

Mentor Position Description

Job Title: Youth Male Mentor	Age Groups:	Program:
Reports To: NCCF Mentor/AMP Program Mgr	Service Time:	Site Location: Main / NWS / NBS

Basic Purpose:
 The vision of NCCF/APA mentoring program is to “Transform the Lives of Youth Males through Jesus Christ”. The mentor program is designed to empower children and youth to make positive life choices that enable them to maximize their potential. The mentoring program uses adult volunteers to commit to support, guidance, and friendship to a young person. By becoming part of the social network of adults and community members who care about the youth, the mentor can help the youth develop and reach positive academic, career, and personal goals.

- Mentor Role:**
- _ Take the lead in supporting a young person through an ongoing, one-to-one relationship
 - _ Serve as a positive role model and friend
 - _ Build the relationship by planning and participating in activities together
 - _ Strive for mutual respect
 - _ Build self-esteem and motivation
 - _ Help set goals and work toward accomplishing them
 - _ Set high expectations to spawn an environment of high achievements

- Participation Requirements:**
- _ Must be a Christian
 - _ Be at least 21 years old
 - _ Be interested in working with young people
 - _ Be willing to adhere to all program policies and procedures
 - _ Be dependable and consistent in meeting time commitments
 - _ Attend mentor training sessions as prescribed
 - _ Be willing to communicate regularly with program staff, submit activity reports
 - _ Have access to an automobile, auto insurance, and a good driving record
 - _ Be able to pass a criminal background check
 - _ No use of illicit drugs, alcohol, or controlled substances in an inappropriate manner
 - _ Not currently in treatment for mental or substance abuse
 - _ No smoke or use of tobacco products during mentoring activities

- Desirable Qualities:**
- _ Willing and active listener
 - _ Encouraging and supportive
 - _ Patient, flexible, and respectful of individual differences
 - _ Personal fulfillment through contribution to community
 - _ Individual satisfaction in helping someone mature, progress, and achieve goals

- Application and Screening Process:**
- _ Written application
 - _ Driving record check
 - _ Criminal history check, state child abuse and neglect registry, sexual offender registry
 - _ Attend CPR training
 - _ Approved by the Bishop of Designated Representative

Mentor Name:	Reviewed By:
Signature:	Signature: Date: