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Service learning project

28 hours of volunteering completed during fall semester 2013

- On Tuesday nights I went out with other volunteers in the Salvation Army truck.
- There are set meeting points in Champaign-Urbana where people who need assistance can meet up with the truck and ask for what they need.
- The items commonly asked for are hygiene products, blankets, and food.
- By providing these items the C-U Canteen Run is helping people to stay clean, warm, and fed; potentially helping people to stay healthy by aiding them in avoiding disease and malnutrition.

WHAT I DID

- There are a lot of great resources in Champaign-Urbana for those in need of assistance. In addition to providing clients with donated goods, the C-U Canteen Run provides information and knowledge about other local services. As a result, I have learned not only about the services that the C-U Canteen Run offers but also about other resources that are available in this community.
- Giving a little bit of my spare time can really benefit members of my community.

WHAT I LEARNED

- Through my work with the C-U Canteen Run I gained experience in working with diverse groups of people and knowledge of services that are offered to those in need of assistance in the Champaign-Urbana area.

HOW I WILL REPORT IT ON
MY ACADEMIC RESUME
