



## Volunteer Declaration

As a volunteer applicant for Whitaker Center for Science and the Arts, I am aware that I must provide the following clearances prior to commencement of any volunteer activities:

1. A Pennsylvania State Police Clearance.
2. A Pennsylvania Child Abuse History Clearance obtained through the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services.
3. A Federal Bureau of Investigation Criminal History Record Information (if applying and not a continuous resident of Pennsylvania for the past 10 years).

I am aware that a past conviction of certain crimes and offenses may permanently disqualify me from volunteering. I swear/affirm that I have been a continuous resident of Pennsylvania for the past 10 years and that I have not been convicted of one or more of the following crimes reportable under Title 18 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes or equivalent crime in another state, territory, commonwealth or foreign nation:

Chapter 25 (relating to criminal homicide)  
Section 2702 (relating to aggravated assault)  
Section 2709.1 (relating to stalking)  
Section 2901 (relating to kidnaping)  
Section 2902 (relating to unlawful restraint)  
Section 2910 (relating to luring a child into a motor vehicle or structure)  
Section 3121 (relating to rape)  
Section 3122.1 (relating to statutory sexual assault)  
Section 3123 (relating to involuntary deviate sexual intercourse)  
Section 3124.1 (relating to sexual assault)  
Section 3125 (relating to aggravated indecent assault)  
Section 3126 (relating to indecent assault)  
Section 3127 (relating to indecent exposure)  
Section 4302 (relating to incest)  
Section 4303 (relating to concealing death of child)  
Section 4304 (relating to endangering welfare of children)  
Section 4305 (relating to dealing in infant children)  
Section 5902(b) (A felony offense relating to prostitution and related offenses)  
Section 5903 (c) or (d) (relating to obscene or other sexual materials and performances)  
Section 6301(a)(1) (relating to corruption of minors)  
Section 6312 (relating to sexual abuse of children)  
A felony offense under the Act of April 14, 1972 (P.L.233, No.64) known as the Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act, within a five-year period immediately preceding this Declaration.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby swear/affirm that I have not been convicted of or involved in the attempt, solicitation, or conspiracy to commit any of the offenses set forth above. I understand that I will not be allowed to volunteer if I am named as a perpetrator of a founded report of child abuse or convicted of any of the crimes listed above subsequent to providing the required clearances. I also understand that Whitaker Center for Science and the Arts retains the right to refuse me permission to serve as a volunteer for any reason that, in its judgment, renders me unsuitable to serve in that capacity.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby swear/affirm that the information set forth above is true and correct. I understand that the penalty for false swearing is a misdemeanor of the third degree pursuant to section 4903(b) of the Crimes Code.

As required by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, I authorize Whitaker Center for Science and the Arts to conduct these background checks every 36 months.

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

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

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Applicants under 18 years of age)

Printed of Name Parent/Legal Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_