

**INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE VOLUNTEER QUESTIONNAIRE**  
Christian Science Joint Institutional Committee of Missouri

This information is confidential and is only to be used for the purpose of placing volunteers.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

1. How long have you been a student of Christian Science? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Are you a member of The Mother Church? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

3. Do you abide by and support the *Manual of The Mother Church*, by Mary Baker Eddy?  
\_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

4. Have you had Primary Class Instruction? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

5. Are you a member of a branch church or society \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
Which one? \_\_\_\_\_

6. What positions have you served in your branch church?  
\_\_\_\_\_ Reader: 1st or 2nd    \_\_\_\_\_ Reading Room Staff    \_\_\_\_\_ Sunday School teacher  
\_\_\_\_\_ Executive Board    \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

7. Have you read the Joint Institutional Committee for Missouri By-laws and Procedure Hand-  
book? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

If appointed, will you abide by its by-laws and guidelines? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

8. Do you understand that work in institutions is regulated by law and by the rules of the gov-  
ernment agencies, that religious workers in an institution are under the authority of the officials  
of the institution, and that you would be expected to comply? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

9. One of the qualifications for serving on the committee is to attend annually a workshop pro-  
vided by the State Committee to review JIC procedures and keep volunteers current and in-  
formed. Will you agree to attend? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

10. How much time each month are you prepared to devote to work in the institutions?  
\_\_\_\_\_

11. Please note how you would like to serve (you may check more than one)

Volunteers who work within the institution may serve as a:

- Reader, usher or musician at a church service
- Chaplain for conferences
- Liaison – contact between the institution and the JIC volunteers

Volunteers who do not enter the institution may serve as a

- Letter Writer     Support Worker     Branch Church Representative
- Scheduler for the volunteers doing church services and or conferences at an institution
- Metaphysical Committee member

12. If you have been convicted of a felony, this may affect your qualification to volunteer in a corrections facility due to their policies. However, there are many other opportunities to volunteer with the JIC. Please indicate if you have been convicted of a felony:    Yes     No

13. Are you willing to be photographed and fingerprinted if an institution requires this of its volunteers?     Yes     No

14. Who may we contact regarding your readiness for this Christian Science work? The referral should be a branch church or society member

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**OTHER COMMENTS:**

Describe any education, training or experience you may have had previously in: jails, prisons, mental & VA hospitals, or youth detention facilities.

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**STATEMENT OF APPLICANT:**

To the best of my knowledge, without any reservations, there is nothing in my activities of any nature that would discredit, bring into disrepute, or adversely affect the Cause of Christian Science. I understand and will abide by State and local committee instructions, as well as the rules of any institution to which I am assigned.

Applicants' Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send the completed application to:

Christian Science Joint Institutional Committee of Missouri (JIC)

PO Box 240051

Ballwin, MO 63024