

POVERTY SIMULATION

A LEARNING EXPERIENCE THAT EXAMINES THE CHALLENGES & CHOICES THOSE IN POVERTY FACE

Great Rivers United Way's Poverty Simulation is a hands-on experience that helps participants become sensitized to the realities faced by low-income people living and working right here in the Coulee Region.

Our Poverty Simulation will challenge you to:

- Leave any preconceived notions you may have about poverty at the door.
- Learn about and attempt to navigate services meant to help those facing poverty.
- Acknowledge that – while, for you, this is just a simulation – what you'll experience is day-to-day life for far too many people in our community.

Our Poverty Simulation is a catalyst for ongoing dialogue and social change within not only your organization, but the community as a whole. Poverty is a complex issue, and the simulation supports Great Rivers United Way's multi-faceted approach to creating a better community for all residents.

A private Poverty Simulation lasts two to three hours, and includes an introduction and briefing; the simulation exercise; and a debriefing, during which participants and volunteers reflect on their experience. If you choose to sponsor a public Poverty Simulation, your group/business will be recognized per the below.

SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS	SUPPORTER \$1,000	FRIEND \$500
Public Poverty Simulation (open to the community)	X	
Recognition in E-newsletter	Logo	
Recognition on Event Landing Page	Logo	
Recognition on Print Materials	Logo	
Recognition in Press Release	X	
Recognition on Social Media	X	
Recognition in Annual Report	X	X
Recognition as Presenting Sponsor	X	
Display Table in Foyer	X	
Private Poverty Simulation (open to your group/employees)		X

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