



Mississippi Youth Preparedness Initiative
Participant Application Form

Name:

Age:

Phone (day):

Phone (night):

Email Address:

Mailing Address:

City/County of Residence:

Current School:

Current Overall Grade Point Average (optional):

Name and Phone Number of Guidance Counselor:

Have you ever been accused/convicted of a felony? ____ Yes ____ No

What is your T-shirt Size?

Do you have Experience in Volunteer Settings? _____ Yes _____ No

Though not required for program admission, please describe your Experience(s) in Volunteer Settings.

Though not required for program admission, please describe any experience(s) you have in Disaster Preparedness and Relief Settings.

Though not required for program admission, please describe any experience(s) you have in Leadership Development programs.

How does this opportunity fit within your current life/school/extracurricular schedule?

What have you enjoyed most about previous Volunteer Experience(s)?

What have you enjoyed least about previous Volunteer Experience(s)?

Why are you interested in MyPI?

How did you hear about MyPI?

What are your hobbies and interests?

What would you like to gain from an experience as a MyPI participant?

To successfully complete the program, MyPI participants have to make at least a 10 week commitment. In those 10 weeks, they meet for approximately two hours once a week and two full Saturdays within that timeframe.

Do you make have any continuous obligations that would prevent you from making this commitment? Yes No

Comments:

Typically, MyPI participants join a cohort group in the communities where they reside. However, in the event that we are not able to fill a cohort of 18 to 24 teens from your area, there may be opportunities for you to join a cohort in an adjacent community.

Would you travel to an adjacent city/county for your program? Yes No

What would you like to know about MyPI?

Required Letters of Recommendation:

Two (2) Letters of Recommendation are required elements of the MyPI application process. Applicants are strongly encouraged to request a character reference and an academic reference (one that shows good standing in schoolwork). These references should be signed and sealed in an envelope and included with application OR they can be sent via U.S. Mail or email to the addresses listed below

Thank you for your interest in MyPI. If you have any questions/comments, please feel free to contact Dr. C. Ryan Akers, MyPI Project Coordinator at 662.325.5914 or at cakers@humansci.msstate.edu.

Applications will be evaluated by the MyPI Administration beginning in the Spring of 2014. Official notification of selection will take place as soon as possible after reviewing and verifying information. Early submission of MyPI Participant Application and Information Form is strongly encouraged.

Please return completed MyPI Participant Application Form to any of the following.

U.S. Mail
MyPI
c/o Dr. C. Ryan Akers
Box 9745
Mississippi State, MS 39762

Email
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