

Docs in the Park Program Toolkit: **OUTREACH to volunteers and participants**

Volunteers are essential to the Docs in the Park Program.

- Reach out to connect with volunteers through many social media platforms that are available. Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and Meetup.com allow community organizers to reach out to local pediatricians and volunteers who may be interested in participating in the program.

Suggestions for Twitter hashtags, #BaltimoreCity, #DocsInThePark, #Nature, etc.

- Contact Baltimore City Recreation and Parks Volunteer Coordinator and ask them for help. Email bcrp.volunteers@baltimorecity.gov
- Post your event at Volunteer Match for free <https://www.volunteermatch.org/>

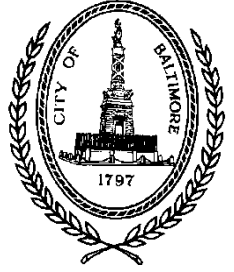
Promote event to families who will benefit from the program! Some families find out about the Docs in the Park Program through their pediatricians; However, YOU NEED TO PROMOTE your event to your community. Create a fun flyer and share everywhere (through email and handouts) to community centers, libraries, schools, parent teacher organizations, faith-based centers, and after school care.

Remember to have volunteers sign-in on the day of the event (form provided below)



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PARK PROJECT VOLUNTEER SIGN IN SHEET



DATE: _____ Description of Project: _____

Group Name: _____ Email or Phone Number of contact: _____

Park Location: _____ Total # of volunteers: _____

Disclaimer: I wish to volunteer my services to the City of Baltimore Department of Recreation and Parks (the Department). I understand the nature of volunteering may involve physical activities that could result in an accidental injury. I release the Mayor, City Council and any of its employees, partners, affiliates and successors from any and all liability associated with this potential risk. I also give my permission for the Department to use without limitation or obligation, photographs and film footage that may include me for the promotion and programs of the Department.

NAME	E-mail or phone number	Address

