

DAY OF CARING® WRITE A NOTE TO A COMMUNITY FRONTLINE WORKER

The Impact – #UNIGNORABLE issue: network of agencies

United Way's community agencies have been on the frontlines of responding to the rising needs of the most vulnerable individual and families during the COVID-19 pandemic. Community workers have stepped up to meet emergency needs and keep vital programs going, from youth and seniors outreach to homeless drop-in centres, shelter services to newcomers, family support and beyond. Writing a note to community frontline workers is a great way to send local love to these essential workers, recognizing them for their steadfast commitment and hard work.

Activity description

Small gestures in life can make huge impacts! We might not all be expert writers but all of us can write a note from the heart and make someone feel that they are cared for and thanked for their hard work.

How does it work?

- An online link will be provided to the volunteers who want to participate in the activity
- Guidelines and tips are provided in the link

- Write an encouraging thank you note to a community frontline worker to recognize them for their commitment and effort throughout the pandemic. A note with positive messages and thanks is uplifting. You can write the note by yourself or with family and friends
- UW will collect these thought-filled notes and send them to community frontline workers in United Way's network of agencies

Timing

The activity can take anywhere from 15 to 60 minutes to complete.

Who can participate?

- Any volunteer can participate
- Volunteers that can write notes in different languages are welcome

Booking information

To learn more, contact your United Way partner or email donorengagement@uwgt.org.

After the activity

Tell us about your experience! Share your feedback with United Way using the survey link that will be included in your confirmation email.