

FOCUS

Summer Camp 2021

An all-inclusive adaptive experience for individuals who experience developmental disabilities



Send application with all sections fully complete

- ✓ Enclose a copy of your child's waiver plan of care
- ✓ Camp must be included within an approved plan of care or amendment before the start of camp
- ✓ Non-waiver private pay options available
- ✓ **Applications due by May 1st, 2021**

Send Completed applications to:

Brittney Brower – Youth and Recreational Programs Director

bbrower@focusoutreach.org

OR

Fax: 907-689-7205

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To be completed by parent/guardian only - Please Print Legibly

Participant: _____ Birth Date: _____ Age: _____ Gender: M / F

Home Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Parent/Guardians: _____ Daytime Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Preferred method of contact: CALL TEXT EMAIL

Emergency Contact #1: _____ Relation to camper: _____

Daytime Phone Numbers: _____

Emergency Contact #2: _____ Relation to camper: _____

Daytime Phone Numbers: _____

** Does your camper have religious or cultural preferences that we should be aware of? If so, please advise us further how we can best incorporate that into the days at camp.



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PLEASE COMPLETE THE ENTIRE FORM. Thank You!

- June 7th – July 29th, 2021
- Monday – Thursday
- 9:30AM - 4:00PM
- Minimum age to attend camp is 6 y/o

Please select the weeks you would like to prioritize your campers' attendance. Full week commitments are required. If you would like to request an exception to full week requirements, please leave your detailed request in the comment section.

- June 7th-10th
- June 14th-17th
- June 21st-24th
- June 28th-July 1st

- July 6th-July 8th
- July 12th-15th
- July 19th-22nd
- July 26th-29th

Comments: _____

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Participant Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Printed Name: _____

FIELD TRIP and TRANSPORTATION PERMISSION FORM

I understand that FOCUS Summer Program participants will be engaged in a number of offsite field trips. I give permission for this participant to go on field trips and activities. I understand that transportation to and from program activities will be provided by FOCUS employees. I give permission for FOCUS employees to transport this participant, demonstrating reasonable care and safety, to and from program activities in the Eagle River, Mat-Su Valley and Anchorage areas.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date _____

VIDEO, SLIDE, PHOTO CONSENT

- Yes, I give FOCUS permission to photograph or video this participant and to use these pictures and/or video to promote our agency throughout the community. For example, photos may be used for applying and reporting use of grant funds, training and educating staff, or for informational purposes such as articles, news clips, and internet postings to included Focus website, Focus Facebook page, and blogs.
- No, I do not give permission for FOCUS to photograph or video this participant.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date _____

AUTHORIZATION for EMERGENCY MEDICAL TREATMENT

In case of a minor injury or illness, I give my permission for FOCUS employees to administer First Aid. I understand that personnel will alert me whenever minor First Aid care is given. In the event of a major injury or illness, I authorize FOCUS to call for emergency medical treatment or provide transportation to emergency services as needed. Parents or guardians will be contacted immediately. I further agree to bear all cost of emergency services provided in cases of injury or illness.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date _____

PERMISSION TO ADMINISTER MEDICATION

- Yes**, I give permission to FOCUS employees to administer medications to this participant. (Medication is only given if provided in a labeled bottle by the guardian)

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date _____

PERMISSION TO APPLY SUNSCREEN AND MOSQUITO REPELLANT

As a precaution for sunburn we recommend sunscreen during outdoor summer activities.

- Do not apply sunscreen to this participant.
- I give permission for FOCUS employees to apply sunscreen to this participant as needed throughout program hours.
- Specific instructions regarding the use of sunscreen:

As needed, insect repellent will be available.

- Do not apply insect repellent to this participant.
- I give permission for FOCUS employees to apply insect repellent to this participant as needed throughout program hours.
- Specific instructions regarding use of insect repellent:

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date _____

INSURANCE / RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I understand that this participant will be included in various activities with FOCUS Summer Program. I agree that I will not hold FOCUS liable for injuries that occur as a result of participation in program activities. I assume all foregoing risks and accept personal responsibility for injuries, the damages following injury, permanent disability or death. I release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue FOCUS, its affiliated employees, representative administrators, directors or other program participants.

I release and agree to hold harmless FOCUS, from any and all liabilities to this participant's involvement or participation in the FOCUS Summer Program, even if arising from their negligence.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date _____



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Transportation

Please read the following and select the transportation option that is best for your family
Day Habilitation is provided when the following are in place:

- The right match- we strive to make good matches between the individual, family and staff
- Location- staff's willingness/availability to commute to individuals' home

Group programs take place in Eagle River; however, we accept families from as far south as the Dimond area and as far north as Wasilla/Palmer Highway. All group programs have an application process, and acceptance will be granted when staff and transportation options are available.

Some families have opted out of door to door transportation services for the following 3 reasons:

- A good staffing match is not yet available in their area, and transporting their child to an agreed upon area lessened the time on the wait list.
- Transportation cuts into the hours available for camp/ASP, and with the 12 hour cap/limited ISW hours, some families prefer to transport their child and make the hours stretch further.
- During Summer Camp we offer a complimentary van service with 2 pickup locations in Anchorage. Use of this service does not cut into the use of Day Habilitation hours.

Any family who lives outside of our service area may still apply for services; however, they will be responsible for getting their child inside of our transportation area before services begin each day.

*There are no viable public or disability transportation services in Eagle River

Please select your preferred transportation option:

- I would like FOCUS to provide door to door transportation
- I would like to drop off and pick up at the camp location
- I live in Anchorage and would like to meet the van at a designated location



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Participant Name: _____

1. Allergies or food restrictions:

2. Current Medications, reason for medication and dosage instructions (please bring in original containers):

3. Is the participant known to have seizures? Yes / No

Seizure medication: _____

Describe seizures and actions to be taken: _____

4. Please specify type and degree of assistance that may be required in each of the following areas:

Eating: _____

Dressing: _____

Grooming: _____

Toileting: _____

Assistive devices: _____

5. Please describe known stressors and warning signs of emotional or physical outbursts.

6. Describe techniques you have found to help de-escalate/intervene with challenging behaviors or when upset.

7. Please describe any and all known fears that the participant experiences.

8. Please give us any other additional information you believe could aid us in providing a safe and fun summer camp experience for this participant.

*****Please Note: If your child exhibits a behavior that is unsafe to themselves, others or property, you will be asked to pick up your child from the program. If unsafe behaviors continue, a meeting will be set with care coordinator and Focus administrative staff. This is to ensure the safety of all campers and is on a case by case basis.***

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: May 1st, 2021

Weekly Activity Fee \$55

Explanation of Activity Fees: Each participant must provide a non-refundable, activity fee to be paid by the family. The purpose of this fee is to cover the cost of activities, business entrance fees, and supplies. You will receive a letter when admission and attendance are confirmed, stating what your total fee will be based on the number of weeks attending. The main cost of the program is covered under day habilitation through the campers Medicaid Waiver or Individualized Support Waiver.

A very limited number of scholarships for the \$55 a week activity fee through donated money from FNBA. For more information, contact Brittney Brower- bbrower@focusoutreach.org

