

Volunteer Spotlight: **Kavya Pasumarthy**



Joining the ranks of our volunteers in 2020, Kavya has served both Apparo and one of our nonprofit partners.

"Volunteering with Apparo was recommended to me as a match for my data entry and analytics skills. I have also always loved teaching and wanted to continue down that path, but not make a career out of it. Volunteering with Apparo allowed me to merge my passions together. That's a very unique opportunity."- Kavya Pasumarthy

<u>Crisis Assistance Ministry</u>: In late 2020, Kavya served as an IT Coach, leveraging her expertise with Microsoft Excel to help improve a spreadsheet-based process for resolving problems with payments to landlords.

Apparo: At the same time, Kavya began supporting Apparo directly, using her data skills to help make critical updates to our Salesforce database.

I was thrilled for Kayva's support in bringing our nonprofit technology ecosystem information up to date in Salesforce for past applicants of our Mission Possible Award and G.A.I.N. program. This information is fundamental to our understanding a nonprofit's current technology state, evaluating technology trends, and informing technology recommendations for our nonprofit partners." - Jennifer Ray, Program Manager, Apparo

25 Hours

Time Volunteered

\$3,750

Value Delivered to Nonprofits

I really enjoyed working with Kavya. She was very personable, got right to my questions and followed up with me. It was a very positive experience and now I have a spreadsheet that is more user friendly for myself and others in the organization who need to use it. I also have new Excel skills that I can now use intuitively." - Debra Clancy, Audit Specialist, Crisis Assistance Ministry.

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