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# 1ST YEAR COUNSELOR/STAFF APPLICATION

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Please Print. All information is held strictly confidential. This form must be completely filled out. The information is vital to your acceptance and possible placement as a counselor.

Today's Date \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Adult T-Shirt Size: S M L XL 2X

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name First Name  M  F Gender \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Birthdate

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Age Marital Status

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Best way to contact you:  Phone  Cell  Email  Facebook  Other \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone Cell Phone  I text Email

\_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Contact Relationship Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Your Occupation Name of Employer # of years

How long have you lived in IL? \_\_\_\_\_ Years \_\_\_\_\_ months If you have lived in IL for less than one year, list your complete addresses (address/city/state/zip) for the last five years: (Use page 4 for additional space)

Do you have certification in the following?:  CPR  First Aid  Life Guard  Nurse  EMT

## MEDICAL HISTORY (USE PAGE 4: Additional Narrative if necessary for details)

Do you have any medical conditions?  NO  YES, please describe on page 4 (additional narrative section)

Do you take any medications?  NO  YES, please list medicine, reason and any side effects:

Have you had any serious illness or injuries in the last three years?  NO  Yes, please list:

Do you have any physical handicaps/conditions preventing you from performing any type of activity?

NO Yes Please list \_\_\_\_\_

# PERSONAL HISTORY

Were you a victim of abuse, neglect or abandonment as a minor?  NO  YES

Yes, but I would prefer to discuss this in person

Please Clarify:

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# EDUCATION

High School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

College: \_\_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been arrested for a criminal offense?  NO  Yes

Have you ever been convicted of or plead guilty to a crime?  NO  Yes

Have you ever been arrested for sexual misconduct?  NO  Yes

Have you ever been convicted of or plead guilty to sexual misconduct?  NO  Yes

Have you ever taken drugs other than prescription drugs?  NO  Yes

Do you currently: Use tobacco  NO  Yes use alcohol  NO  Yes Use drugs  NO  Yes

If you answered "YES" to any of the above please explain. Use the last page if necessary.

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*Do you have previous training or background in dealing with abused, neglected or abandoned children?*

No  Yes. In what way: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe why you wish to be a counselor for abused kids (use the last page if necessary):

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Have you committed your life to Jesus Christ?  NO  YES Where & When: \_\_\_\_\_

What church do you presently attend? \_\_\_\_\_ How long? \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ Mos.

Pastor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Church Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any previous experience working with children?  NO  YES, please describe:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any previous experience working with abused children?  NO  YES, please describe:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you feel you could lead a 15-minute devotion with your campers with material we provide?  YES  NO

Please circle all the words below which you believe accurately describe you:

- |           |           |             |             |           |               |           |        |
|-----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|--------|
| Timid     | Gentle    | Impatient   | Modest      | Nervous   | Loving        | Tactful   | Mature |
| Sarcastic | Patient   | Angry       | Deliberate  | Congenial | Compassionate | Stubborn  | Kind   |
| Studious  | Selfish   | Secure      | Considerate | Abrasive  | Trustworthy   | Motivated | Verbal |
| Insecure  | Impulsive | Intelligent | Relaxed     | Organized |               |           |        |

List below, five strengths and five weaknesses you have in working with children (please be specific)

Strengths

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_  
5. \_\_\_\_\_

Weaknesses

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_  
5. \_\_\_\_\_

**3 PERSONAL REFERENCES** (not former employers or relatives)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name Address Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name Address Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name Address Phone

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 children or youth work. In consideration of the receipt and evaluation of this application by **Southwest Community Church**, 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 which may at any time result to me, my heirs, or 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.

I further state that I have carefully read the foregoing 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.

Please be advised that a criminal history check will be requested from the state(s) of **Illinois, as well as your current state of residence** as authorized by state law.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Additional narrative from Question \_\_\_\_\_ (Name which question you are responding to)

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**Please send Application to: Collin DePratt (Assistant Director)**

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**Or Email to: applications.rfkc188@gmail.com**