

March Volunteer Spotlight

Student

Marissa Ornelas

5 Months

Why do you choose to volunteer at St. Luke's?

Working with St. Luke's volunteer program was an opportunity available through Coe's off-campus work study program, so I thought it would be a great way for me to get experience working in different hospital settings since I'm a nursing major.

What do you find most rewarding about your volunteer assignment?

Knowing that I am helping other people in the hospital, employees and patients, it's super rewarding!

How has volunteering changed your opinion of healthcare or St. Luke's?

I've seen a lot more "behind the scenes" aspects of healthcare since I started working at St. Luke's. It's really eye-opening to see how much work & how many people it takes to keep the hospital running smoothly and safely.

What are your future plans after graduation?

I'm planning on going to graduate school at some point after I earn my BSN and work as a nurse (probably in neonatal or pediatrics).



Volunteer Area:

Data Entry, PMR

Lifetime Hours: 126

"Marissa is an awesome volunteer and we love working with her! We truly appreciate her hard work and efficiency as we power through some big projects!"

**~Janessa Weightman
Volunteer Coordinator**

*Our Volunteer Spotlights are randomly chosen. All you have to do is volunteer in the previous month, and your name could be randomly selected!