

APPENDIX B – Adult Screening and Compliance Form

The following screening form reflects this faith community's commitment to provide protective care to all our youth and adult volunteers who participate in sponsored functions, programs, and activities.

The faith community asks: 1) adults who have been convicted of either child physical or sexual abuse NOT to volunteer their services that brings them in close proximity to minors. 2) adult survivors of childhood sexual/physical abuse should discuss their desire to work with youth with the Sr. pastor prior to filling out this screening form.

Please respond to each question. Your response will be kept confidential with the Sr. Pastor.

1. As a church volunteer, do you agree to observe the policy and its directives for youth protection? yes no

2. Have you ever been charged, convicted of, or pleaded guilty to a crime of sexual assault, sexual misconduct, sexual harassment, indecent exposure, or lascivious acts with a minor?
 yes no

3. Have you ever been charged with assault? yes no

4. Were you a victim of abuse or molestation as a minor? yes no

You may prefer to answer this question or discuss this with the pastor in confidence. Answering 'yes' or unanswered does not automatically disqualify you in working with minors.

I have read the Youth Protection Policy for Immanuel Lutheran Church, and I agree to its directives. I understand that failure to comply may render me unprotected by the church's liability insurance coverage.

Sign and Date

I give the church permission to inquire of the following three references and current contacts about my past and specifically if I have had allegations of misconduct with minors.

1) Name: _____

Contact Information: _____

2) Name: _____

Contact Information: _____

3) Name: _____

Contact Information: _____

NOTE: The Christian Education Board's or Youth Board's appointed person to conduct reference and contact checks shall establish with the reference or contact that he or she is calling on behalf of Immanuel Lutheran Church and are considering this applicant for working with youth. The appointed person shall clearly state that this is an inquiry of the applicants past. There are no present allegations or concerns regarding the current applicant.