Lutheran Social Services
of South Dakota
Strengthening Individuals, Families and Communities

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Effective volunteer matching procedures improve the quality of the volunteer experience for participants and maximize the agency and its client's ability to benefit from volunteers. Individuals expressing an interest in volunteering are provided information on the agency and its programs. All volunteers complete a volunteer application and are matched in a volunteer position based on their interests, motivations for volunteering, availability, skills, and the needs of the agency. Information used in the matching process is collected from application forms, telephone conversations and/or interviews with agency staff

Date _____

Name:_____ Email Address:_____

Address:_____

Daytime Phone:_____ Evening Phone:_____

How did you hear about our program?

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Why are you interested in volunteering?

_____

Past Volunteer Experiences and Supervisor's Name and Phone:

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List any special skills (teaching, computers, fundraising) you think are applicable:_____

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Please check the programs you are interested in for volunteer opportunities:			
	General		**Mentors**
	Clerical Duties		School-Based Mentor
	Special Events		IMPACT Mentor
	Fundraising		**Refugee/Immigration**
	Adoption		Classroom Assistants
	Social Work Interns		Child care worker
	Speakers/Trainers		Driving
	Mentors		Mentoring
	After School Program		Tutoring
	Child care worker		Special Events
	Counseling		Fundraising
	Interns		Donations
	Clerical Duties		Clerical Duties
	Foster Care		**Residential**
	Social Work Interns		Interns
			Foster Grandparents

Other Interests: _____

Current Employment Status:

___Full-time ___Retired ___Unemployed ___Part-time ___Student ___Other

Days Available (Please Circle):

Sun Mon Tues Wed Thurs Fri Sat

Times Available (Please Circle)

AM PM Afternoon Anytime

Current Employer and Supervisor's Name and Phone:

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Please List Three Personal References and One Employment Reference:

Name:_____
Phone:_____
Relationship:_____

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Thank you for your interest. We will be contacting you very soon to discuss our volunteer opportunities. Please call us with any questions:

605-357-0100 or 1-800-568-2401.

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