

# Volunteer opportunities

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Service Program for Older People (SPOP) is recruiting **facilitators for adult bereavement support groups**. This can be a deeply meaningful experience for the right volunteer.

Our award-winning **bereavement program** offers non-sectarian group support for adults of all ages, with a focus on either spousal/partner or non-partner loss. The groups meet for ten consecutive weeks and are overseen by a clinical social worker. Groups meet on the Upper West Side of Manhattan in the afternoon or early evening.

Volunteers must complete an application, interview, and training. We expect a commitment for a full year.

We are seeking volunteers with:

- *personal experience with loss and grief*
- *an understanding of human psychology and group dynamics*
- *excellent listening skills*
- *a desire to help and support others*
- *ability to commit to ten-week group meetings*

To learn more please [click here](#) and send a brief email telling why this opportunity appeals to you.

Thank you,

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