

## \*Poverty, Nutrition, and Refugee\* (Continued)

**Globous Relief**.....977-0444 ext. 230  
Gathers corporate surplus, processes, and distributes medical and other humanitarian supplies to charitable organizations serving the needy at home and abroad.

**Location:** 1775 W. 1500 S.

**Projects and Requirements:** Sort Supplies, work in warehouse, help with donation drives, and making supplies. Minors must be accompanied by adult. Warehouse is not handicapped accessible. Please call to give three weeks advance notice. Mon-Fri. 8:30 am – 5:00 pm and occasionally week-ends

**Group Size:** 5-50

**International Rescue Committee (IRC)** .....328-1091

To assist newly arrived refugees through the resettlement process and to provide services to refugees in the community as funding permits.

**Location:** 1800 S. West Temple Suite 421

**Projects and Requirements:** Help with organizing storage units, deliver furniture to clients, help with youth activities and events. Minimum age 10.

**Group Size:** Up to 50 with advanced planning

**Scout Projects:** Yes

**The Road Home**..... 359-4142 Ext. 648

Provide case management, emergency assistance, shelter, and supportive services to homeless persons and stranded travelers.

**Location:** 210 S. Rio Grande St. (455 W.)

**Projects and Requirements:** Help with donation drives, activities and more.

**Group size:** Call for more info **Scout Projects:** Yes

**Utah Food Bank** ..... 887-1229 or 887-1266

Provide food for those in need by developing resources and procedures for the effective collection, storage, and distribution of food.

**Location:** 1025 S. 700 W.

**Projects and Requirements:** Help inspect and sort food, start food drives, or decorate food boxes. Minimum age depends on opportunity. Minors must be accompanied by adult.

**Group Size:** 60 (food sorting). Special arrangements can be made for larger groups. 100 + (Food Box Delivery) Larger groups will be split into smaller groups or teams for deliveries.

**Scout Projects:** Yes

**YWCA**.....537-8601

Eliminating racism and empowering women.

**Location:** 322 E 300 S

**Projects and Requirements:** Help with yard work painting and special projects. Call or e-mail [jsmith@ywca.com](mailto:jsmith@ywca.com) for cur-

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## \*Youth\*

**Children's Center, The** ..... 582-5534

Treatment of emotionally & behaviorally troubled pre-school children and their families.

**Location:** 1855 E. Medical Dr. (50 N)

**Projects and Requirements:** Call or e-mail Penney for volunteer details 582-5534 (or) [penney@tccslc.org](mailto:penney@tccslc.org)

**Minimum Age:** 13

**Group Size:** 20 or less **Scout Projects:** yes

**Division of Juvenile Justice Services** ..... 284-0251

Providing comprehensive services for at risk youth within the framework of the Balanced and Restorative Justice Model.

**Location:** 61 W. 3900 S.

**Projects and Requirements:** Make birthday cards for clients and families, teach a skill or craft, help with Christmas, perform holiday activities, and conduct donation drives. Help maintain youth gardens.

**Group Size:** 15-20 **Scout Projects:** contact for more info.

**Division of Youth Services**..... 269-7500

Care and support for abused, neglected, and at-risk youth in a residential setting.

**Projects and Requirements:** Interacting with youth, outdoor maintenance, & sorting donations. Minimum age 12.

**Group Size:** 25 or less **Scout Project:** Yes

**Family Support Center** ..... 255-6881

Prevention and treatment of child abuse and neglect.

**Projects and Requirements:** Help with cataloging, yard work, cleaning, sorting, and playing with kids. Minors must be accompanied by an adult.

**Group Size:** 2-30 **Scout Projects:** Yes

**Neighborhood House Association** ..... 363-4589

Educational, recreational, and child care programs.

**Location:** 1050 W. 500 S. Minimum age 13 alone.

**Projects and Requirements:** Create/help with activities, assist in classrooms, can bring in own group project.

**Group Size:** Call for more info **Scout Projects:** Yes

*\*Note:* This is a sample of the group volunteer opportunities available in Salt Lake County. Visit [www.informationandreferral.org](http://www.informationandreferral.org) for more options, or check our volunteer listings in your local newspapers.

Service projects are also open to youth groups and other organizations.



COMMUNITY SERVICES COUNCIL

Salt Lake County

# Group/Scout Community Service Opportunities



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If this list is more than 1 year old, dial 2-1-1 for an updated copy. If your cellular or office phone does not recognize the 211 number, you can dial 1-888-826-9790 or visit our website:

[www.informationandreferral.org](http://www.informationandreferral.org)

Please note the following:

- Many agencies have specific guidelines and may not accept individuals who do not meet an age requirement or hold violation charges that may pose a threat to the agency and their clients.
- Many agencies require advance scheduling and may turn you away if you do not give sufficient notification.
- Many agencies may require that parent/guardian accompany youth volunteers.
- Many agencies may split or divide groups.
- You can always check with your local churches, government agencies, care/hospice centers, parks and recreation facilities.

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## **\*Advocacy and Animals\***

**Arc of Utah** ..... **364-5060 Ext 13**  
Advocate for people with developmental, cognitive, intellectual, and related disabilities.  
**Location:** 155 S. 300 W., Suite 201  
**Projects and Requirements:** Assisting with special projects.  
Minimum Age: 14  
**Group Size:** 20 or less **Scout Projects:** Yes

**No More Homeless Pets in Utah**..... **364-0370 Ext 27**  
Coalition of rescue groups, shelters and veterinarians working together to end the euthanasia of homeless dogs and cats.  
**Location:** 324 S. 400 W., Suite C  
**Projects and Requirements:** Help with adoption, event set-up and tear-down, supply drives, and fund raisers. Working with animals.  
**Group Size:** Call for more info **Scout Projects:** Yes

**South Valley Sanctuary** .....**255-1095**  
Provide emergency shelter and protective services to victims of domestic violence and their dependents.  
**Projects and Requirements:** Help with special events, and donation drives. Minimum age 16  
**Group Size:** 12 or less **Scout Projects:** Yes

**Utah Aids Foundation** .....**487-2323**  
Dedicated to preventing the spread of HIV and ensuring compassionate services to those impacted by AIDS.  
**Location:** 1408 S. 1100 E.  
**Projects and Requirements:** Clerical, deliver meals, & help with food pantry. Minimum age 16 alone, 14 with adult.  
**Group Size:** 20 or less **Scout Projects:** Yes

## **\*Education and Literacy\***

**Head Start, (SLCAP)**.....**977-1122**  
Provide families with comprehensive preschool experiences.  
**Projects and Requirements:** Help with general maintenance at the 68 Head Start classrooms including, painting, clean-up, building ramps, etc.  
**Group Size:** 6-7, up to 15-20 **Scout Projects:** Yes

**Literacy Action Center** .....**326-8101**  
Teaching English speaking adults to read and write.  
**Projects and Requirements:** Prepare meals for training, help with special events, write stories, & conduct donation drives. Minors must be accompanied by adults.  
**Group Size:** 2+ **Scout Projects:** Yes

## **\*Environment and Recreation\***

**Tree Utah** .....**364-2122**  
Dedicated to the planting and care of trees in the state.  
**Location:** Various  
**Projects and Requirements:** Planting and watering plants, and maintaining outdoor planting sites. Minimum age 16 alone. No minimum age if accompanied by adult.  
**Group Size:** 150 or less (spring thru fall) **Scout Projects:** Yes

**Utah G.A.R.D.E.N.S. Inc.**,..... **604-5825**  
Dedicated to enhancing our communities and participants through the development, installation and maintenance of sustainable community gardens and greening projects.  
**Locations:** Various  
**Projects and Requirements:** Help plant & cultivate a community garden and assist with garden projects. In need of very large volunteer groups.  
**Group size:** Any Size **Scout Projects:** Yes

## **\*Health\***

**Alzheimer's Associations**..... **265-1944**  
Assist and support families and professionals coping with Alzheimer's disease or related disorders.  
**Location:** 845 E. 4800 S., Suite 120  
**Projects and Requirements:** Help with event set-up and tear-down, and distribution of flyers, & some clerical.  
**Group Size:** 10 or less **Scout Projects:** No

**American Diabetes Association Serving Utah** .... **363-3024**  
Prevent & cure diabetes & improve the lives .  
**Location:** 1245 E. Brickyard Rd. (3135 S.), Suite 30  
**Projects and Requirements:** Help with event set-up, tear-down, and activities. Call for age requirement.  
**Group Size:** 2 + **Scout Projects:** Yes

**Arthritis Foundation** ..... **536-0990**  
Educate the public about arthritis and management options.  
**Location:** 448 E. 400 S., Suite 103  
**Projects and Requirements:** Help with event set-up and tear-down and running of event. Other opportunities available. Minimum age 14.  
**Group Size:** 20 or less **Scout Projects:** Yes

**Cancer Wellness House** ..... **236-2294 Ext 10**  
Providing free psychosocial resources for those affected by cancer.  
**Location:** 59 S. 1100 E. M-F 9:00-5:00  
**Projects and Requirements:** Cleaning, fund raisers, yard projects, and donation drives. Minors must be accompanied by adult.  
**Group Size:** 25 people or less. **Scout Projects:** Yes

**IHC Home Care Hospice**..... **887-6723**  
To provide care to individuals at home or in the community.  
**Location:** 2250 S. 1300 W., Suite A  
**Projects and Requirements:** Make activity kits and comfort products for pediatric patients.  
**Group Size:** 10 or less **Scout Projects:** Yes

**March of Dimes –Teddy Bear Den** ..... **746-5540**  
March of Dimes' mission of preventing birth defects, premature birth and infant mortality.  
**Location:** 4745 S 3200 W, Taylorsville  
**Projects and Requirements:** Advertise need for donations in your community, sponsor donation drives or hold community baby showers to collect infant clothing and items. May also volunteer at special events. Minimum age 16 alone, 14 with adult.  
**Group Size:** Call for more information **Scout Projects:** Yes

**Ronald McDonald House** ..... **363-4663**  
Provide a home away from home for the families of critically ill children.  
**Location:** 935 E. South Temple  
**Projects and Requirements:** Provide and prepare meals for 30-40 people. Must provide food. Kitchen and cookware provided. Can also assist with house keeping. Minors under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult. Call for current projects.  
**Group Size:** 12 or less **Scout Projects:** Yes

## **People with Disabilities\***

**Services For Seniors, A program of the Utah Food Bank** ..... **887-1229 or 887-1266**  
Enhance the independence and dignity of older persons and people with disabilities by assisting with unmet, basic needs.  
**Location:** 1025 S. 700 W. (Volunteer Sites Vary)  
**Projects and Requirements:** Deliver food boxes to home bound seniors and people with a disability, or help with yard work, gardening, raking and snow removal. Large groups will be divided into smaller groups or teams.  
**Group Size:** 100 **Scout Projects:** Yes

**Multi-Ethnic Senior Citizen Highrise** ..... **328-2090 ext 13**  
**Location:** 120 S. 200 W.  
**Projects and Requirements:** Visiting with the residents. Plan activities like parties and BINGO, etc. Minimum age 15.  
**Group Size:** 15 or less **Scout Projects:** Yes

**Rocky Mountain Care Center**..... **397-4904**  
Provide competent, respectful home care for patients meeting Medicare guidelines.  
**Location:** Various  
**Projects and Requirements:** Help with yard work, lawn mowing, gardening, and light home repair, or help with donation drives.  
**Group Size:** Call for more info **Scout Projects:** Yes

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**Catholic Community Services** ..... **977-9119**  
Respond to human needs through emergency assistance and cooperation with community groups and to encourage self-sufficiency.  
**Location:** 250 E. 300 S. Suite 380  
**Projects and Requirements:** Donation sorting, yard work, cleaning, serving lunch, mentoring refugees, and holiday projects. Minors must be accompanied by adults. Youth groups must be accompanied by three adults.  
**Group Size:** 20 or less **Scouts Projects:** Yes

**Eagle Ranch Ministries** ..... **254-4945 ext 2**  
To meet the basic needs of people by providing food boxes, furniture, emergency shelter, and counseling.  
**Projects and Requirements:** Assistance at the distribution center or feeding the hungry. Call For a current list of volunteer opportunities. Minors must be accompanied by an adult. Call for times and locations.  
**Group Size:** 15 or less **Scout Projects:** Yes