

CAMP COUNSELOR

Qualifications

- Must be at least 18 years of age.
- Experience working with individuals with disabilities is desired.
- Physically capable of handling the rigors of day to day care for the severely disabled, ages seven to older adults. Campers weight may vary from 35 to 300 pounds.
- Must agree to abide by *AbilityFirst* rules and policies.
- Must be able to lift 75 lbs.

Duties and Responsibilities

- Attends and participates in staff orientation week and ongoing training sessions throughout the summer.
- Responsible for the care and supervision of assigned campers. This includes providing and/or assisting as needed in the personal care needs of the campers: dressing, bathing, toileting, grooming, feeding, lifting and transferring.
- Directly responsible to the Unit Director.
- Prepares written reports on each assigned camper and submits to Unit Director each session.
- Performs cabin duty at night and afternoon rest period according to a rotating schedule.
- Assists program staff as needed during assigned activities as well as during evening programs.
- On the last day of each session, assists in the cleaning and preparation of camp for the next incoming group of campers.
- In an emergency assumes responsibility for any job deemed necessary by the Camp Director to ensure the safety of all campers and staff.