



# 2018 Camp Erin® Tampa Bay Volunteer Application



Suncoast Kid's Place will be hosting Camp Erin Tampa Bay which is a transformational weekend camp specifically designed for kids and teens, ages 6-17, who have experienced the death of a significant person. Camp Erin combines traditional, fun camp activities with grief education and emotional support, free of charge for all families. Led by grief professionals and trained volunteers, Camp Erin provides a unique opportunity for youth to increase levels of hope, enhance self-esteem, and especially to learn that they are not alone. Camp will be held from Friday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> – Sunday, February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at the Word of Life Florida in Hudson, FL.

**Volunteers must be 18 years or older and be in good physical condition. Volunteers need to be able to meet a national background check, participate in an orientation interview, and attend all required volunteer trainings and relevant meetings.**

**What does volunteering look like?** Volunteers should expect to be on the move from 7:00 AM – midnight. Flexibility is key to all volunteer roles. Volunteers should be role models for the campers. They should provide comfort and support while participating with the campers through the camp activities. Most importantly we ask volunteers to create a positive, fun, and energetic atmosphere for the campers.

For more information, please call (813) 990-0216 or go to [www.suncoastkidsplace.org/camperin](http://www.suncoastkidsplace.org/camperin)

**First name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Preferred Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gender:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home #:** ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell #:** ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

**Current Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
*Address City State Zip*

**Employment Information:**

Name of Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you or your spouse currently work for New York Life Insurance Company?  Yes  No

Does your employer match contributions?  Yes  No  Don't know

Are you a United States Citizen?  Yes  No

Permanent Alien Resident?  Yes  No

Are you an active, reserve, or National Guard military member or military veteran?  Yes  No

If so, what branch? \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Race/Ethnicity** (We use this information to gather demographic statistics. Check all that apply.):

- African-American     Native American     Asian     Caucasian     Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander  
 Hispanic/Latino     Multi-Racial     Other: \_\_\_\_\_

What languages are you fluent in? \_\_\_\_\_

Educational Background/Training: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been asked to relinquish a volunteer position?     Yes     No

Are you currently charged with a felony, including but not limited to criminal neglect, abuse or assault?     Yes     No

Have you ever been convicted of a felony, including but not limited to criminal neglect, abuse or assault?     Yes     No

Have you ever participated in a Camp Erin as a camper?     Yes     No    If Yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever volunteered with a Camp Erin?     Yes     No    If Yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever volunteered with Suncoast Kid's Place?     Yes     No

Have you had any significant deaths in your life? If so, who and when?     Yes     No

In one sentence, why are you interested in volunteering for Camp Erin Tampa Bay? \_\_\_\_\_

**What special skills or interests do you have to offer to Camp Erin Tampa Bay?** (Select all that apply)

The below items relate to volunteer jobs we have needed in the past. Please feel free to include any other skills that may benefit the Camp Erin experience.

- Tech     Singer     Nurse     Decorating     Arts & Crafts     Sports  
 Photography     Videography     Heavy Lifting     Food Service     Rock Climbing     Archery  
 Dance     Security     Musician     Therapy Dog     Yoga     Ropes Course  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Please expand on above skills: \_\_\_\_\_

(The below age divisions may vary based on accepted campers.)

Which age group(s) are you **MOST** interested in working with?     6-8     9-10     11-13     14-17

Which age group(s) are you **NOT** comfortable working with? (If none, leave blank)     6-8     9-10     11-13     14-17

