



Dear Prospective Ronald McDonald Family Room Volunteer,

Thank you for your interest in volunteering at the Ronald McDonald Family Room. As a volunteer, you are an important member of a team that works to provide rest and respite to the families whose infants are receiving medical treatment in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU). Our volunteers help us to meet and greet our families as well as respond to their questions and needs. A variety of activities require the assistance of our valued volunteers (a list is included with this application). Without the love and devotion of volunteers, the Family Room could not function and many families would have no place to go for comfort during one of the most difficult times of their lives.

Volunteer opportunities are available seven days a week in three hour shifts: 9 a.m. – 12 p.m., 12 p.m. – 3 p.m. and 2 p.m. – 5 p.m. Please find the attached volunteer job description and application. Once I receive your completed application, I will call you to schedule your orientation. During orientation, you will learn more about how Ronald McDonald Family Room functions, and have the opportunity to ask any questions that you may have.

If you have any questions as you go review the enclosed application, please feel free to contact me at jana@rmhck.org 502-561-7654. I look forward to meeting you soon.

Sincerely,

Jana Goemmer
Director of Programs and Facilities

Ronald McDonald Family Room at Norton Women's and Children's Hospital Volunteer Description

Shifts (available 7 days a week):

- 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
- 12:00 pm – 3:00 pm
- 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Application Process:

- Complete the Family Room application
- Complete the NWCH application
- Complete an orientation of the Family Room with Jana Goemmer
- Receive a TB test (provided free of charge by NWCH)
- Pass the background check (provided free of charge by NWCH)

Qualifications:

- Must be 18 years of age or older
- Must be in good mental and physical health
- Self-directed & dependable

Requirements:

- Complete the application
- Work at least one three hour shift per month
- Adhere to Ronald McDonald Family Room and Norton Healthcare policies and procedures
- Keep all information regarding Family Room guests confidential
- Report to volunteer shift on time, notifying Jana Goemmer if unable to attend a shift

Typical Tasks:

- Help create a hospitable atmosphere for guests
- Inventory supplies
- Answer phones
- General housekeeping
- Change the bed linens
- Assist families with general questions



**Ronald
McDonald
Family Room**
NORTON WOMEN'S
AND CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Ronald McDonald Family Room
At Norton Women's and Children's Hospital

VOLUNTEER SERVICE APPLICATION

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Date: _____

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Current Employer: _____

Work Phone: _____ Occupation: _____

May We Call You At Work? Yes ___ No ___ Work/Days/Hours: _____

PREVIOUS WORK AND VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE:

Volunteer:

Dates:	Location:	Position

Work/Other:

Dates:	Location:	Position:	Reason for Leaving:

Confidential Information

How did you hear about the Ronald McDonald Family Room Volunteer Program? _____

Can you make a commitment to the RMFR for at least one year? Yes _____ No _____

If no, please explain _____

Our Volunteers shifts are daily: 9A-12P 12P-3P 3P-6P
Please circle the frequency of your preferred shift: weekly every two weeks monthly or FLEX
(the FLEX Volunteer calls the Family Room monthly when they know their personal/work schedule and fills in on a needed shift).

My first choice (day and time): _____

My second choice (day and time): _____

PLEDGE OF CONFIDENTIALITY

I hereby pledge that I shall safeguard and treat as CONFIDENTIAL all information (whether acquired through verbal communication, written record, or observation) pertaining to any resident, staff member, or Volunteer of the Ronald McDonald Family Room, which I may, through my affiliation with the Family Room, so acquire. I have read and do understand the foregoing pledge of confidentiality.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Please Return to:

Jana Goemmer
Director of Programs and Facilities
Attn. Family Room
550 South First Street
Louisville, KY 40202