

KERN COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT



Probation's Volunteer Services recruits those who are at least 18 years of age to volunteer in Adult Services, Juvenile Services, Juvenile Treatment Facilities and Probation Auxiliary County of Kern. Volunteer opportunities vary within the Probation Department and new ideas for programs are accepted on a continuing basis for consideration.

Probation's Intern program partners with Bakersfield College, Cerro Coso College, Santa Barbara Business College, Taft College, University of Phoenix, Brightwood College, and California State University, Bakersfield. The assistance of college and university interns has allowed a closer level of supervision of probationers with volunteer placement possible throughout the Probation Department. Many interns complete their volunteer hours and are inspired to apply as Juvenile Corrections Officer extra help.

All volunteer and intern applicants are required to go through an extensive background check as part of the approval process. Each applicant's information is reviewed on an individual basis.

Annually, community volunteers give over 30,000 hours of their time and talent to the Probation Department's Volunteer Services. If you would like to become part of this team, please call Probation Volunteer Services at 661 868-4103 or 661 868-4100 for additional information.

