

Event Day Volunteer - International Alliance of ALS/MND Associations Conference

Event Dates: Saturday, November 29th to Tuesday, December 2nd, 2025 Location: Sheraton Toronto Airport Hotel, 801 Dixon Road, Toronto, ON In-Person

Volunteer shifts will consist of 4-6 hours, morning or afternoon

ALS Society of Canada invites dedicated individuals to contribute their skills and time in support of the upcoming International Alliance of ALS/MND Associations Conference. Volunteering for this event offers an opportunity to make a meaningful impact and assist in the successful execution of an important international gathering.

About International Alliance of ALS/MND Associations Conference

The Alliance is a global network of ALS/MND associations informed by PALS/CALS, that builds capability for its members and connects to external stakeholders. Helping members thrive by adding value to existing and future associations through curation and creation of information and by acting as a global gateway through which Alliance Members, PALS and CALS, internal, and external stakeholders connect.

This conference allows organizations from across the world to come together to discuss the support and needs of those living with ALS.

What You Will Do:

- **Registration** Assist with distributing name tags, addressing participant inquiries, and providing directions to facilities as needed.
- **Microphone assistance** Following each 40-minute presentation, volunteers will facilitate the Q&A session by circulating the microphone in the room and supporting participants in submitting their questions.
- Supporting the "Day in the Life Suite" Volunteers will guide attendees through various items relevant to individuals living with ALS that can promote greater independence. No prior experience is necessary, as a trainer will walk volunteers through the setup.
- Additional Duties as Assigned Volunteers may be asked to undertake other responsibilities as required.

Time Required:

• Volunteer shifts will consist of 4-6 hours per shift. Morning shifts from 7:30am to 12:30pm and afternoon shifts from 12:30 to 6:00pm.

^{**}Please note that volunteers will be assigned roles as needed leading up to and on the Event Day**.

^{**}Volunteer shirts breakfast and lunch will be provided**



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Volunteer With Us Today!

Please fill out the <u>Volunteer Application Form</u> by November 21st, 2025, with your shift preference. Once you submit the form, we will contact you within three business days.

ALS Canada is committed to being an equitable organization and strongly encourages people from equity-seeking groups to apply. ALS Canada is committed to accommodating applicants with disabilities within our recruitment processes. Please contact the Volunteer Services department at volunteer@als.ca if you require accommodation.

What You Will Be a Part Of

A charitable organization that lives its values of accountability, collaboration, compassion, integrity, dynamic, and respect, ALS Canada works with the ALS community to improve the lives of Canadians affected by ALS through advancing research, care, advocacy, and information. Our world is challenging. The people we serve are dealing with a devastating illness. But through it all, their resiliency and spirit are remarkable and moving. You will be touched by the community and will find a way to engage naturally and effectively.

Grounded in and informed by the Canadian ALS community, we respond to the urgent unmet need for life-changing treatments by investing in high-quality research that will fuel scientific discovery and by engaging industry, supporting increased clinical capacity, and advocating for equitable, affordable, and timely access to proven therapies.

Responding to the tremendous need for current and credible ALS knowledge, awareness, and education, we empower Canadians affected by ALS to navigate the current realities of ALS, be informed consumers of ALS information, and advocate effectively for change. In Ontario, we provide direct community services to help people navigate ALS.

Founded in 1977, we are a registered charity whose work is powered by generous donors who share our vision of a world free of ALS.

Volunteering with ALS Canada is an opportunity to make a huge difference in the lives of all those affected by ALS, to give back to your community, to meet new people and to have fun! Together we are moving closer to a world free of ALS.