tereshyn at andrew@tereshyn.com or by telephone at 647-522-0095

To learn more about Dzherelo, please visit the following websites:

chornobyl.ca/projects/dzherelo

Dzherelo, a project of the Children of Chernobyl Canadian Fund in English

www.youtube.com/channel/UC7uce2fu51pcxnOPIlp2ALQ

Dzherelo's YouTube channel

www.dzherelocentre.org.ua

Ukrainian website in Ukraine

www.facebook.com/Dzherelo

Facebook Ukrainian Site

www.facebook.com/Friends-of-Dzherelo-Childrens-Rehabilitation-Centre-in-Lviv-Ukraine-233287126729533/?fref=ts

Friends of Dzherelo Canada in English and Ukrainian

