

## Dubai Healthcare City Authority Volunteering Program

### Requirements for Clinical Practice: Unlicensed Volunteers with Medical Background

Must be a graduate of a healthcare program in the intended category/ area of practice

HCP	New grads	Gap in practice		Old grads, never practiced
		Less than 5 years	More than 5 years	
GP	Frontline, assessment	Frontline, assessment	Assist only	Assist Only
Specialists*	Frontline, assessment	Frontline, assessment	Assist only	Assist Only
Nurses	Frontline, assessment	Frontline, assessment	Assist only	Assist Only
Allied Health	Frontline, assessment	Frontline, assessment	Assist only	Assist Only
<b>Supportive Services (Mental Health)</b>	Only for admitted patients, service to be provided when seen necessary by the attending physician Telehealth mode can be used if such a facility is available.			

Scope and responsibilities	
Frontline, assessment	Initial assessment & triage
Assist Only	Vital check-up and documentation
Supportive Services	Counselling and psychological support

Conditions
The above cannot be near-critical patients. These are for patients who are coming for initial assessment, suspected of COVID-19, mildly symptomatic and need only observation.
* If a hospital finds them competent, they can make a spot decision with proper documentation to give them more privileges.

## Accepted Specialties

<b>Specialists</b>	Emergency Medicine, Family Medicine, General Medicine, Internal Medicine and the subspecialties, Pulmonology, Critical Care Medicine/Intensive Care Medicine, Pathologists, Immunologists, Paediatrics and its subspecialties, Geriatrics, Urology, Nephrology, Radiology
<b>Nurses</b>	All specialties and levels
<b>Allied Health</b>	Medical Lab Technologist, Medical Lab Technician, Molecular Biology Technologist, Phlebotomist, Radiographer, Sonographer (subspecialties included), Pharmacist, Respiratory Therapist, Cardiovascular (Cath Lab) Technologist, ECG Technician, Dialysis Technician
<b>Mental health support services</b>	Psychologist, Counsellor