

Volunteer Value: Beyond the Independent Sector Rate Purpose Worksheet

Organization Purpose

What is the purpose of your organization? (Hint: See the mission and/or programs.)

How do you know if your organization has been successful in meeting its purpose?

Volunteer Purpose

For what purpose or purposes does your organization involve volunteers?

Deliver programs

Enhance program quality

Reach more clients

Raise money

Connect with a hard-to-reach population

Cultivate community

Provide a skillset, knowledge, or service that staff don't have/can't offer

How do you know if these volunteers have been successful? What does success look like?

Are you collecting any information that demonstrates that volunteers have been successful in their work in your organization? If so, list some of this information. If not, make a note of what information you could collect or would like to collect.

Impact Purpose

For what purpose or purposes do you track information about your volunteers?

Compliance (funders or others)

Learning

Storytelling/education