

Patrons say:

“I am so happy to be able to get books from the library delivered to me since I can’t get there myself.”

“I look forward to seeing her [matched volunteer] and getting fresh materials to keep me busy.”

Volunteers say:

“It feels great to know that I am helping someone out.”

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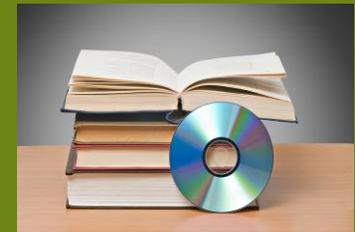


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is a collaboration between the Goodnow Library and the Sudbury Senior Center. The program's aim is to supply library materials to Sudbury residents unable to travel to the Library due to a temporary or permanent disabling condition.

The program was created to advance Goodnow Library's mission to offer or enhance services to the town's currently underserved residents.

This service is provided free of charge to Sudbury residents of private homes, apartment buildings, and in some cases, assisted living facilities.

HOW IT WORKS

A Senior Center volunteer will deliver the requested books/library materials of their matched patron to the patron's residence at a mutually convenient day/time. The volunteer will then return the materials to the library when the circulation period expires.

The materials will be selected by the patron or by the patron in discussion with the Goodnow Library staff or Senior Center volunteer. Users of the Goodnow-To-Go service must have a library card in good standing.

If you are interested in using the Goodnow-To-Go service, please fill out an application (available at the Senior Center as well as on-line at: <https://goodnowlibrary.org/wp-content/uploads/sites/380/2018/07/Goodnow-To-Go3.pdf>). The application asks for relevant information and material preferences. Deliveries and pick-ups of the library materials occur approximately every two weeks.



WILL YOU BE A GOODNOW-TO-GO VOLUNTEER?

Goodnow-To-Go volunteers participate in the program because they care about their neighbors. The volunteers have said how very much they enjoy making library material deliveries to their matched client.

As a Goodnow-To-Go volunteer you will receive training and supervision to assist you in handling any questions or problems that might arise in your role.

Consideration is given to matching you with a person with whom you are comfortable.

For more information about the service, contact Michael Briody, mbriody@minlib.net, 978-440-5535. To apply to become a Goodnow-To-Go volunteer, call the Sudbury Senior Center at (978) 443-3055 and leave a message for Janet Lipkin, Volunteer Program Coordinator.

