



Thank you for your interest in the Knox County Youth Health Board (YHB). The YHB is a collaborative effort between the Knox County Health Department and Coordinated School Health that serves as a forum for young people to affect the health and well-being of our community. This youth-driven effort provides opportunities to partner with health professionals from the Knox County Health Department and other community groups to explore and take action on a variety of health issues.

The Youth Health Board is made up of a diverse group of young people from across Knox County. Two representatives from each high school in Knox County will be accepted. We are looking for students that demonstrate strong leadership skills, a commitment to the community, and an interest in health-related issues.

Students who are selected to serve on the Youth Health Board will be able to explore the field of Public Health and expand their knowledge by working with numerous health professionals. Members will work with their community to address issues that they are passionate about. Youth Health Board members are responsible for serving a one year term (August – April) and attending monthly meetings. Monthly meetings are held on the fourth Tuesday of every month from 5:00 – 6:30 at the Knox County Health Department. It is also the responsibility of members to actively participate in various community efforts designated by the membership of the board.

All applications are due in our office no later than **April 2, 2010**.

Please submit your application to:

Knox County Health Department
Attn: Carrie Thomas
140 Dameron Avenue
Knoxville, TN 37917

If you have any questions regarding the Youth Health Board or application process, please feel free to contact Carrie Thomas at 865-215-5174 or Carrie.Thomas@knoxcounty.org.



**KNOX COUNTY YOUTH HEALTH BOARD
2010-2011**

Application for Membership

Deadline for Applications: April 2, 2010

Only complete applications will be considered.

Name:	
Other names used (nicknames, etc.):	
Home Address:	
City, State, Zip:	
Phone:	Email:
School:	Current Grade (2009-2010 year):
Where did you hear about the Youth Health Board?	
Two references are required with this application. Reference forms are included in this application.	

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Please return completed forms to Carrie Thomas by fax or e-mail at 865-215-5148 or

Carrie.Thomas@knoxcounty.org. You can also mail your application to:

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All applications must be received by 4:30 P.M. on March 20, 2009.





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Reference Form

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Reference Name:	Applicant Name:
Organization (if applicable):	
Address:	
City, State, Zip:	
Phone:	Email:
How do you know the applicant?	
How long have you known the applicant?	
Youth Health Board members are required to attend monthly meetings, participate in community projects, and actively communicate with Board leadership between meetings. In your opinion, is the applicant a good candidate for the membership of the Youth Health Board?	
Any additional comments:	

Signature: _____

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