



How can I volunteer at the Children's Justice Center?

Thank you for your interest in volunteering at the Children's Justice Center. Since volunteers are a very important part of making the Center a success, we truly value your time and commitment. Your support of has an incredible impact on the lives of the children and families we serve.

Children's Justice Center volunteers need to be at least 18 years of age and willing to work two hours a week or more. We ask that adults make a six-month commitment and students one semester. Free training is provided to all volunteers and flexible schedules are available. Volunteers must consent to background checks and complete a volunteer application. In addition to the CJC application, volunteers must complete the State of Florida Employment Application (see pages 2-7).

What are the Volunteer Opportunities?

Family Partners add the personal touch by welcoming children and their non-offending family members and making them feel comfortable and at ease at the Children's Advocacy Center. When families come to the Center, Family Partners engage the children in quiet activities such as playing board games, coloring, reading, or watching a video.

At other times, Family Partners may offer support by answering the telephone, organizing our supervised visitation rooms, assembling family information packets, drafting news articles, or working with our victim advocates to contact families after their visit to answer any questions they might have about available community resources.

Event Advocates help with our **Child Abuse Prevention Month** (April) activities. Duties range from administrative and clerical support in the weeks leading up to the events to registration, food and beverage sales, auction support, kids' activities and more at the events themselves.

Holiday Angels are special volunteers who work with us each November and December to help decorate the Centers for the holidays. It's a great way to get into the spirit of the season!

Center Ambassadors represent the Children's Justice Center in the community by sharing information about our agency and child abuse prevention messages during awareness events with other community partners.

Service Learners/Interns are students from local colleges and universities and community members who need to obtain volunteer service hours, and are introduced to the many facets of the Children's Justice Center at both locations. Participants actively develop their experience based upon their interests as well as the Center's needs.



VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK PHONE: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Volunteer Experience and Availability

Agency _____

Duties/Responsibilities _____

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Days and times available to volunteer at the Children's Justice Center _____

Volunteer Work Desired (please check your area(s) of interest)

<input type="checkbox"/> Advocacy – Family Partners	<input type="checkbox"/> Greet Families/Interact with Children
<input type="checkbox"/> Special Events	<input type="checkbox"/> Computer Project Support
<input type="checkbox"/> Center Ambassador	<input type="checkbox"/> Supervised Visitation Program – downtown
<input type="checkbox"/> Service Learners / Interns	<input type="checkbox"/> Children's Advocacy Center at Mary Lee's House
<input type="checkbox"/> General Office Work	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____

Projected Length of Commitment (check one): 6 months ___ 1 year ___ other (specify) _____

Skills and background experience (i.e. computer or database programs, management, public speaking, graphic design, newsletter layout, receptionist, etc.)

What is your familiarity and/or comfort level with child abuse issues? _____

How did you hear about the Children's Justice Center? _____

Why do you wish to volunteer for the Children's Justice Center? _____

PHONE: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____



State of Florida EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION

Equal Opportunity Employer/Affirmative Action Employer
The State of Florida does not tolerate violence in the workplace.

Where to Find Vacancy Information:

- On the Internet: <https://peoplefirst.myflorida.com>
- One Stop Career Centers - Consult your local telephone directory or visit <http://www.employflorida.com>
- State Agency Personnel Offices

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Agency Authorized Signature	Date	Broadband/Class Code	Status

POSITION APPLIED FOR	
Agency:	_____
Title:	_____
Position Number:	_____ Date Available: _____
Counties of Interest:	_____
Minimum Acceptable Salary:	_____

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF APPLICATION:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete all information within this application in its entirety. • Type or print in ink. • All information provided will be a public record and will be released upon request, unless exempt or confidential. • Specify the position for which you are applying. (Note: A separate application must be submitted for each vacancy. Photocopies are acceptable.) • Submit application to the People First Service Center, FAX: 904/ 636-2627, no later than 11:59 PM (EST) on the announced deadline date. • Sign your name in the Certification Section (page 4). All information you submit is subject to verification.

HOW DO WE CONTACT YOU?
Name _____
People First Employee ID Number (if any) _____
Mailing Address _____
City _____ County _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Phone _____ Alternate Phone _____
E-mail Address _____

EDUCATION

HIGH SCHOOL:	
NAME / LOCATION OF SCHOOL _____	RECEIVED: <input type="checkbox"/> Diploma <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> None

YOUR NAME, IF DIFFERENT WHILE ATTENDING SCHOOL: _____

COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OR PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL: (TRANSCRIPTS MAY BE REQUIRED)							
NAME OF SCHOOL	LOCATION	DATES OF ATTENDANCE (MONTH / YEAR)		CREDIT HOURS EARNED		MAJOR / MINOR COURSE OF STUDY	TYPE OF DEGREE EARNED
		FROM	TO	QTR	SEM		

YOUR NAME, IF DIFFERENT WHILE ATTENDING SCHOOL: _____

JOB-RELATED TRAINING OR COURSE WORK: (VOCATIONAL, TRADE, GOVERNMENTAL, BUSINESS, ARMED FORCES, ETC.)								
NAME OF SCHOOL	LOCATION	DATES OF ATTENDANCE (MONTH / YEAR)		CREDIT HOURS EARNED		COURSE OF STUDY	TRAINING COMPLETED	
		FROM	TO	CLASS	CLOCK		YES	NO

YOUR NAME, IF DIFFERENT WHILE ATTENDING SCHOOL: _____

LICENSURE, REGISTRATION, CERTIFICATION (EXAMPLES: Teacher Certification, RN, LPN, PE, CPA, etc.)

LICENSE, REGISTRATION OR CERTIFICATION:	Number	Date Received	Expiration Date	State Licensing Agency

PERIODS OF EMPLOYMENT

Describe all work experience in detail, beginning with your current or most recent job. Include military service (indicate rank), internships and job-related volunteer work, if applicable. Indicate number of employees supervised. Use a separate block to describe each position or gap in employment. If needed, attach additional sheets, using the same format as on the application. All information in this section must be completed. Resumes may be attached to provide additional information.

1 Name of Present or Last Employer: _____

Address: _____ Your Job Title: _____

Supervisor's Name: _____ Phone No.: (_____) _____

FROM: _____ / _____ / _____ TO: _____ / _____ / _____ HOURS PER WEEK: _____ (_____)
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR YOUR NAME IF DIFFERENT DURING EMPLOYMENT

Duties and Responsibilities: _____

Reason For Leaving: _____

2 Name of Next Previous Employer: _____

Address: _____ Your Job Title: _____

Supervisor's Name: _____ Phone No.: (_____) _____

FROM: _____ / _____ / _____ TO: _____ / _____ / _____ HOURS PER WEEK: _____ (_____)
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR YOUR NAME IF DIFFERENT DURING EMPLOYMENT

Duties and Responsibilities: _____

Reason For Leaving: _____

3 Name of Next Previous Employer: _____

Address: _____ Your Job Title: _____

Supervisor's Name: _____ Phone No.: (_____) _____

FROM: _____ / _____ / _____ TO: _____ / _____ / _____ HOURS PER WEEK: _____ (_____)
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR YOUR NAME IF DIFFERENT DURING EMPLOYMENT

Duties and Responsibilities: _____

Reason For Leaving: _____

4 Name of Next Previous Employer: _____

Address: _____ Your Job Title: _____

Supervisor's Name: _____ Phone No.: (____) _____

FROM: / / TO: / / HOURS PER WEEK: (____)
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR YOUR NAME IF DIFFERENT DURING EMPLOYMENT

Duties and Responsibilities: _____

Reason For Leaving: _____

5 Name of Next Previous Employer: _____

Address: _____ Your Job Title: _____

Supervisor's Name: _____ Phone No.: (____) _____

FROM: / / TO: / / HOURS PER WEEK: (____)
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR YOUR NAME IF DIFFERENT DURING EMPLOYMENT

Duties and Responsibilities: _____

Reason For Leaving: _____

6 Name of Next Previous Employer: _____

Address: _____ Your Job Title: _____

Supervisor's Name: _____ Phone No.: (____) _____

FROM: / / TO: / / HOURS PER WEEK: (____)
MONTH DAY YEAR MONTH DAY YEAR YOUR NAME IF DIFFERENT DURING EMPLOYMENT

Duties and Responsibilities: _____

Reason For Leaving: _____

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KNOWLEDGE / SKILLS / ABILITIES (KSAs)

List KSAs you possess and believe relevant to the position you seek, such as operating heavy equipment, computer skills, fluency in language(s), etc.

EXEMPTION FROM PUBLIC RECORDS DISCLOSURE

ARE YOU A CURRENT OR FORMER LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, OTHER COVERED EMPLOYEE**, OR THE SPOUSE OR CHILD OF ONE, WHOSE INFORMATION IS EXEMPT FROM PUBLIC RECORDS DISCLOSURE UNDER SECTION 119.071(4)(d), FLORIDA STATUTES (F.S.)?

YES NO

**Other covered jobs include but are not limited to: correctional and correctional probation officers, firefighters, certain judges, assistant state attorneys, state attorneys, assistant and statewide prosecutors, personnel of the Department of Revenue or local governments whose responsibilities include revenue collection and enforcement or child support enforcement, and certain investigators in the Department of Children and Families [see§ 119.071.F.S.].

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY OR A FIRST DEGREE MISDEMEANOR?

YES NO

If "YES", what charges? _____

Where convicted? _____ Date of Conviction: _____

HAVE YOU EVER PLED NOLO CONTENDERE OR PLED GUILTY TO A CRIME WHICH IS A FELONY OR A FIRST DEGREE MISDEMEANOR?

YES NO

If "YES", what charges? _____

Where? _____ Date: _____

HAVE YOU EVER HAD THE ADJUDICATION OF GUILT WITHHELD FOR A CRIME WHICH IS A FELONY OR A FIRST DEGREE MISDEMEANOR?

YES NO

If "YES", what charges? _____

Where? _____ Date: _____

NOTE: A "YES" answer to these questions will not automatically bar you from employment. The nature, job-relatedness, severity and date of the offense in relation to the position for which you are applying are considered [see §112.011, F.S.]

CITIZENSHIP

The state of Florida hires only U.S. citizens and lawfully authorized alien workers. You will be required to provide identification and either proof of citizenship or proof of authorization to work in the U.S.

1. ARE YOU A U.S. CITIZEN?

YES NO

2. IF NO, ARE YOU LEGALLY AUTHORIZED TO ACCEPT EMPLOYMENT WITH THE SPECIFIC HIRING AUTHORITY TO WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING?

YES NO

RELATIVES

TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, DO YOU HAVE ANY RELATIVES WORKING IN THIS AGENCY?

YES NO

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM REGISTRATION

Section 110.1128, Florida Statutes, prohibits the employment of any person who was required to register with the Selective Service System under the U.S. Military Selective Service Act, but failed to do so. Additionally, if currently employed by the State, this law prohibits the promotion of such individuals or the subsequent re-hire, once they have separated from the State.

IF YOU ARE A MALE BORN ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1,1960, HAVE YOU REGISTERED OR DO YOU HAVE PROOF OF AN EXEMPTION FROM THIS REQUIREMENT (DOCUMENTATION MAY BE REQUIRED)?

YES NO N/A

CERTIFICATION

I am aware that any omissions, falsifications, misstatements, or misrepresentations above may disqualify me for employment consideration and, if I am hired, may be grounds for termination at a later date. I understand that any information I give may be investigated as allowed by law. I consent to the release of information about my ability, employment history, and fitness for employment by employers, schools, law enforcement agencies, and other individuals and organizations to investigators, personnel staff, and other authorized employees of Florida state government for employment purposes. This consent shall continue to be effective during my employment if I am hired. I understand that applications submitted for state employment are public records. I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief all of the statements contained herein and on any attachments are true, correct, complete, and made in good faith.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

YOUR NAME: _____

POSITION TITLE FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING: _____ POSITION NUMBER: _____

VETERANS' PREFERENCE INFORMATION: (Career Service positions only) For the purposes of appointments, retention, reinstatement and reemployment, Veterans' Preference ensures that veterans and eligible spouses of veterans are given consideration at each step of the selection process. However, preference does not guarantee that a veteran or the eligible spouse of a veteran will be the candidate selected to fill the position. Completion of the Veterans' Preference section below is made on a voluntary basis and kept confidential in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Listed below are the five Veterans' Preference categories.

1. A veteran with a service-connected disability who is eligible for or receiving compensation, disability retirement, or pension under public laws administered by the U.S. Department of Veterans' Affairs and the Department of Defense, **or**
2. The spouse of a veteran who cannot qualify for employment because of a total and permanent service-connected disability, or the spouse of a veteran missing in action, captured, or forcibly detained or interned in the line of duty by a foreign power, **or**
3. A veteran of any war who has served on active duty for one day or more during a wartime period, excluding active duty for training, and who was discharged under honorable conditions from the Armed Forces of the United States of America, **or**
4. The unremarried widow or widower of a veteran who died of a service-connected disability, **or**
5. A veteran who has served in a qualifying campaign or expedition for which a campaign badge or expeditionary medal has been authorized; including any Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal or Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal.

The receipt of a campaign medal is not required, only service during a wartime period. Wartime periods are defined in §1.01, F.S. Veterans' Preference may only be given to non-state employees or current state employees applying to positions outside their current agency or political subdivision. Veterans' Preference is only available to Florida residents.

A DD214 or comparable document which serves as a certificate of release or discharge and any other required supporting documentation must be furnished at the time of application. Please FAX supporting documentation to the People First Service Center at 904/636-2627 by the closing date of the advertisement. Be sure to include the position number for which you are applying. In addition to the DD214, applicants claiming categories 1, 2, or 4 above must furnish supporting documentation in accordance with the provisions of Rule 55A-7.013, F.A.C. Under Florida law, preference in appointment shall be given first to those persons in categories 1 and 2 and then to those in categories 3, 4 and 5.

If a qualified applicant claiming Veterans' Preference for a vacant position is not selected, he/she may file a complaint with the Florida Department of Veterans' Affairs, 11351 Ulmerton Road, Largo, FL 33778. A complaint must be filed within 21 days of the applicant receiving notice of the hiring decision made by the employing agency or within 3 months of the date the application is filed with the employer if no notice is given.

VETERANS' PREFERENCE CLAIM: IF ELIGIBLE, WHICH VETERANS' PREFERENCE CATEGORY ARE YOU CLAIMING? (Please indicate number from Veterans' Preference Information section above.)

ARE YOU CURRENTLY EMPLOYED IN A CAREER SERVICE POSITION WITH THE AGENCY TO WHICH YOU ARE CURRENTLY APPLYING?

YES NO

ARE YOU A RESIDENT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA?

YES NO

HAVE YOU RECEIVED A PROMOTIONAL APPOINTMENT, SUBSEQUENT TO ACTIVE MILITARY SERVICE, WITH THE AGENCY TO WHICH YOU ARE CURRENTLY APPLYING?

YES NO

This section SHOULD be removed prior to the selection process.

EEO SURVEY Although the following information is not mandatory, it is requested to aid the State of Florida in its commitment to Equal Employment Opportunity, Affirmative Action and to meet federal reporting requirements. Refusal to answer will not result in adverse treatment of any applicant. Applicants who believe they have been discriminated against may file a complaint with the Florida Commission on Human Relations, 2009 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32301.

RACE/ ETHNICITY (Please identify both Race and Ethnicity)

Race (CHECK ONLY ONE):

- White
- Black/African American
- Asian
- Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander
- American Indian/Alaska Native
- 2 or more races

Ethnicity (CHECK ONLY ONE):

- Hispanic or Latino
- Not Hispanic or Latino

SEX: MALE FEMALE

DATE OF BIRTH: _____

POSITION NUMBER: _____

POSITION TITLE FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING: _____