



Community Teamwork Inc.
 YouthBuild Lowell
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Program Application

2009-2010

Application Checklist

This checklist will be filled out by the YouthBuild staff, but please use it to make sure that you have completed all requirements.

Part 1:

- Completed Application Date Received: _____
- Essay

Part 2:

- TABE Test Date Taken: _____
- Interview Date: _____
- Drug Screen (done during Mental Toughness)
- Eligibility/Required Documentation

Part 3:

- Information Session
- Acceptance/Rejection Letter Sent Date: _____
- All Components Completed Date: _____

YouthBuild Lowell is an Equal Opportunity Affirmative Action Employer; auxiliary aids are available upon request to individuals with disabilities with proper notice.

Applicant Name: _____

Background Form

Student Contact Information

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Street Address: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip Code: _____

Telephone 1: _____

Circle One: Cell Phone Home Phone Other

Telephone 2: _____

Circle One: Cell Phone Home Phone Other

Email: _____

Office Use Only

Program Status

Application Received: _____

Student Status: _____

Status Date: _____

Program Cycle: _____

Cycle Start Date: _____

Cycle End Date: _____

Grant Cycle Name: _____

Student's Team: _____

Entered into WebSTA? ___ yes ___ no

Personal Characteristics

Gender ___ Female ___ Male

Date of Birth _____

Social Security Number _____ - _____ - _____

Ethnicity ___ Asian American/Pacific Islander

(write 1 for primary ethnicity and 2 for secondary ethnicity) ___ Black/African American

___ Hispanic/Latin American

___ Native American

___ Caucasian

___ Multiracial

Primary Language ___ English

(write 1 for primary language and 2 for secondary language) ___ Spanish

___ Arabic

___ Cape Verdean

___ Chinese

___ Creole

___ Korean

___ Portuguese

___ Slavic

___ Vietnamese

___ Somali ___ Other _____

U.S. Citizen ___ yes ___ no

Marital Status ___ Never Married

(choose one) ___ Married

___ Divorced

___ Separated

___ Widowed

Type of Housing ___ Public Housing

(choose one) ___ House/Apartment

___ Homeless

___ Homeless Shelter

___ Halfway House

___ Group Home

___ Other

Annual Household Income

(choose one) ___ none

___ \$1 - \$10,000

___ \$10,001 - \$20,000

___ \$20,001 - \$30,000

___ \$30,001 - \$40,000

___ \$40,001 and above

Personal History

Highest Grade Completed _____ 6th
(choose one) _____ 7th
_____ 8th
_____ 9th
_____ 10th
_____ 11th
_____ 12th

Office Use Only – TABE Scores

Date administered _____

Reading: _____ Spelling: _____

Applied Math: _____ Vocabulary: _____

Language: _____ Language Mechanics: _____

Do you already have your GED? _____ yes _____ no If yes, date received _____

Do you already have your high school diploma? _____ yes _____ no If yes, date received _____

Current Employment Status

(choose one) _____ Employed: Full-time Date most recent job ended _____
_____ Employed: Part-time
_____ Unemployed: Looking Hourly wage _____
_____ Unemployed: Not looking
_____ Other Hours worked per week _____

Do you have medical benefits through this job? _____ yes _____ no _____ don't know

Do you have any construction experience? _____ yes _____ no

Dependence and Public Assistance

Do you live by yourself? _____ yes _____ no
Do you live with your parents (either mother or father or both)? _____ yes _____ no
Do you have any dependents? _____ yes _____ no
If you have dependents, how many do you have? _____

Do you live with children (brothers, sister, nieces, nephews, etc.)? _____ yes _____ no
Do you live with your own child or children? _____ yes _____ no

If you live with children, how many children do you live with? _____
What is the oldest child's date of birth? _____
The youngest child's date of birth? _____

Do you receive public assistance? _____ yes _____ no
Does anyone you live with receive public assistance? _____ yes _____ no

Are you a foster child? _____ yes _____ no
Were you a foster child who aged-out of foster care? _____ yes _____ no

Criminal Justice History

Please answer the following questions honestly.

- Have you ever been arrested? yes no
- Do you currently have a case pending? yes no
- Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor? yes no
- Have you ever been convicted of a felony? yes no
- Have you ever been in a juvenile detention facility?
If yes, what was the length of your incarceration? yes no
 years months
- Have you ever been in an adult correctional facility?
If yes, what was the length of your incarceration? yes no
 years months
- Have you ever been on probation? yes no
- Have you ever been on parole? yes no
- Have you ever lost your voting rights? yes no

Substance Abuse History

- Do you have a history of alcohol abuse? yes no
- If yes, are you currently undergoing substance abuse treatment? yes no
- Have you ever had substance abuse treatment? yes no
- Are you currently using any of the following substances?
- Marijuana yes no
- Cocaine yes no
- Heroin yes no
- Other illegal substances? yes no
- If yes, are you currently undergoing substance abuse treatment? yes no
- Have you ever had substance abuse treatment? yes no

How did you learn about the YouthBuild program?
(check all that apply)

UTEC DYS DCF A Friend Family Member
 Probation Officer Advertisement CTI DTA
 LCHC MassRehab Other Community-Based Organization Other

If you chose Other Community-Based Organization, which Organization was it?

If you chose Other, please explain how you found out about YouthBuild?

What is your uniform/clothing size?

Pants: _____ T-Shirt: _____ Boots: _____

Essay

Please choose **ONE** of the following topics and write an essay, at least one page in length (please use the space provided on the next page). **Try your best**, but **please remember we are not judging this essay on grammar, spelling, or writing ability**. We are simply looking for **your best effort** and **sincere thoughts**.

1. What is on the minds of America's youth today?
2. Why do you believe that YouthBuild is the right program for you?
3. Having a clear and realistic career goal is an important aspect of the CTI-YouthBuild program. Please explain your career goal and the steps you would like to take while at YouthBuild in order to achieve your goal.

Thank you for your interest in YouthBuild Lowell!

Confidentiality Information and Disclosure

I have been advised of the Privacy Act. I understand that information will be released and used only as an aid to assist me in accomplishing my goals in CTI/YouthBuild Lowell.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Staff Signature: _____ Date: _____

