

# VOLUNTEERING WITH WAO

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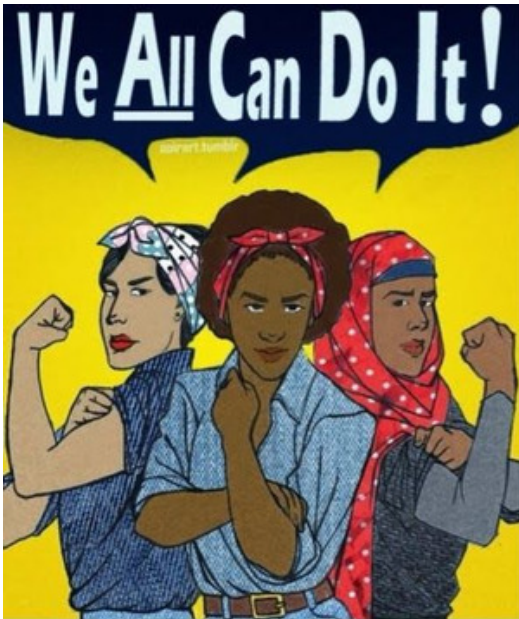


## APPLICATION

Your first step as a WAO volunteer would be to fill in the application form (available at [wao.org.my](http://wao.org.my)) and submit it to [womensaidorg@gmail.com](mailto:womensaidorg@gmail.com) or to any WAO representative.

You are now eligible to volunteer at public education booths and other public WAO events.

You will receive confirmation by email followed by an invite to a google group where you will receive news about volunteering at public events and other ad-hoc opportunities to volunteer.



## ORIENTATION

You need to attend an orientation if you wish to participate in volunteer programs. Orientation is held on every 3rd Saturday of the month. Details are included in your confirmation email.

At this orientation you will meet with the volunteer coordinator to talk about volunteering in programs.

## PROGRAMS

After orientation, the respective program manager will contact you via email or telephone to coordinate your involvement.

# WAO VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS

## CRISIS SUPPORT OFFICER (CSO)

Frontline provider of emotional support and information to survivors. Responds to calls on the WAO Hotline, TINA SMS/Whatsapp service, and emails. Volunteer at least three hours a week at our Crisis Shelter. Required to attend training conducted once a year.

## WAO AMBASSADOR

A vocal and public advocate for WAO, gender equality, and the elimination of domestic violence and violence against women. Conducts public education talks, creates social media content, writes articles, and responds to the press.

## DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTER

### Activities

Conduct regular activities at our shelter that support and empower residents to deal with physical and mental trauma and stress, eg: yoga, arts, dance. etc.

### Administration

Assist managers with administrative functions, eg: run errands, filing, updating databases, and other miscellaneous tasks.

## CHILD CARE CENTRE (CCC)

### Activities

Conduct regular activities on the weekends with the children at the CCC, eg: sports, arts and crafts, speech and drama, movie time etc.

### Administration

Assist manager with administrative functions, eg: run errands, filing, updating databases, and other miscellaneous tasks.

## RESEARCH AND WRITING

Support the Advocacy Team in the advancement of human and women's rights in Malaysia.

Work on case study reports, CEDAW and other international reporting tools, law advocacy, and case advocacy.

## WATCHING BRIEF

Volunteers with background or experience in family and criminal law. Perform watching brief to ensure agreed upon principle and rights of women/clients are upheld in court proceedings.

# OTHER INFORMATION

## VOLUNTEERING AS A GROUP

Corporations, organisations or student groups looking to collaborate on a project are encouraged to drop us an email at [womensaidorg@gmail.com](mailto:womensaidorg@gmail.com)

## FURTHER QUESTIONS? CONTACT:

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