

Open Your to a Senior

**Martin Luther King Jr. Day
January 16, 2012
Volunteer Evaluation**

**Please rate your level of satisfaction on a scale of 1-5
(1 = Poor, 5 = Excellent)**

	Poor			Excellent	
Registration	1(0)	2(0)	3(0)	4(6)	5(20)
Welcome/Introduction	1(0)	2(0)	3(0)	4(3)	5(23)
Training Component	1(0)	2(1)	3(0)	4(4)	5(21)
Afternoon Summary	1(0)	2(0)	3(1)	4(4)	5(21)
Facility	1(0)	2(0)	3(0)	4(3)	5(21)
Ease of communication with staff	1(0)	2(0)	3(0)	4(3)	5(23)
Care receiver information/directions	1(0)	2(0)	3(0)	4(4)	5(22)

1. What did you enjoy about your volunteer experience today?

Learning about my senior and her days.

Learning about someone's life that is so old. (91 years old)

Helen.

Talking with Audrey.

Everything.

The kids and the senior interaction.

Fantastic having one on one time w/our resident. She was welcoming and inviting.

Everything.

Spending quality time with my senior citizen.

Getting to meet new people and learning new information.

Learning.

Learning about her life.

The experience that the students had. Intergenerational sharing was excellent and this experience gave the students a true outlet, sharing of life's experiences.

My visit with Helen was awesome! She's an amazing woman!

Learning from her experiences.

The interaction with the senior citizens.

How the lady talked about her life.

That we interact with the senior citizens and about their lives.

Talking to a senior, sharing conversation.

How we got to talk to the senior lady about her life.

The knowledge I gained with the seniors.

*The kindness of our old woman.
Interaction with the senior – Ms. Audrey.
How much I learned about before WWII and what it was like before electricity.
It was interesting meeting the interviewee.*

2. What additional information/preparation if any would have been helpful for your visits?

*Take information now vs. how it was back in the day.
Not enough time.
Helen's nice.
No preparation needed.
Nothing.
A little background information about our senior citizen.
Her childhood.
Explanation of the transport from one location to the next. Parking information.
I thought the volunteer staff was awesome!
Nothing.
Just that the girls should be told to wear comfortable shoes.
A background on the person I'm talking to .
Their background info.
More background on seniors interests.
Books or papers about past and previous generations.
Getting to know more about her.*

3. Any additional concerns you wish to share?

*Doing more of this.
She was so open and friendly it was refreshing.
Wished we had more time with the seniors.
Need more time with the seniors.
No concerns. The experience was great and this is something that needs to occur more often.
I would hope that we don't have to wait a whole year to do it again.
Yes, be healthy and strong.
Great experience.*

Thank you for volunteering!

