



VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Please complete and sign the following application.

Send your completed application to:

Santa-America
c/o Cathy Barnette, Executive Director
308 Belrose Avenue, Suite 200 East
Daphne, Alabama 36526

Volunteer Position applying for: _____ Santa _____ Mrs. Santa
(please check one) _____ Elf _____ Other

Name (Last, First, MI): _____

Santa Name: _____

Birth Date (mm/dd/yyyy): _____ / _____ / _____ SSN#: _____ - _____ - _____

Home Address

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Santa Business Address

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Contact Information

Home: (____) _____ - _____ Cell: (____) _____ - _____ Fax: (____) _____ - _____

Business: (____) _____ - _____ Santa E-Mail Address: _____

Personal E-Mail Address: _____

Santa Website Address: _____

Applicant Name: _____

Education

	School Name	School Address	Years Attended	Graduate? (Y / N)
High School				
College				
Post Graduate				
Other Training				
Other Training				
Other Training				

Military Service

Branch	Years Served	Highest Rank	Hon. Discharge / Retired?	PMOS / Special Training

Work Experience

Employer	Years Employed	Position Title

Santa Work Experience

(Please summarize your “for profit” Santa experience in the space provided below.)

Formal Volunteer Experience

(Please list all formal volunteer associations.)

At a minimum, a Santa America Santa volunteer must sign up as an adult volunteer for a hospice in their hometown, complete a background check, TB test and formal volunteer training.

Organization	Address	Contact Person	Contact Telephone	Contact E-Mail

Other Volunteer Experience

(Please summarize your informal or “event-based” volunteer experience including all volunteer work involving special needs children and families. Specify whether Santa or other volunteer work.)

Informal Santa Volunteer Work	Other Informal Volunteer Work

Personal References

(Give the name, address, and phone number of two non-related personal references that can attest to your personal character. Other Santas are preferred.)

Name	Address	Telephone Number

Other Information

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes No

(If you have been convicted of a felony, please explain each conviction in detail in the space provided below.)

How did you find out about Santa-America and its special service mission?

Are you available 12 months a year to visit special needs children? Yes No

(If not available for certain periods, please explain in the space provided below.)

Hobbies and Special Interests:

The Volunteer Commitment

(Please indicate your acceptance and commitment by initialing each of the following.)

_____ I commit to volunteer with Santa-America for a minimum of 6 months a year.

_____ I will maintain a natural beard and dress in a clean, credible, and acceptable manner. (Note: Santas may be authorized to wear a “Temporary Beard” after review and approval on a case by case basis)

_____ I will maintain my status as a formal volunteer with a local hospice in my home town/region, and will inform Santa-America immediately if and when my formal volunteer relationship is terminated.

_____ Any and all information I receive about a patient, child, family or friends will be kept strictly confidential unless a signed Santa-America release form is obtained. I will comply with HPPA regulations protecting patient confidentiality.

_____ Santa-America is authorized to use my photo and Santa related information on its website and as part of its public-media relations and fund raising programs.

_____ I will complete post-visit documentation and reports in a timely and confidential manner.

_____ I will represent Santa-America in a positive, wholesome, and committed manner including participating in publicity events, fund raising, and press and media relations.

_____ I understand I will not be compensated for my volunteer work with Santa-America. I understand I may receive per-diem payments from time to time to reimburse me for expenses related to my volunteer work with Santa-America.

_____ I understand my volunteer work for Santa-America does not imply a future offer of employment. I understand my volunteer status may be terminated at any time.

_____ I will never let my personal ego take precedence over bringing love, hope and joy wrapped in a Santa hug to our special needs children and families.

Applicant Name

Print: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____