



WelcomeHome
of Chattanooga

Volunteer Application

Name: _____

*Date of Birth: _____ *Level of Education: _____
(*Optional information)

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ Cell Home Work

Alternative Phone #: _____ Cell Home Work

Email Address: _____

Emergency Contact Person: _____

Relationship: _____ Phone #: _____

How did you hear about Welcome Home of Chattanooga? _____

Why would you like to volunteer for Welcome Home of Chattanooga? _____

Have you ever worked as a volunteer before? _____ yes _____ no

If yes, please share organizations, length of involvement and duties performed: _____

What hobbies do you enjoy? _____

What experience have you had with hospice, death, dying, and/or bereavement? _

Please share any concerns, fears or apprehensions you may have concerning dealing with persons who are in the last stages of life or working with the bereaved. _____

Please check any areas that you might be interested in volunteering:

_____ Care of Guests	_____ Office/Clerical
_____ Care of Garden	_____ Care of Meals & Fellowship
_____ Fundraising	_____ Public Relations/Speaking
_____ Other (Please specify) _____	

Do you have any health problems or physical limitations that would restrict the volunteer work that you choose to do? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please explain: _____

If volunteering for resident care at Welcome Home, are you willing to commit to a four hour shift either once a week, or once every other week?

_____ Yes _____ No

Please indicate the best days and times that accommodate your schedule (Circle all that apply):

DAYS:

Sun Mon Tues Wed Thurs Fri Sat

SHIFTS:

Mornings

Afternoons

Evenings

Overnights

Are you willing to volunteer on holidays? _____ Yes _____ No

Please list two references that we can contact:

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

CONFIDENTIALITY / RELEASE AGREEMENT

- _____ 1. In my role as a Welcome Home volunteer, I understand the need for confidentiality and do hereby agree to honor said policy. All matters discussed will remain confidential, except those matters related to instances of harm or threat of harm to any person, or in the case of suspected abuse or neglect.
- _____ 2. I hereby authorize Welcome Home of Chattanooga to release my photograph for publication. I understand that any prints or slides made while involved in a volunteer activity shall be used by Welcome Home of Chattanooga for the purpose of volunteer recruitment, promotional use, and/or educational purposes.
- _____ 3. I hereby agree to allow Welcome Home of Chattanooga to conduct a background check unless one can be made available through my employer or educational institution. I agree to pay up to \$20.00 for the cost of the background check. (Please notify Executive Director if this is a hardship and financial assistance is needed).
- _____ 5. I hereby release and discharge Welcome Home of Chattanooga, it's agents, board members and officers from all claims, demands, actions and judgments which I have against Welcome Home of Chattanooga for all personal injuries either physical or emotional, known or unknown and injuries to property, real or personal, sustained during my participation as a volunteer, whether the injury is due to negligence or any other fault.
- _____ 6. I, the undersigned, have read this Release and understand all of its terms. I am over eighteen (18) years of age and have voluntarily entered into this agreement. (For those under 18, agreement must be co-signed by parent or guardian)

Signature

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian for minor volunteer

Date