

## Youth Ambassador

We are currently accepting applications for the position of Youth Ambassador for 2010. **The Youth Ambassador serves as a representative of JDRF and plays a key role in increasing the awareness and understanding of diabetes including;**

- Preparing short statements (written and spoken) to explain diabetes and its impact on your life
- Being interviewed by local media as a part of our major campaigns
- Attending functions such as event kick-offs to present short speeches and chat with participants
- Participate in presentation ceremonies at the Walk to Cure Diabetes, la

### **Skills and Knowledge Required**

- You must be under 17 years old and have Type 1 diabetes
- Have a clear understanding of Type 1 diabetes
- Be comfortable with public speaking and have good writing skills (required for older children)

**\*The time commitment of the position of Youth Ambassador is variable. We ask that your family carefully consider your availability. It is not unusual for Youth Ambassadors to be required during school hours, although every effort will be made to minimize the amount of school time missed.**

**If you are interested in this exciting opportunity, please complete the application form and mail it in along with a photo of yourself to:**

# Youth Ambassador Application Form

Thank you for your interest in becoming a Youth Ambassador with JDRF. Once you have completed the application form in full, please mail it, along with a recent photo of yourself to:

Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation  
1658 Bedford Hwy., Suite 2055, Bedford, NS B4A 2X9  
T: 902.453.1009 | TF: 1.888.439.5373 | F: 902.453.2528

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Age at Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's/Guardian's Names:

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Hobbies/past-times/sports:

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On a separate piece of paper, I would like you to tell me in your own words why do you want to find a cure for diabetes?

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How are you helping to find a cure?

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Have you been involved in any JDRF fundraising activities or special events? If so, please list the event and when and/or for how long:

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Have you ever organized a fundraising activity or event?

Please explain

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Have you had any experience public speaking? \_\_\_\_\_

If no, would you be comfortable doing so in the role as Youth Ambassador? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain:

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Youth Ambassador Opportunities:

I give permission for my child's picture and name to be used by the St. John's, N L Division of JDRF as a Youth Ambassador in fundraising activities.

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

