

EUROPEAN VOLUNTARY SERVICE 2023-2024

CENTER FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY 'HELENOW' WARSAW - POLAND

Duration: 12 months

Start date: flexible

Their website:
<https://www.helenow.pl>



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GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE EUROPEAN VOLUNTARY SERVICE (EVS)

In Switzerland, the European Voluntary Service (EVS) is an exchange program financed by the Swiss government and it enables young people between the ages of 18 and 30 to volunteer in a non-profit project within Europe.

The volunteer will work for about 30-38 hours per week for 6-12 months. They will receive a certificate of participation at the end of their volunteering period.

The European Voluntary Service program is managed by the Swiss Agency for Exchange and Mobility, Movetia.

The scholarship covers the following:

- International travel expenses (up to 400 CHF)
- Food and lodging
- Pocket money (105 CHF/month)
- Language support
- Liability, health and accident insurance

Further information can be found on our [website](#), in German or in French.



CREiO (or "Helenow") is a complex of institutions providing education, treatment and welfare for children, youth and adults with disabilities. The Centre specializes in the treatment of children with Central Nervous System dysfunctions.

Over 180 pupils at Helenow are supported either in full-day or round-the-clock care which includes tasty homemade meals. All activities in the field of rehabilitation, education and care are designed to develop an entire, or at least relative, independence in children, so that they are able to constitute an active part of the open society.

VOLUNTEER'S TASKS

- Mostly supporting the team in the Health Care Center: helping with hippotherapy and other therapies (music, art...)
- Helping in the After School center: organizing after-school activities and excursions
- Helping in the Education Centre: organizing daily activities at the school and helping with homework and self-study. Organizing language workshops, teaching language through games
- Helping in the Graduate Club: running sport activities, language workshops, intercultural activities

REQUIREMENTS

- Age 18-30
- Social, tolerant and responsible
- Interest in working with children with disabilities
- Motivation and desire to work with animals, especially with horses. Some knowledge in horse riding or hippotherapy is an advantage.
- Some knowledge of English and/ or Polish is desirable

INTERESTED?

[Application form and other information](#)

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Deadline: Ongoing. The sooner the better!

Questions? Contact us at astrid.tuerler@icye.ch



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