

March 1, 2018



Dear Student:

You are invited to apply to be a volunteer camp counselor at Camp Wheez, day camp for elementary school children with asthma. Camp was established in Santa Barbara in 1978. Under the leadership of Myron Liebhaber, MD, it is staffed by medical professionals and community volunteers who provide a unique camp experience designed for the special needs of the children. Camp Wheez is open to the community and free of charge.

Camp Wheez has 2 volunteer positions for students:

- **Camp counselors** are high school students who help to staff the camp and guide the children through a variety of activities. If you are selected to be a counselor you will learn about asthma and health, gain experience working with children, earn up to 30 community service hours and have a lot of fun!
- **Camp junior counselor** is a position open only to former campers and only by invitation. These junior high or middle school students assist counselors and staff. This position is a great opportunity to continue being part of camp, gain experience toward being a counselor in the future and have a lot of fun!

Volunteer counselors must be available as follows:

- **Orientation: Monday, July 23, 2018 from 2:30 to 4:00 pm**
- **Camp: Monday through Friday, August 6 – 10, 2018 from 7:30 am to 1:00 pm**

**Volunteer positions fill up fast!** Turn in your application as soon as possible and no later than **June 1, 2018**. Please contact me if you have questions. I hope to work with you this summer!

Sincerely,

Margaret Weiss, MPH  
Camp Wheez Director, Sansum Clinic  
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## Volunteer Application 2018

***Please print clearly!***

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City & Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Best phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

What school do you attend? \_\_\_\_\_ Grade in September 2018: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever attended Camp Wheez as a camper?      Yes      No

Have you worked at Camp Wheez as a volunteer?      Yes      No

Do you have experience working with children?      Yes      No

If yes, explain \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any experience with asthma, your own or those around you?      Yes      No

Why do you want to work at camp? \_\_\_\_\_

List your talents and skills: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Work or Volunteer Experience:	Start Date	End Date



References – list 2 references who are *not* relatives and who know your work habits:

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_
2. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contacts – list 2:

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_
2. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

All of the information provided in this application is true and accurate.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

There are a limited number of spaces for counselors. To be considered for a position, please return this application as soon as possible and no later than **June 1, 2018**. Send to:

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