

BFC'S CHILD & YOUTH WORKER APPLICATION

This application is to be completed by all applicants for any volunteer or compensated position involving the supervision or custody of minors. This is not an employment application. Thank you for helping our church provides a safe and secure environment for children and youth who participate in our programs and use our facilities. **All information will be held in the strictest of confidentiality.**

Basic Information

Today's Date: ____/____/____

Name _____ Birth date ____/____/____
First MI Last Month Day Year

Address _____
Street Address City State Zip

Phone numbers (____) _____ (____) _____ (____) _____
Home Work Cell

Email _____ Driver's license number _____

Where do you work? _____ Social Security Number ____/____/____
For background check purposes if needed

Best times to reach me at home are _____ May we call you at work? Yes No

Marital status (circle one): Single Married (anniversary date _____) Divorced

BFC's membership: Member Regular attendee How long have you attended our church? _____

If not BFC then which church do you attend? _____ For how long? _____

Personal

1. When and how did you become a Christian? (Your Testimony)

2. Please list your past ministry experience, where you served and for how long?

3. What special qualities or qualifications would you contribute as a volunteer or worker?

4. What is your belief concerning the following issues:

a. The authority of the Bible

b. Use of tobacco, drugs, alcoholic beverages

c. Homosexuality

Medical Information

Have you had any prior injuries that might be aggravated by working in children or youth ministry? Do you have any medical conditions that might be hazardous to others?

Are you currently taking any medication prescribed by a doctor for physical or other conditions that would affect your ministry? If so, what are they?

Background information

Have you, at any time, been involved in or accused, rightly or wrongly, of sexual abuse, maltreatment, or romantically or sexually involved with a minor?

yes no

Have you ever been accused or convicted of possession / sales of controlled substances or of driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs?

yes no

Have you been arrested or convicted for any criminal act more serious than a traffic violation?

yes no

Have you ever been a victim of any form of child abuse? If yes, would you like to speak to a counselor or pastor?

yes no yes no

Have you ever gone through treatment for alcohol or drug abuse?

yes no

Is there anything in your past or current life that might be a problem if we found out about it later?

yes no

*I have read BFC's **Workers Handbook** and agree with the expectations, statement of faith, and guidelines and agree to be bound by them.* yes no

If no please explain: _____

Waiver / Release

I, the undersigned, give my authorization to Bible Fellowship Church representatives^{3/4}hereafter referred to as The Church—to verify the information on this form. The Church may contact my references and appropriate government agencies as deemed necessary in order to verify my suitability as a church youth ministry worker. I am willing to request and submit to The Church background reports on myself from the (state) Department of Social Services central registry.

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize any references or churches listed in this application to give you any information (including opinions) that they may have regarding my character and fitness for student ministry. In consideration of the receipt and evaluation of this application by The Church, I hereby release any individual, church, youth organization, charity, employer, 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 that may at any time result to me, my heirs, or family, because 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 be bound by the constitution, statement of faith and policies of The Church, and to refrain from conduct unbecoming to Christ in the performance of my services on behalf of The Church. If I violate these guidelines, I understand that my volunteer status may be terminated. By signing this application, I state that all of the information given about myself is true.

I further state that **I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE FOREGOING RELEASE AND KNOW THE CONTENTS THEREOF, AND I SIGN THIS RELEASE AS MY OWN ACT.** This is a legally binding agreement which I have read and understand.

Print Name

Signature

_____/_____/_____
Date