

Website information for NPO activities

Please note that some of the websites are not operated by the prefectural government and need to be confirmed. The addresses are as of April 2024, and might have been deleted or changed.

- ▶ Want information for NPOs
- ▶ Want to do research on NPOs

Find information for NPOs based in Kanagawa.

神奈川県NPO協働推進課



NPO Partnership Promotion Division (K.P.G.)

On the Cabinet Office NPO Homepage, you can search the information on NPOs across the country.

内閣府NPOホームページ



Operated by: Cabinet Office (National Government)

- ▶ Want to know about subsidy programs.

かながわボランティア活動推進基金21



Operated by: Kanagawa Volunteer Support Center (K.P.G.)

ボランティア活動を応援する助成金制度



Operated by: Kanagawa Volunteer Support Center (K.P.G.)

休眠預金を活用した事業



Operated by: Japan Network for Public Interest Activities (JANPIA)

- ▶ Need information for strengthening organizational foundation

Information for continuous operation of an organization is available.

組織基盤強化ポータルサイト



Operated by: Japan NPO Center

NPO支援コレクション



Operated by: NPO Support Center

- ▶ Want to know citizens' activities support facility nearby

Kanagawa Volunteer Support Center assists NPO activities in Kanagawa.

かながわ県民活動サポートセンター



Operated by: Kanagawa Volunteer Support Center (K.P.G.)

Carries information on voluntary activity support centers run by public entities.

神奈川県内ボランティア活動支援センター情報



Operated by: Kanagawa Volunteer Support Center (K.P.G.)

- ▶ Want to obtain a loan

K.P.G.'s financing programs for SMEs are available for NPOs, as well.

神奈川県中小企業制度融資



Operated by: Financing Division, K.P.G.

Japan Finance Corporation has loan programs for NPOs.

ソーシャルビジネス支援資金



Operated by: Japan Finance Corporation

Consultations on financing are available at voluntary activity consultation services

ボランティア活動相談窓口



Operated by: Kanagawa Volunteer Support Center (K.P.G.)



Useful Information for NPO

- ▶ K.P.G.'s NPO assistance programs
- ▶ Website information for NPO activities

The following three accounts carry information on NPO and voluntary activities.



Kanyao
Facebook



Kanyao
X (former Twitter)



Kanagawa Volunteer
Support Center
X (former Twitter)



Follow us Meow !

"Likes" creator
Kanyao

Want to start up an NPO

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1-01

Certification of an NPO establishment

Help you in the procedures for gaining certification for NPO establishment.



1-02

Orientation seminar for NPO establishment

Seminars/consultation services for NPO establishment are provided. Appointment necessary.



Want to start up/develop a business

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Kanagawa Voluntary Activity Promotion Fund 21, Voluntary Activity Subsidy

Program to subsidize activities by voluntary organizations, etc. to solve social and community issues. A subsidy of a half of the activity costs (up to one million yen) will be provided for three years at the longest.



Want to be evaluated for excellent activities

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Kanagawa Voluntary Activity Promotion Fund 21 Voluntary Activity Encouragement Prize

A program to award volunteer organizations working on practical activities to solve the community and social issues. Certificate of merit and sub-prize (up to ¥300,000) are presented from governor.



Want to conduct a collaborative work

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Kanagawa Voluntary Activity Promotion Fund 21 Collaborative Program Financed by K.P.G

K.P.G. will work in collaboration with NPOs to effectively implement programs to solve community and social issues, and shoulder the expenses of the programs up to ¥5 million per year.(Up to five years)



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Collaboration Activity Consulting Service

“Collaboration Activity Consulting Service” is a general consultation service for those who wish to collaborate or cooperate with companies, NPOs or governments to solve regional and CSR issues but have difficulties in finding a partner. We provide matching service by introducing a partner and acting as a mediator.



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Partnership Support Program for Company, NPO and University

As part of efforts to create a society to solve the complex and diverse regional issues with the participation of diversified entities, we are offering company, NPO and university the opportunities of meeting and learning aiming to promote collaboration and cooperation with other entities.



Want to strengthen the activity base of the organization

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Subsidy for Building Foundation of NPO

We are providing subsidy for NPOs with relatively short history in Kanagawa Prefecture to assist establishment of activity basis. (Up to 300,000 yen)



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Accompanying Support Program for Organizational Strength of NPOs

We invite applications from NPOs willing to strengthen their basis and continue their organization. This program aims to improve NPOs' organizational strength and assist their growth and development by providing non-financial supports from a team of various experts with much experience.



Want to learn

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Kanagawa Community College

Courses will be provided as a “learning place” for volunteers and NPOs to develop human resources who will work on solution of regional issues and vitalization as well as strengthening foundation of organization. If you are interested in taking the courses, please register from the website “Kanagawa Community College Homepage”.



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Learning Sessions for NPOs

We are providing learning sessions twice a year for NPOs in Kanagawa. You can learn about various methods of fund raising, organization management and strengthening of foundation, which will lead to independent, stable and continuous operation.

Want to manage organization independently with donations

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Certification/Special Certification, System of NPO Designation by the Prefecture

If your organization obtains the above certification or designation approved by the prefecture, your donor will be able to receive tax benefit.

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Seminar on Certification/Special Certification and NPO Designated by Prefecture

We are offering seminars and individual consultations on the system. (Reservation is necessary).

Want to consult

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Voluntary Activity Consultation

Consultation services by an expert advisor are available. You can consult on various matters, including management, accounting, and fund raising of your voluntary organization.
<General consultation services> Time and dates: 12:00 to 16:00, from Tue to Sat
Available at 9th floor of Kanagawa Kenmin Center
<Consultation by phone> Phone: 045-312-1121 (Ext. 4112)
<Specific consultation services> (Appointment beforehand is preferable)
・ About establishment and management of organization.
Time and dates: 12:00 to 16:00, every 3rd Monday
・ About accounting for NPO
Time and dates: 12:00 to 16:00, every 3rd Friday
・ About fund raising
Time and dates: 12:00 to 16:00, every 2nd Wednesday
*Please confirm the time and dates at our webpage beforehand.



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Collaboration Activity Consultation Service



Want to find a place for activity

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Volunteers' Salon

Voluntary groups can use this salon to have a meeting or do some work.
Located at the 9th and 10h floor of Kanagawa Kenmin Center, equipped with lockers, stationery supplies and working spaces.



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Meeting Room

Charged meeting rooms for volunteer groups. Located at 6th and 7th floor of Kanagawa Kenmin Center.



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Disaster Response Volunteer Activity Support Room

Registered disaster volunteer groups can use this room to have a meeting or do some work.
Located at 11th floor of Kanagawa Kenmin Center. *There are certain requirements to use this facility.



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Partnership Room/Collaboration Studio

Partnership room is for voluntary groups and K.P.G.to have a meeting for their cooperative actions. Collaboration studio is for voluntary groups engaged in cooperative actions with the prefecture to exchange with each other. Both located at 11th floor of Kanagawa Kenmin Center. *There are certain requirements to use this facility.



Want to gather information

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K.P.G.'s Webpages

NPO Partnership Promotion Division  Kanagawa Volunteer Support Center 

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Kanagawa Volunteer Support Center X (former Twitter)

This account carries information about voluntary activities, including volunteers' event and disaster volunteers.



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Kanyao Facebook / X (former Twitter)

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Contact Information

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Regarding 1 and 11 , please contact Yokohama Detached Office ▶ Phone: 045-312-1121 (Ext. 2865)
For other contents, please contact NPO Support Group ▶ Phone: 045-210-3703



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Regarding the contents with [S], please contact Kanagawa Volunteer Support Center.
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