

VOLUNTEER INFORMATION

LPA National Conference – Sheraton Downtown Denver June 30th- July 6th

LPA is run on volunteers like you! Each LPA Conference happens because of all the time and dedication volunteers have given to the organization. Anyone can volunteer – conference attendees, parents, grandparents, teenagers, friends and local relatives. We are open to volunteers who you know to be warm, welcoming and enthusiastic. Our restriction is we ask volunteers to be at least 16 years old.

Why: An opportunity to serve the organization that is an invaluable resource to you and your family. When: Check the Conference Schedule. If you have time available, we would appreciate your help.

Different volunteer opportunities include...

- 1. Children's Room: LPA Conference provide a supervised space for children to play, laugh, run around, and learn childcare while parents attend the Parent Meetings and Workshops. We do have a core group of ladies that lead the room, though we would love any additional help. At times, there may be up to 50-60 children who look for entertaining faces, extra care, some direction, and at times to be escorted and assisted to the rest room. Parents are required to stay in the hotel and must be available for diaper changing.
- 2. Registration Room: Beginning Friday, June 30th and throughout the week we expect to register more than 1500 individuals and families. For the most part, they have pre-registered and are simply picking up their registration packets. We need a team of welcoming individuals in the registration room to welcome attendees and walk them through the week's activities. This is a great way for volunteers to meet new people, welcome new families, and get to see some of the behind the scenes action during Conferences. There will always be CMC members in the room to answer more detailed questions and problem solve when needed. A brief orientation is given at the beginning of each session, going over the process of checking the attendees in.
- 3. Security: Come work alongside Chris Johnson, our security lead and help us make sure the events are secure and accessible to all paid attendees. Security is needed every night during the dance and during the nightly events. Typically, volunteers stand in the doorway, check name badges, watch for underage drinking, and to keep attendees safe and keep the public (non-conference attendees) out. Chris and the security volunteers will work alongside hotel security as well most nights.
- 4. Additional Smaller Volunteer Opportunities...
 - a. **Workshops**: The Workshop Coordinator needs an individual to help as needed. This may be greeting presenters, escorting them to their room, helping with handouts, etc.
 - b. **Expo**: We'll 15-25 vendors in the Expo area Monday-Wednesday. We are looking for a volunteer to float the area and offer restroom breaks or coffee breaks as needed.
 - c. **CITM** (Caught in the Middle): Volunteers will assist the CITM leader in overseeing the kids during the events and activities.

To make a difference in the 2017 LPA Conference, sign up to volunteer now!

Contact: Amanda Hernandez- Volunteer Coordinator - Ipanationalvolunteer@gmail.com or (610) 952-9398

Conference Perks: 6 or more hours in one day, free one day parking voucher! Or volunteer for more than 8 hours all together and earn a Conference volunteer t-shirt!