

# Re-Entry Program Application Packet

Please read all the materials, then complete all forms as indicated and return to:

This Is Living Ministries

P.O. Box 3756 Cookeville, TN 38502

Intake/ Interviews: 865-258-6193 or 931-319-5974

### **Rules and Guidelines**

- 1. Use of any drugs, tobacco products, and alcohol are prohibited
- 2. No unsupervised phone calls or visits and NO conjugal visits
- 3. All participants and their belongings will be subject to random searches
- 4. All participants are subject to random drug screenings
- 5. Use of sleep aids (melatonin, etc.) are prohibited
- 6. Profanity or pornography of any kind are prohibited
- 7. Personal hygiene is expected (Participants must shower daily)
- 8. No contacting or visiting with persons not listed on contact sheets
- 9. Appropriate clothing MUST be worn at ALL times
- 10. Food will only be allowed in dining areas
- 11. Beds will be neatly made before leaving rooms to begin daily activities
- 12. Participation in daily activities is required of all persons
- 13. All lights out at bedtime
- 14. All participants must be respectful of each other's living space and belongings
- 15. No leaving the house or grounds without staff approval
- 16. No glorification of old life
- 17. No guests are permitted to stay overnight for any reason
- 18. Participants agree to pay participation fees once they reach phase 3 of the program
- 19. Participants must gain full time employment during phase 3
- 20. No physical or verbal threats will be tolerated
- 21. Sexual harassment is grounds for dismissal
- 22. No intimate, physical, and/or sexual behavior with ANYONE during program
- 23. No burning incense or candles
- 24. No driving while in the program
- 25. No pets allowed
- 26. No contact with anyone incarcerated (including spouse or family)

# A more detailed list of Rules and Guidelines will be given to you, if you are accepted into our Women's Re-Entry Program.

# **Participant Application**

## AN INCOMPLETE APPLICATION WILL BE DISCARDED, PLEASE THOUROUGHLY ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS!

Have you ever been a participant in the This Is Living Re-Entry program? YES NO

Is this your first time applying to become a participant? YES NO

### Qualifications

- □ 18 years or older
- □ Has had a substance addiction or dependence
- □ Has been incarcerated for at least 6 months
- □ Is willing to participate in employment, volunteering, education courses and all other faith-based activities offered
- □ Passed drug screening prior to admission
- □ Must have been part of re-entry training while incarcerated

### Personal Information

Full Name:		
DOB:/ Age:	SSN: Phone: ( )	
TDOC #:	Application date://	
Incarceration address:		
City: State: County	y:	
How long have you been incarcerated?		
Parole Eligibility date:	Parole Hearing date:	
Estimated date of release:		
Emerg	gency Contact Info	
Name:		
Phone: ( )		
Relationship:		

## **Incarceration Information**

What are your current charges?			
Do you have any pending charges and if so, what are they, which county/state are they in, and when are you set to appear in court on these charges?			
Do you have any possible outstanding warrants? YES NO			
Have you ever been convicted of a sex offense, violent crime, or arson? YES NO			
How many times have you been in jail one or more nights? 1-3 4-7 8+			
How many times have you been in prison one or more nights? 1-3 4-7 8+			
Do you have any felonies? YES NO			
Please list charge, date, & location:			
Name of Probation/ Parole officer			
Address of supervision office			
Phone number: Fax Number:			
Email address:			

## **Identification**

Do you have a copy of your birth certificate?	YES	NO
Do you have a copy of your social security card?	YES	NO
Do you have a copy of your state ID or DL?	YES	NO
What state were you born in?		

### Medical History and Information

List of medication	on(s):				
Reason for takin	ıg:				
Dosage and time	es per day:				
Date prescribed:	·				
Approx. Medica	tion cost:				
Have you been t	ested for any of the f	following? If so, pleas	se list the test	date and the results.	
Hepatitis A	YES NO	//	_ Positive	Negative	
Hepatitis B	YES NO	//	_ Positive	Negative	
Hepatitis C	YES NO	//	_ Positive	Negative	
ТВ	YES NO	//	_ Positive	Negative	
HIV/AIDS	YES NO	//	_ Positive	Negative	
Have you ever b	een told you have an	y of these? YES	NO		
Have you ever b	been treated for any o	of these? YES	NO		
If yes, please ex	plain:				
Please list all all	ergies:				
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Do you have any	y chronic medical co	nditions? YES	NO		
•		/ for an existing medi s) if you answered ye			
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Are you physically able to participate in full time employment, chores and work duties? YES NO

Are you or have you ever been pregnant? YES NO				
Have you ever had an abortion or a miscarriage? YES NO				
Have you ever been hospitalized (aside from having children)? YES NO				
If so, when was your last hospitalization and what were you treated for?				
Have you ever been diagnosed with a mental illness? YES NO If yes, what illness and did you seek treatment (please list treatment facility as well)?				
Have you ever tried to commit suicide? YES NO If so when?				
Have you ever tried to kill/ hurt someone else? YES NO If so when?				
Have you ever harmed yourself? YES NO If so when?				
Has harming yourself become a life controlling problem?				

## Trauma History

Sexual:					
Physical:					
Emotional:					
Have you ever been in	o counseling for th	ese issues? Y	YES NO	)	
Sexual orientation?	Heterosexual	Homosexual	Bisexua	l Transgender	

## Substance Abuse History

Has drug/ alcohol use been prevalent in your family? Which family members?				
At what age did you begin using drugs? When was your last use?				
What was your drug(s) of choice? How often did you use?      What age did you start drinking? When was your last drink?				
			Has incarceration been prevalent in your family? Which family members?	
Have you tried to stop using drugs prior to incarceration? YES NO Did it work? YES NO				
If no, what do you believe caused the relapse?				
If yes, how many consecutive days without use?				
Have you ever been in a treatment or a recovery program? YES NO				
If yes, when, where, and what type?				
What were the consequences of your drug use?				
<u>Spiritual</u>				
Do you believe in God, Jesus, and Holy Spirit? YES NO				
Have you attended church? How often did you attend?				
Do you have a church preference?				
How would you describe your relationship with God?				

Have you ever been involved in religious practices (sorcery, witchcraft, voodoo, etc.)? YES NO

## **Family**

Marital status: (MARRIED / WIDOWED / SEPARATED / DIVORCED / DATING/ SINGLE )				
Spouse's name:				
Length of relationship:				
How is your relationship with your spouse?				
Does your significant other have a drug or alcohol abuse problem? YES NO				
Have they been arrested or charged with any crimes? If yes, when and what charges?				
Would your spouse be helpful to your sobriety? YES NO NOT SURE				
Do you have children? YES NO				
How many and what ages?				
Names of children:				
Who currently has custody of your children? Please list names, relationship, and address.				
How is your relationship with the care givers of your children?				
How were you disciplined as a child?				
Are you parents still living? YES NO Are they still together? YES NO				
Please explain your relationship with your parents.				
Do you know of anyone that would want to know your whereabouts in order to bring harm to you in any way? YES NO				
If yes, please explain:				

### **General Program Rules Agreement**

**The following are several of the basic rules for This Is Living Ministries. You will be provided with a complete policy handbook upon admittance**. The TILM program is offering a life changing opportunity to participants for a minimum of 12 months and maximum of 18 months.

#### **Christian Growth Center:**

I understand:

- This Is Living is a Christian Growth Center, and I agree to be included in Biblical teaching and Christian forms of activities.
- My main purpose for being in the program is to learn a new way of life, not just to escape current situation.
- My main goal is to complete the long-term TILM program and become a productive member of church and community.

I always agree to take personal responsibility for my own attitude and behavior. I understand that what program authority calls incorrect or improper behavior, and/or a bad attitude will be addressed and may be disciplined if necessary. I will agree to do the disciplinary action or project with an improved attitude.

#### Personal:

I will not:

- Possess or use drugs at any time (this includes psychiatric medication)
- Smoke or have cigarettes in my possession.
- Curse or use off-color expressions or bodily gestures or names
- Talk about street life, drugs or glamorize my past or my wrong doings.
- Horseplay, wrestle, or engage in inappropriate bodily contact.
- Put my hands on other participants or staff in any unacceptable fashion.
- Become part of or help create clicks in the home.
- Go outside of the house/grounds without staff permission.
- Bring, books, knives, guns or weapons of any type.
- Bring or possess a radio or anything concerning music such as CD or MP3 player, iPod, or other music playing device.
- Bring or possess any electronic devices such as cell phones, computer/laptop, tablet, or schedulers.

#### <u>Family:</u>

I agree:

- To the staff screening and reading my mail, prior to being sent and after arrival of incoming mail.
- To write only two 3-page letters per week to members of my immediate family only I will not write to boyfriend/fiancé.
- To not use anyone or any means to communicate with a boyfriend or fiancé/fiancé,
- To my phone calls being monitored

#### Group:

I agree:

- To participate in all scheduled activities including class, devotions, church, work, reading, recreation, etc. I will do what is required to execute action steps and reach desired outcome.
- I will do my utmost to include myself in groups in order to change past behavior and learn new skills.
- To conduct myself in a Christ-like manner and will not do anything in public that will call attention to myself or reflect badly upon the whole group.
- I will give healthy feedback to my peers in TILM during groups and not condemn nor persecute any other participant. I will share experience, strength and hope. I will share how I went through a given situation not what another should do.

#### **Discipline:**

#### I understand:

- That I am expected to be prepared, in place, and on time for all my scheduled activities 24 hours a day. I also understand that any tardiness, unpreparedness, and other forms of carelessness will result in disciplinary action.
- That my room must always be kept in a neat and orderly manner. I agree to work with my roommates to keep it clean and in shape for inspection.
- There will be a dress code. (Refer to dress code in the handbook)
- There will be a grooming code: hair combed, shower once a day etc.
- That disciplinary action may include: extra duty, loss of privileges, suspension or dismissal.

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_, hereby certify that all the above information is correct to my knowledge. I agree to the terms of This Is Living and am willing to commit to my new life. I understand the views of this organization and I am ready to begin my new journey into sober living in a Christian atmosphere. I have read these rules and my signature indicates that I have a good understanding of them and that I am willing to commit myself to these agreements and to the more detailed Handbook agreements I will receive upon Intake.

Applicant Signature:		Date:
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#### This is Living Ministries

### **Authorization to Release Confidential Information**

Full Name	DOB		
SS# TDOC #	TDOC #		
From/To:This is Living Ministries			
From/To:			
Name and address of person or organiz	ation sending/receiving information.		
I specifically consent only to the release of inform	nation pertaining to: (check those that apply)		
Residential records	Meeting attendance		
Case management records	Other:		
Psychiatric records			
Medical records			
Alcohol and drug records			
Information to be released: (include dates) Date fr	com: Date to:		
Resident Plan	PCP Communication		
Progress Notes	Appointment Summary		
Goal Summary	Verbal Communication		
Discharge Summary	Criminal Background Check		
The purpose of this information is for <u>Continuum</u>	of Care,		
An emailed or faxed copy of this release shall be a	as valid as the original.		
Signature:	Date: Expiration Date:		
TILM Staff Signature:			
• Release of Information is valid for up to o			
I am revoking this release of information. I reserve the time during my stay at TILM. Any information previo I understand that this revocation may not apply where	usly distributed does not fall under this revocation.		
I am revoking due to:			
Resident Signature:	Date:		