

Youth Ministry Volunteer Interview Format

Name _____

Interviewer(s) _____ Date _____

1. Why are you interested in volunteering in this ministry?
2. How did you learn about this ministry?
3. What do you hope to gain from this volunteer experience?
4. How would you describe your personality?
5. What do you like to do for fun?
6. Do you work well with others? Do you prefer to work alone or as a member of a team?
7. How do you relate with your peers?
8. Do you possess any prior work or volunteer experience which would facilitate your interaction with the youth?
9. Do you enjoy working with young people? What are some differences about working with children versus working with adults?
10. How do you prefer to supervise?
11. Describe an experience where you were in a position to supervise or discipline a child.
12. What is your full-time career?
13. Relate one work experience which had a positive effect on your overall career.
14. Relate one work experience which had a negative effect on your overall career.
15. Relate one experience in which you had to work with someone who was very different from you.
16. Did any of your childhood experiences inspire you to work with the youth?
17. Do you use language which may be construed as offensive towards any particular person or group of persons?
18. Do you ever engage in behaviors which may have a detrimental effect on children or young populations (i.e., smoking, drugs, etc.)? If yes, please explain.
19. Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense? If yes, please explain.
20. What questions/concerns do you have about being a volunteer?
21. Is there any other information you would like to share about yourself?

(See reverse side for additional comments)

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General Impressions

Concerns

- Compliance Packet Provided to Individual
- Compliance Packet Completed/Submitted to OPCYP
- Reference Letters Mailed
- Scheduled for Training