



Volunteer Mentor Application

Thank you for your interest in volunteering with Arizona's Children Association (AzCA)!

Important information: Due to the fact that our volunteers represent us in the community, often work with children and families, and sometimes have access to confidential information, it is important we have a screening mechanism that is fair, easy to access, and administered equally to everyone who wants to volunteer with us. This process includes gathering some personal information, such as references, so we can ensure every volunteer truly supports our mission.

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Phoenix, AZ 85012
602.234.3733

Northern Area
440 N. Washington Ave.
Prescott, AZ 86301
928.443.1991

Southern Area
3716 E. Columbia St.
Tucson, AZ 85714
520.622.7611

Western Area
1940 S. 3rd Ave, Suite B
Yuma, AZ 85364
928.217.1035

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DATE: _____ Dr. Mr. Mrs. Ms. Other _____

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE: _____

TELEPHONE: () _____ MOBILE PHONE: () _____

EMAIL: _____ Last 4 digits of social security #: _____

Are you at least 18 years of age? Yes No

Are you at least 21 years of age? Yes No

*All volunteers must be at least 18 years old and in some cases, 21 years old.

How did you hear of our volunteer program?

Is there a particular volunteer opportunity with Arizona's Children Association that interests you?

Why do you want to volunteer with AzCA?

What times are you usually available to volunteer?

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday

May we add you to our general volunteer email list? Yes No

Section 1: Skills and Interests

Please indicate your hobbies and interests as well as areas in which you have professional, educational, or life experiences in which you are interested to share your skills.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Crafts/Sewing | <input type="checkbox"/> Facilitating Group | Experience with: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Music/Performance
or Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Discussions | <input type="checkbox"/> Preschoolers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reading to Children | <input type="checkbox"/> Bilingual | <input type="checkbox"/> Teenagers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Writing/Editing | <input type="checkbox"/> Typing | <input type="checkbox"/> Emotionally
Challenged |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Professional
Photography | <input type="checkbox"/> Computers | <input type="checkbox"/> Learning
Disabled |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scrapbooking | <input type="checkbox"/> Clerical Skills | <input type="checkbox"/> Substance
Abuse |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sports | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Speaking | <input type="checkbox"/> Mentoring
children/teens |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hiking/Outdoor
Activities | <input type="checkbox"/> CPR/First Aid
Training | <input type="checkbox"/> Others –
please list |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carpentry | <input type="checkbox"/> Event Planning | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mechanics | <input type="checkbox"/> Marketing | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising | |

Please expand on your experience with teenagers, if any.

Do you speak any languages other than English? If so, what languages?

Section 2: Education (two highest degrees earned)

Name of School	Graduate: Yes/No	Major	Degree: i.e. High School Diploma, BS, MA, PhD, etc.

Section 3: Volunteer Experience

Name of Organization	Length of Service	Reason for Leaving	Description of Activities Performed

Section 4: Work Experience

Name of Company	Address	Contact Name & Phone Number	Position / Job Description	Dates Employed

Section 5: References

Please provide six references. At least three must be professional references.

Name	Full Address, City, State, Zip Code	Phone Number	Email Address	Relationship to You

Section 6: General Information

Many of the volunteer positions at AzCA require volunteers to receive/maintain a drivers' clearance from our insurance company to meet the on-going minimum requirements of the position. Some positions may involve volunteers to drive on agency business.

Do you have a valid Arizona driver's license? Yes No

At least Arizona minimum car insurance? Yes No

Have you been found or plead guilty to any speeding, accident, reckless driving or other motor vehicle violations in the last 39 months? (Applicants with 2 or more driving violations cannot be considered for volunteering if the position requires driving clearance. Periodic driving record checks may be conducted throughout volunteering.)

Yes No

Have you had a misdemeanor or felony DUI within the past 5 years? Yes No

Do you have a current certification in: First Aid Yes No
CPR Yes No

Since we are a behavioral health/child welfare agency providing services for children some of who may have experienced prior physical, sexual, and/or mental abuse:

- a) Have you ever been disciplined, terminated or resigned due to your alleged inappropriate behavior towards a child?
 Yes No
- b) Have you ever been disciplined, terminated or resigned due to your alleged sexual or other harassment on the job?
 Yes No
- c) Have you ever been convicted of or plead guilty or nolo contendere to a felony or any offense(s) listed on the Dept. of Public Safety Fingerprint Clearance Class I Card Eligibility list you have received?
 Yes No

Answering "Yes" will not necessarily disqualify an applicant from volunteering (depending upon the position). If you answered "Yes" to item (a), (b) or (c), please explain by giving details of situation including date, place and circumstances: _____

If you are selected for volunteering at Arizona's Children Association you will be required to furnish proof of your identification.

If you are selected for volunteering at Arizona's Children Association, you will be required to, provide evidence of a negative TB test and provide evidence of fingerprinting by the Department of Public Safety (DPS) with continuing volunteering contingent upon clearance.

I wish to volunteer my services to Arizona's Children Association. I understand that no employer/employee relationship will be created. I agree that the information I have provided is, to the best of my knowledge, true, and I grant AzCA permission to contact any of the references named on this form.

Yes, I agree to these terms. No, I do not agree to these terms.

APPLICATION CERTIFICATION

Arizona's Children Association (AzCA) does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, age (over 40), non job related handicap or disability, marital status, veteran status, ancestry, gender identity, sexual orientation, familial status, or any other basis prohibited by law.

In consideration of the opportunity afforded to me to participate in an Arizona's Children Association (AzCA) event, and in light of the aims and charitable purposes of the community services provided by AzCA, I hereby agree as follows:

1. VOLUNTEERS: I understand that volunteer workers have voluntarily agreed to assist in Arizona's Children Association projects, the volunteers will not be paid for their services, and that no medical insurance or workers compensation benefits will be provided by AzCA, and that the participation of individual volunteers may be terminated at any time by the volunteers or by AzCA.
2. ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY: I am aware that in connection with activities associated with the project, I may be exposed to personal or bodily injury or damage to my property.

With full knowledge of the potential dangers involved, I, on behalf of myself, my assignees, heirs, guardians and legal representatives, agree and assume any and all risks of property damage, personal injury or death, and hereby voluntarily and fully waive, relinquish and release any and all rights, claims and causes of action against Arizona's Children Association, its agents, employees, officers and directors, the suppliers, sponsors and volunteers to the projects, collectively, and acknowledge the foregoing by placing my signature here:

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KNOWING AND VOLUNTARY EXECUTION: I, the undersigned, have carefully read this waiver of liability, fully understand its contents, and am aware that this is a release of liability and contract with Arizona's Children Association, and sign it of my own free will.

I voluntarily and knowingly authorize any present employer or supervisor, past employer or supervisor, college, university or other institution of learning, administrator, state agency, federal agency, private business, personal reference, and/or other persons, to give records or information they may have concerning motor vehicle history, wages earned, character, and employment records or any other information requested by AzCA or any agent named by AzCA. I, voluntarily and knowingly, unconditionally release and forever discharge AzCA and any named or unnamed informant from any and all liability related to obtaining, furnishing or using this information. This authorization will be valid from the date signed and continue for as long as I am a volunteer at AzCA and a photographic or faxed copy of the authorization shall be valid as the original.

I certify that my statements on this application and any supporting documents and my response to all of the foregoing questions are true and correct, and there is no information that I have omitted, misrepresented or failed to include. If any of my statements or responses on this application are found to be untrue, misrepresented or omitted, I understand that such a finding may result in the rejection of my application, and, if volunteering, my immediate discharge or discharge at any time during my volunteering.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Completed Applications May Be Returned To:

THRIVE Mentor Program
Arizona's Children Association
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Phoenix, AZ 85012
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