



VOLUNTEER POSITION APPLICATION & DESCRIPTION

It's an exciting time to become a volunteer at PDX Diaper Bank!

Since 2012, PDX Diaper Bank has addressed a critical resource gap for low-income and houseless families in Oregon. In June 2020, PDX Diaper Bank distributed its 1,000,000th diaper in the community. Diapers are a basic health necessity, yet the need is often overlooked. Our organization was founded on the belief that **everyone** deserves access to necessary diapering supplies in order to promote health, wellness, and productivity.

Diapers create opportunities. Access to clean diapering supplies keeps children and adults healthy, allows children to take part in early childhood education, increases a family's ability to join educational programs, facilitates caregiver connections to social service programs, and frees up resources to address emergency needs such as food, shelter, and medication. PDX Diaper Bank partners with a growing network of nonprofits and government agencies in order to get diapers into the hands of Oregon families in need.

One in three mothers in the U.S. struggles to purchase necessary diapering supplies. Due to the economic impact of COVID-19, PDX Diaper Bank is facing a dramatic increase in the need for emergency diapers. More families are struggling to purchase and access essentials during this time. Through support from private foundations and individual donors, PDX Diaper Bank is doing everything we can to respond to this increased need. PDX Diaper Bank is at a pivotal stage of organizational growth and development; for this reason, we are seeking dedicated community leaders, advocates, and professionals to help expand and strengthen our efforts.

Application Process

PDX Diaper Bank is committed to developing a leadership team that reflects the diversity of our partner agencies and the communities they engage. PDX Diaper Bank accepts applications for Volunteers throughout the year, and applications are reviewed by the Executive Director. After initial review, volunteer candidates are selected to be interviewed, and interviews may include a representative from the PDX Diaper Bank staff and/or board of directors.

This application is needed for ongoing volunteer and internship positions only, not for diaper packaging or similar levels of volunteerism. If you have additional questions, please email us at info@pdxdiaperbank.org



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Please return this completed application along with a professional and/or volunteer resume to:
P.O. Box 22613, Portland OR 97269 OR Info@PdxDiaperBank.Org

CONTACT INFORMATION

Name (first & last): _____
Mailing Address: _____
Physical Address (if different from mailing): _____
Home/Mobile Phone: _____
Work Phone: _____
Email Address: _____
Employer: _____

WHAT VOLUNTEER POSITION ARE YOU APPLYING FOR? _____

IS YOUR VOLUNTEER INTEREST RELATED TO AN INTERNSHIP POSITION?

No, I'm simply seeking a volunteer opportunity to make a difference in the community.
 Yes, my college/university is _____, and I'm involved in the _____ program.
As a student, I'm interested in being part of the PDX Diaper Bank mission because: _____

SKILLS & EXPERIENCE

- Administration/Management
- Advocacy
- Change Management
- Diversity, Equity, Inclusion
- Education
- Event Planning
- Fundraising
- Finance/Budget
- Grant Writing
- Healthcare/Medical
- Human Resources
- Insurance
- Investment Management
- Law/Legal Review
- Marketing/PR
- Multilingual
- Organizational Development
- Politics/Public Policy
- Public Speaking
- Real Estate/Construction
- Social Media
- Strategic Planning
- IT/Technology
- Thought Leadership
- Volunteer Coordination
- Warehouse/Logistics
- Other: _____
- Other: _____
- Other: _____
- Other: _____

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

- Communities of Color
- LGBTQIA+ Community
- Disability Community
- Healthcare System
- Faith/Service Organization(s)
- Foundation/Philanthropy
- Corporation(s)
- Small Business
- Political/Elected Officials
- Advocacy/Community Organizers
- Media
- Other: _____
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STATEMENT OF INTEREST

In 2-4 sentences, summarize your interest in joining the PDX Diaper Bank Team.

AFFILIATIONS

List your personal and professional affiliations (e.g. institutions, organizations, certifications, etc.):

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

List the ways in which you are engaged in the Portland community, and/or involvement in other communities:

DIVERSITY & DEMOGRAPHICS

PDX Diaper Bank aims to reflect the diverse populations we serve and to continually evaluate equity in our hiring and Board selection processes. We welcome you to share aspects of your lived experience that may inform your perspectives as a member of our team (*you may choose not to complete this section or to partially complete*):

Lived Experience

- Parent
- Mental health
- Disability
- Foster system
- Houseless/housing insecurity
- Immigration/Refugee
- LGBTQIA+
- Poverty/low income
- Veteran/military service

Race/Ethnicity

- African American/Black
- Asian/Pacific Islander
- Indigenous/Native American
- Latino(a)/Latinx
- Latino(a)/Latinx
- Middle Eastern/North African
- Slavic
- White
- I identify my race/ethnicity as: _____

Age

- Under 30
- 31-39
- 40-55
- 55+

Gender

- Woman
- Man
- Non-binary
- Transgender
- I identify my gender as: _____



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ADDITIONAL ASPECTS OF LIVED EXPERIENCE

- Language(s) spoken (other than English): _____
- Other marginalized/historically underrepresented communities: _____
- _____

REFERENCES

Please list two references who can speak to your skills, relevant experience, and integrity. At least one reference should be from a current employer or academic supervisor.

Reference 1 Name: _____
Employer and Title: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____

Reference 2 Name: _____
Employer and Title: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____

AGREEMENT & SIGNATURE

By submitting this application, I affirm that this information is true and complete. I understand that if I am accepted as a PDX Diaper Bank volunteer, any false statements, omissions, or other misrepresentations made by me on this application may result in my immediate dismissal. I understand that PDX Diaper Bank is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit Oregon corporation, and this position is held in a volunteer capacity.

Name (printed)	_____	Date	_____
Signature	_____		