

Furniture Repair Volunteer

When:

At least one 4 hour shift per month

Where:

Habitat ReStore, 7130 Winchester Rd., Memphis TN, 38125

Description:

The ReStore receives many used furniture donations, some of which need minor repairs before we can sell them. This position is perfect for those handy people who enjoy refurbishing neglected furniture. These volunteers will take pieces of furniture that need repairs, refinish or refurbish the pieces, and prepare them to be sold in the ReStore. Choose your own projects based on your ability.

Responsibilities:

- Perform any repair work needed on donated furniture pieces to make the resalable in the ReStore
- Clean up after your volunteer shifts, put away tools and other supplies so they are available for other volunteers if needed.

Requirements:

- Knowledge of and commitment to the mission of Habitat for Humanity of Greater Memphis
- Ability to work closely with ReStore staff, volunteers, Habitat homeowners and customers
- Comfortable asking questions
- Self-sufficient, cooperative attitude
- Basic woodworking ability and familiarity with tools
- Ability to bend, squat, or stand for long periods of time
- After a short “audition” period, at least a once a month commitment is needed, but more often is preferred.

Training:

On-site training is provided by a ReStore manager or lead volunteer. Most volunteers are fully trained within three or four volunteer shifts.