## **ABOUT OUR VOLUNTEERS**

- The North Bay Regional Health Centre has over 300 volunteers who provide service in district hospital and regional mental health programs, support fundraising initiatives and share their expertise as volunteer board members.
- Volunteers have been a valued part of our hospital community for over 100 years.
- Our volunteers are dedicated individuals of all ages who generously share their time and talent, delivering compassionate and respectful service to our patients and their families.
- Our volunteers contribute approximately 30,000 hours of volunteer service per year.
- While our volunteers are committed to supporting our programs and services, they do not supplant paid employees in our organization. A collaborative effort is taken to assess volunteer positions and ensure that volunteers do not perform the work of paid employees.
- Our volunteers make a difference by providing additional services that support our operations, enhance patient care and comfort, and create a welcoming atmosphere in our health care facility.
- We would like to thank our volunteers for their commitment to our organization their selfless gift of time continues to touch the lives of our patients and strengthen our community!