

VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT

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ABOUT CHRIS

Christopher (Chris) King is a senior deputy general counsel of the in-house M&A legal team at Comcast Corporation. He specializes in venture capital investments, joint ventures and mergers & acquisitions across Comcast, NBCUniversal and Sky Group. He also serves on the Comcast pro bono legal services committee. Prior to Comcast, Chris was an associate at DLA Piper in the corporate & securities group, a law clerk in the US district court for the District of Massachusetts, and a special assistant district attorney in Suffolk County, MA.

PARTNERING WITH HAP

Chris has been volunteering with HAP for a year and enjoys using his skills as a corporate attorney to handle pro bono birth certificate cases (nine to date). Chris never expected he would become somewhat of an expert in vital records regulations in six (and counting!) states, but is happy to put his experience to work and help HAP clients with an otherwise daunting process.

Chris is grateful to work for a company that actively embraces service to others and believes that donating time and services to help and empower vulnerable members of the community is a core part of the culture at Comcast.

"I feel called to aid the homeless community in Philadelphia, but the issues facing people experiencing homelessness can be complex and overwhelming. HAP does an amazing job tackling these issues. We are fortunate to have HAP guiding the way."

HAP Pro Bono Coordinator Maggie Oberkircher says, "Chris has quickly become such a valuable member of HAP's volunteer team. He has handled a significant number of pro bono cases within a short time, and his thoughtful and efficient efforts have helped several HAP clients secure vital documents and move forward. It has been wonderful to work him."

Thanks for all that you do, Chris! Thanks as well to all Comcast team members who help HAP clients in so many different ways (birth certificates, SOAR, in-person legal clinics, etc.)!

