Volunteer Opportunity Description: Nature Based Therapy Program Assistant

Description/Purpose
Assist with spring transplanting project with cognitively challenged adults

Responsibilities/Tasks
- Assist with set up, transplanting, & clean up (optional)
- Transportation of plants from learning center to horticulture research center hoop house
- Assist with organization & labeling of plants for various organizations

Required Skills
- Ability to load & unload flats of plants
- Able to use own vehicle for transporting transplants

Time Commitment and Schedule Details
Wednesdays in May
Program Time 9:30 am-11:45 am (optional)
Transport Time- Anytime after program on Weds

Benefits/Impact
- Enable full usage of large donation of plants that support numerous therapeutic horticulture programs
- Option to experience working with various special populations with a horticulture therapist.

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How to Apply for this Opportunity
If you are currently an Arboretum Volunteer and would like to apply for this opportunity, please contact the supervisor and set up an interview.

Staff Supervisor & Contact Information
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