

#### YMCA OFFICE USE ONLY

Application Review (Print Name):			Member Contact Date:		
Household ID					
	Membership	%	□Denied (Reason):		
	Program	%			
Final Review/Authoriz	ation (Print Name):				

# SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

## **PROVIDING ACCESS FOR ALL**

The YMCA of Metropolitan Atlanta (the "Y") is a non-profit organization. Through donations and grants, we are able to provide financial assistance to families in need. Everyone is welcome to apply. Financial aid is based on verified need without regard to race, color, creed, national origin, citizenship, religion, gender, sex, age, ancestry, marital status, registered domestic partner status, protected military or veteran status, disability, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, genetic information or any other basis protected by applicable law.

Although completion of this application does not guarantee a financial assistance award, it is designed to ensure a fair distribution of resources throughout the Atlanta community. It requires income information for all individuals in the household regardless of their intention to be a part of the YMCA. The information submitted will remain confidential to the extent possible and only will be shared with those who have a legitimate business need to know such information. Such information will be stored securely.

Financial aid recipients will be responsible for a portion of their dues. Their awards will be reviewed annually. Although we send reminders at the end of a term, it is the member's/participant's responsibility to reapply for financial aid.

By submitting this application, you agree to these terms. Please allow 5–7 business days for processing. Written notification of the award will be sent via email. Please note: Awards are on a go-forward basis; refunds will not be issued for fees paid or due prior to the award date.

#### **INCOME VERIFICATION TYPES**

Financial aid is based on household income. Each adult in the household needs to provide at least two documents from the following list regardless of their intention to join the YMCA. Individuals with incomplete applications will be asked to submit additional information, which may delay processing.

- Most current federal tax return (first two pages of Forms 1040 or 1040A. Self-employed individuals must include Schedule C)
- Medicaid Medical–award letter/bills
- SNAP, WIC award letter
- Federal Public House Assistance (Section 8) award letter
- Two most recent pay stubs
- Supplemental Security Income
- Unemployment Insurance statement
- Wage inquiry from DOL

Need help accessing your documents? If you receive aid from one of these programs but need a copy of your notice of action, please contact your case worker.

All applications must be submitted via email to <u>FA@ymcaatlanta.org</u>. Should you need further assistance, please contact the Financial Assistance Team at <u>FA@ymcaatlanta.org</u>.

#### HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION **Primary Adult Name:** Phone: Date of Birth: Email address: Emergency contact name: Emergency contact phone: Unit #: Address: City: State: Zip: Total Household Members Over 18: Total Dependents: Total Annual Income: Household Member 1: Birth Date: Gender: Household Member 2: Birth Date: Gender: Household Member 3: Birth Date: Gender: Household Member 4: Birth Date: Gender: Household Member 5: Birth Date: Gender:

### **REQUEST FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE REQUESTED (Check all that apply)**

YMCA Branch Name : \_\_\_\_

Membership Type:		Pro	Program Type(s):		
	Teen (13–18)		Afterschool		
	Adult (19+)		Day Camp		
	Family		Overnight Camp		
	Other		Swim Lessons		
			Youth Sports		
			Other		

The YMCA of Metro Atlanta is a CAPS provider for both afterschool programming and day camp. Please note if you qualify in the Personal Story space so we can assist further.

### YOUR PERSONAL STORY

Please tell us any additional information we should take into consideration when evaluating your application.

## SHOULD I NEED TO CONTINUE MY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE, I UNDERSTAND THIS APPLICATION MUST BE RENEWED EVERY 12 MONTHS.

I certify that the above information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge, and that I, along with the other adults listed on my application, do not have additional income not represented above. I agree, if necessary, to submit additional information and documentation to support the above statements. I understand that financial assistance is awarded based on need. In the event that I, or my children, must cancel my/our participation, I will contact the Y immediately so that my financial assistance can be applied to others. I understand that if I falsify any of the above information, I will not be eligible for assistance now and/or in the future.