

RALEIGH MENNONITE CHURCH

Screening Application for Volunteers and Employees working with Children and Youth
CONFIDENTIAL (to be reviewed by members of the Children and Youth Nurture Commission and/or Pastor)

This form is being used to help Raleigh Mennonite Church provide as safe and secure an environment as possible for those children and youth who participate in our programs and use our facilities. It also serves to protect our adult volunteers. This form is to be completed by all applicants for any position (volunteer or compensated) involving the supervision or custody of minors. This is not an employment application form.

Personal

Full Name _____ Phone (day) _____ (evening) _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Are you under 18? _____

What training and/or experience do you have in working with children and/or youth? (Please list)

Organization	Type of Work	Dates	Contact Person
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

In which area of children/youth program do you intend to become involved and why?

Have you at any time ever:

- Been arrested for any reason? Yes No
- Been convicted of, or pleaded no contest to, any crime? Yes No
- Engaged in, or been accused of, any child molestation, exploitation, or abuse? Yes No

Are you aware of:

- Having any traits or tendencies that could pose any threat to children, youth, others? Yes No
- Any reason why you should not work with children, youth, or others? Yes No

If the answer to any of these questions is "yes," please explain in detail: _____

(Please attach additional pages if more space is needed)

Abuse or molestation while a minor

Some people have experienced abuse as children. If that has been your situation, we encourage you to contact the pastor or a member of the Children and Youth Nurture Commission for conversation before working with children.

Church Activity

What church or churches have you attended in the past five years? Please include your time at Raleigh Mennonite

Church name	Pastor's name	Years attended
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

References (other than family members)

Record of contact (for use by Nurture Commission rep. Notes should include rep's name, date, and pertinent comments)

Name _____

Address _____

Email Address _____

Phone _____

Relationship _____

Name _____

Address _____

Email Address _____

Phone _____

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Email Address _____

Phone _____

Relationship _____

Agreement / Covenant

The information provided above is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize any references or churches listed above to provide information they may have regarding my character and fitness for work with children or youth. I also authorize any further background checks to be made if deemed necessary by the pastoral staff of Raleigh Mennonite Church.

I have read the Child Protection Plan of Raleigh Mennonite Church and agree to abide by the policies set forth in that document.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Pastor/Ministry Leader Signature: _____ Date: _____