

Head Start Volunteer Requirements at AWSYC

Head Start Volunteer:

A volunteer is a person who assists in implementing ongoing program activities on a regular basis under the supervision of a staff member. A volunteer may perform an array of tasks in accordance with Denton ISD Policies and Procedures and the Head Start Performance Standards following training.

Volunteers will:

- Complete a Background Check and receive clearance
- Attend the Volunteer Orientation at AWSYC
- Complete and sign an AWSYC Volunteer form including a Health Card
- Any regularly scheduled volunteers will complete a tuberculosis screening per Denton ISD guidelines and Head Start Performance Standard 45 CFR 1304.52(j)(2).
- Serve under the direct supervision of designated AWSYC staff
- Log in and out at the school's office and record their volunteer work in the classroom volunteer binder.

Head Start Performance Standard (1304.3)(a)(20) *Volunteer* means an unpaid person who is trained to assist in implementing ongoing program activities on a regular basis under the supervision of a staff person in areas such as health, education, transportation, nutrition, and management.

Head Start Performance Standard 1304.52 (k)(2) Regular volunteers must be screened for tuberculosis in accordance with State, Tribal or local laws. In the absence of State, Tribal or local law, the Health Services Advisory Committee must be consulted regarding the need for such screenings.

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Medical Examinations and Communicable Diseases (LOCAL)

All employees, volunteers, or students from an institution of higher learning requesting access to the District for student teaching, observing, or internships, including student nurses, dental hygiene students, and the like, who have immigrated to the United States from Asia, Mexico, Central America, South America, Eastern Europe, Africa, or any other country where tuberculosis is considered endemic shall be required to submit a certificate or statement of examination for tuberculosis. The certificate or statement shall be signed by a physician licensed to practice medicine in the state of Texas and shall provide documentation that the individual is either free from tuberculosis or under appropriate treatment for tuberculosis and is not considered to be contagious.
