

Lighthouse Pregnancy Resource Center of Hawthorne / Hackensack / Paterson / Wayne
New Volunteer Application

Full Name: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

Street

City

State

Zip Code

Phone (cell): _____ (home): _____ (work): _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

Are you over 18 years old? ☐ Yes ☐ No* Birthday: _____ Marital Status: _____

***If under 18, please have parent indicate approval with signature:** _____

Parent Name (printed): _____ Phone: _____

Current Occupation: _____ **Volunteer Availability:** ☐ Daytime ☐ Evening ☐ Weekends

If student, list school, area of study, graduation date: _____

Optional: If you have children, please list their ages: _____

Previous Volunteer Experience: _____

Please share how you heard about us: _____

Please provide the following for the **church** you attend, and **may we contact pastor listed below for a reference?** ☐ Yes ☐ No

Church Name: _____ City _____

Phone #: _____ Denomination: _____ Years Affiliated _____

Pastor's Name: _____ Pastor's Email: _____

Would you be willing to serve as a **Church Liaison**, sharing the center's services, needs & events with your church? ☐ Yes ☐ No

ABOUT LIGHTHOUSE: Lighthouse is a non-profit, faith-based ministry that seeks to lovingly guide and support women, men and teens facing unplanned pregnancies and related concerns toward life-enhancing choices. We believe that our faith in Jesus Christ empowers us and motivates us to provide pregnancy-related services in this community. To learn more about Lighthouse, please visit www.FriendsofLighthousePRC.org.

Briefly state why you are interested in volunteering at Lighthouse: _____

List any specific training or education relevant to volunteering at Lighthouse: _____

List any special skills or expertise you bring (Include fluency in languages other than English): _____

Please check preferred Center(s): ☐ Hawthorne ☐ Hackensack ☐ Paterson ☐ Wayne ☐ Where Needed Most

Programs & Service Area(s) of Interest: ☐ Birth of a Family ☐ REALife ☐ RENEW Life ☐ YoungLives ☐ Steps4LIFE

☐ Childcare On-site ☐ Facilities Maintenance/Cleaning ☐ Material Aid (sorting /distributing donations) ☐ Marketing/Fundraising

☐ Office Work/Mailing Support ☐ Special Events ☐ Hospitality/Meals for Meetings ☐ Special Subject Instructor: _____

☐ Weekly Peer Counseling* ☐ Abortion Recovery Leader* ☐ Parenting Mentor/Coach* ☐ Couples' Mentor* (relationships)

☐ Student Outreach/Presenter* ☐ Fitness Leader* (Steps4Life) ☐ Medical Team* ☐ Other: _____

*** Indicates additional training/application required, plus background check.** If interested in *childcare, bookkeeping or material aid support*, **may we do a background check?** ☐ yes ☐ no Social Security #: _____

Our *Commitment of Care & Competence*, our *Statement of Commitment & Agreement for All Volunteers*, and *Photo/Video Release* are printed on back. **Please read and sign the bottom of page 2, acknowledging these statements.** Please speak to us if you have any questions. *Thank you for your willingness to volunteer!*

Please return application to: Lighthouse Pregnancy Resource Center
PO Box 227 • Hawthorne NJ 07507
Email: Volunteer@LighthousePRC.org • Fax: 973-238-9049

Questions? Please call 973-238-9047.

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Date Received: _____

Date Processed: _____

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Our Commitment of Care & Competence*

1. Clients are served without regard to age, race, income, nationality, religious affiliation, disability, or other arbitrary circumstances.
2. Clients are treated with kindness, compassion, and in a caring manner.
3. Clients always receive honest and open answers.
4. Client pregnancy tests are distributed and administered in accordance with all applicable laws.
5. Client information is held in strict and absolute confidence. Releases and permissions are obtained appropriately. Client information is only disclosed as required by law and when necessary to protect the client or others against imminent harm.
6. Clients receive accurate information about pregnancy, fetal development, lifestyle issues, and related concerns.
7. We do not offer, recommend, or refer for abortions, abortifacients, or contraceptives. We are committed to offering accurate information about related risks and procedures.
8. All of our advertising and communication are truthful and honest, and accurately describe the services we offer.
9. We provide a safe environment by screening all volunteers and staff interacting with clients.
10. We are governed by a board of directors and operate in accordance with our articles of incorporation, by-laws, and stated purpose and mission.
11. We comply with applicable legal and regulatory requirements regarding employment, fundraising, financial management, taxation, and public disclosure, including the filing of all applicable government reports in a timely manner.
12. Medical services are provided in accordance with all applicable laws, and in accordance with pertinent medical standards, under the supervision and direction of a licensed physician.
13. All of our staff, board members, and volunteers receive appropriate training to uphold these standards.

*6/2019

Statement of Commitment & Agreement for All Volunteers

- During my volunteer tenure for Lighthouse Pregnancy Resource Center, I will conduct myself in a professional manner.
- I will respect the moral and faith-based values of Lighthouse Pregnancy Resource Center and will act accordingly.
- During my volunteer tenure for Lighthouse and its partner ministries, I will represent their standards with respect outside of my contact with Lighthouse.
- I hereby pledge that all information about clients receiving services, and about financial supporters and their donations, will remain confidential. I will not discuss any information with anyone except the Executive Director, a Center Manager, or my direct supervisor, as needed.

Photo/Video Release

By signing this form, you agree to appear in Lighthouse photos/videos.

Please check ☐ **only** if you **do not** consent.

Volunteer's Name (please print): _____

Volunteer's Signature: _____ Date: _____