

Volunteer Role

Access Team Member

Disability Network Northern Michigan (DNNM) volunteers are responsible for representing DNNM and upholding our mission by raising awareness and impacting communities in our seventeen county service area through outreach, education and advocacy.

Primary Function

To investigate barriers to public accommodations in the community using ADA Guidelines.

Accountability

Director Organizational Advancement

Responsibilities

- Attend a volunteer orientation.
- Attend ADA/Access Team Training.
- Act as an advocate for people with disabilities and inform the public entities about DNNM's mission and services.
- Make the public aware of their legal obligation to be accessible.
- Demonstrate to the public how to achieve compliance with the ADA law through Access Team consultations and explain why it's in their best interest for their business.
- Communicate weekly or when appropriate with DNNM staff member.
- Report county updates at one staff meeting and one Board of Directors meeting yearly.
- Attend additional volunteer training and meetings when needed.

Qualifications

- Communicates clearly.
- Ability to problem solve.
- Outgoing personality.
- Reliable and responsible.

Length of Term

This will be determined on the DNNM Volunteer Agreement form.