



## Volunteer Application

### *General Information*

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer/School: \_\_\_\_\_ T-Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Legal Guardian (if under 18) Name, Address and Phone:

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How did you learn about Inspiration Stables?

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Hours available:

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Describe your experience with horses:

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Describe any experience you have with the special needs population:

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Are you CPR certified? Y/N

### *Health History*

Date of last tetanus shot: \_\_\_\_\_

Any pertinent health history? (Please describe your current health status, particularly regarding the physical/emotional demands of working in an equine-assisted program. Address fitness, cardiac, respiratory, bone or joint function, recent hospitalizations/surgeries or lifestyle changes.)

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*Check areas in which you are interested:*

- Horse Leading- Main focus is the horse. Must allow student to learn and steer the horse. Responsible for watching the horse's reaction. Must be 18 years or older
- Sidewalking with a Student- Main focus is stabilizing the client. Should not interfere with the ride/lesson. Some clients may require more than one.
- Stable Management- Basic chores: keeping stalls cleaning, cleaning up after tacking, keeping arena clean, cleaning tack, washing out buckets, cleaning restrooms, etc.
- Facility Repairs- Fix fencing, plumbing issues, adding fixtures, general repairs, etc.
- Horse Handling- Catching, grooming, and tacking horses prior to a lesson
- Horse Evaluation- Assisting in evaluating horses for lease/donation to the program. Extensive horse knowledge and experience required to participate.
- Special Committees- Plan special events for the students and community at the barn including fundraisers, property evaluation and improvement, horse care planning, etc.
- Community Relations- Fundraising, grant writing, web design/maintenance, marketing materials, staffing booths at community events

*Photo Release*

- I  DO  
 DO NOT

Consent to and authorize the use and reproduction by Inspiration Stables, Inc. of any and all photographs and any other audio/visual materials taken of me for promotional material, education activities, exhibitions or for any other use for the benefit of the program.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer, Parent or Legal Guardian

*Background Information*

Have you ever been charged with or convicted of a crime? Y/N

Please explain:

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I, \_\_\_\_\_ (volunteer), authorize Inspiration Stables to receive information from any law enforcement agency, including police departments and sheriff's departments, of this state or any other state or federal government, to the extent permitted by state and federal law, pertaining to any convictions I may have had for violations of state or federal criminal laws, including but not limited to convictions for crimes committed upon children or animals. I understand that such access is for the purpose of considering my application as a volunteer, and I authorize Inspiration Stables, Inc. its directors, officers, employees or other volunteers to disseminate this information only to those directly involved in hiring decisions as necessary to make those decisions and as may be required by law.

Driver's License Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer, Parent or Legal Guardian