

BADRAP BARN CREW JOB DESCRIPTION

Using policies and procedures established by BADRAP, Barn Crew volunteers will assist with the care, feeding, socialization, training and enrichment activities of the foster dogs in the care of BADRAP and housed at the barn facility located in the hills of Oakland, California. Volunteers will also assist with basic maintenance and cleaning of the barn and associated facilities. Additionally, barn volunteers will assist BADRAP during Pit Ed Camps and other educational events held at the barn.

Volunteers must:

- Complete BADRAP's screening and mentoring program
- Transport and handle barn dogs at Pit Ed classes in Berkeley as requested
- Have their own transportation
- Be able to keep an established schedule
- Commit to 4 to 6 hours of volunteer time per month
- Work both independently and with others
- Work in a safe manner
- Be able to keep information of a confidential nature in the strictest confidence
- Be willing to work indoors and outdoors in all weather conditions and on uneven terrain
- Be willing to interact with dogs of varying size and temperament
- Report on daily activities using BADRAP's online message board
- Report any problems to BADRAP as they present
- Review message board and on-site white boards for updates on dogs and dog needs
- Be able to lift 50 pounds
- Attend group meetings and workshops
- Have open and honest communication skills
- Mentor new handlers as appropriate
- Be able to represent BADRAP's mission and communicate educational messages to the public as appropriate

The ideal candidate will have previous similar experience, be able to collaborate with other volunteers and be able to communicate BADRAP's philosophy to others as needed.

To apply, please submit an application to nancy@badrap.org. There will be an orientation on Saturday, May 14 at our Pit Ed training grounds in Berkeley followed by a caravan to the barn!