

Is there any fact or circumstance involving you or your background that would call into question your being entrusted with the supervision, guidance and care of children?

Yes  No If yes, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

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Were you a victim of sexual or physical abuse or molestation while a minor? (If you prefer, you may discuss your answer in confidence with a Children's Ministry staff member. Answering "Yes" or leaving the question unanswered will not automatically disqualify an applicant.)

Yes  No If yes, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

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Has your driver's license ever been suspended or revoked?  Yes  No

If yes, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

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- 1. **APPLICATION RECEIVED:**            /        /         EC    ELEM
- 2. **APPLICATION ENTERED IN FELLOWSHIP:** \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. **REFERENCES COMPLETED:** \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. **BACKGROUND CHECK COMPLETED:**    /        /        \_\_\_\_\_

1. **ORIENTATION / TRAINING ATTENDED:** \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVAL OF DIRECTOR (IF NEEDED) \_\_\_\_\_

2. **POST TO:**  
FELLOWSHIP STAFFING \_\_\_\_\_ SHADOWING \_\_\_\_\_

3. **INFORM:**  
TEAM LEADERS \_\_\_\_\_ MINISTRY COACH \_\_\_\_\_

**PLACEMENT DETERMINED:**  EW  EOW

**START DATE:**    /    /

**SERVICE HOUR:**  
 SAT 4         SAT 6         SUN 9         SUN 11

**AGE GROUP:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CLASS:** \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RETURN TO:

Northside Christian Church  
Attn: Andrea Jenkins  
4407 Charlestown Rd.  
New Albany, IN 47150



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name \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_



VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

## CRIMINAL RECORDS CHECK AUTHORIZATION

I hereby give my permission for NORTHSIDE CHRISTIAN CHURCH to obtain information pertaining to any charges and / or convictions I may have had for federal and state law violations. The criminal history record, as received from the reporting agencies, may include arrest and conviction data as well as plea bargains and deferred adjudication. I understand this information will be used, in part, to determine my eligibility for a volunteer position with this organization. I also understand as long as I remain a volunteer here, the criminal history records check may be repeated at any time. I understand I will have an opportunity to review the criminal history and a procedure is available for clarification, if I dispute the record as received.

I, the undersigned, do, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, hereby remise, release and forever discharge and agree to indemnify NORTHSIDE CHRISTIAN CHURCH and each of their officers, directors, employees and agents harmless from and against any and all causes of actions, suits, liabilities, costs, debts and sums of money, claims and demands whatsoever, and any and all related attorney's fees, court costs, and other expenses resulting from the investigation of my background in connection with my application to become a volunteer.

\_\_\_\_\_  
applicant signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
date

\_\_\_\_\_  
please print name

\_\_\_\_\_  
please print maiden name if applicable

\_\_\_\_\_  
please print all aliases if applicable

\_\_\_\_\_  
\*Social Security Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
date of birth

\*Must be completed for criminal records check.

## APPLICANT'S STATEMENT

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize any references, churches, or organizations listed in this application to give you any information (including opinions) they may have regarding my character and fitness for working with children. In consideration of the receipt and evaluation of this application by Northside Christian Church located at 4407 Charlestown Road, New Albany, Indiana, I hereby release any individual, church, reference, or any other person or organization, including record custodians, both collectively and individually, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind or nature which may at any time result to me, my heirs or my family, on account of compliance or any attempts to comply with this authorization. I waive any right that I may have to inspect any information provided about me by any person or organization identified by me in this application.

Should my application be accepted, I agree to uphold the beliefs and teachings of **Northside Christian Church**, and to refrain from unscriptural conduct in the performance of my services on behalf of the church.

I further state that **I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE FOLLOWING RELEASE AND KNOW THE CONTENTS THEREOF,**

**AND I SIGN THIS RELEASE AS MY OWN FREE ACT.** This is a legally binding agreement which I have read and understand.

\_\_\_\_\_  
applicant signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
date

## Confidential Volunteer Application for those working with Children.

This form is to be completed for any position involving the supervision or care of children. It is being used to help the church provide a safe and secure environment for those children who participate in our programs and use our facilities. Many volunteer positions in kidstuf do not require membership, but individuals considered for leadership positions in children's areas must be members of our church or receive special approval by the Director of Children's Ministries.

(PLEASE USE EXTRA PAPER IF NECESSARY AND RETURN WITH THIS APPLICATION)

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

\_\_\_\_\_  
last first middle

Male  Female

\_\_\_\_\_  
present address

\_\_\_\_\_  
city state zip code

\_\_\_\_\_  
day phone evening phone birth date

\_\_\_\_\_  
email

I am particularly interested in serving with (check the appropriate boxes):

Birth - Pre-K  K-5th

I am particularly interested in serving in Guest Services:

I am particularly interested in serving this service time(s):

Saturday 4pm  Saturday 6pm  Sunday 9am  Sunday 11am

## EXPERIENCE

List all previous work involving children.

Name of organization (church or non-church), and phone #	Type of work performed	Date
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

## CHRISTIAN FAITH

Tell us how you came to know the Lord as your personal saviour, and how your life has changed since that time.

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Have you attended our membership class?  Yes  No

Are you a member of Northside?  Yes  No

## PERSONAL REFERENCES

Do not include former employers or relatives (3 names). One reference should be from a minister.

Name	Address	Phone #
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

## BACKGROUND

THE RESPONSES TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS WILL BE HELD CONFIDENTIAL.

Have you ever been arrested for, charged with, under probation for, or convicted of either sexual or physical abuse?

Yes  No If yes, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Do you use illegal drugs?  Yes  No If yes, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense?  Yes  No

If yes, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

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