

## Volunteer Workshop

**Leaders (VWL)** deliver multi-sensory, hands-on workshops in the Portland area. In year-round Lead Poisoning Prevention Workshops, VWL teach lead awareness and safety measures. In the Weatherization Workshops from October to March, VWL demonstrate how to install energy saving materials and teach behavioral changes that save energy and money.

### Training

Orientation/Training Dates:  
Saturdays in September  
9/9, 16, 23 & 30, 2017

After orientation, volunteers observe 3 workshops, practice with staff, and conduct 2 observed workshops before becoming a full workshop leader.

A CEP staff person will always attend and facilitate the workshop.



## How do I get started?

- View the complete volunteer job description on our website: [www.communityenergyproject.org](http://www.communityenergyproject.org)
- Email a short letter explaining why you are interested in this volunteer opportunity and your resume to our Development Director:  
[ron@communityenergyproject.org](mailto:ron@communityenergyproject.org)
- Call or email to set up an appointment with a staff member.

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## Volunteer Workshop Leaders (VWL) have special skills

VWL can:

- Speak in front of groups of 5-30 people
- Capture the attention and interest of the audience
- Clearly and confidently convey information
- Relate to audience
- Encourage interaction among workshop participants
- Respond to participant needs and questions
- Work with interpreters
- Accept constructive critique from

Because of the increased responsibility and skill level required, volunteer workshop leaders receive a small stipend per completed workshop after training. Most workshops are conducted in the evenings and on weekends.

# Why Become a Volunteer Workshop Leader?

- Professional Development
- Stay connected to the community
- Share information with neighbors
- Give back to the Community
- Develop leadership experience

Your experience  
Your personality  
Making a difference in  
Your community



Since 1979, Community Energy Project has been empowering people in the Portland-Metro area to maintain healthier, more livable homes, control their utility costs, and conserve natural resources.

We conduct free do-it-yourself workshops in weatherization and lead poisoning prevention.



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## Become a Volunteer Workshop Leader (VWL)



Community Energy Project believes that everyone deserves a safe, healthy, efficient home regardless of income.