**YOUTH EDUCATOR APPLICATION**

## Part A: Application Questions

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name:

Age & Birth Date:

Gender (optional) & Pronouns:

**Cell** Phone:

Email you check **most** often:

**Full** Address:

**RECRUITMENT DETAILS**

Have you ever submitted an application form to become a Youth Educator in the past?

How, **specifically**, did you hear about this opportunity? Please bold + elaborate upon one of the below:

\*Social Media (please specify):

\*Volunteer Posting (please specify):

\*Current YE/Friend:

\*University/College Advisors (please specify):

\*Other (please specify):

**VOCATION & EDUCATION**

If applicable, which post-secondary school or training institution are you attending?:

If the above applies to you, how many years do you project remain until your expected graduation?:

If you are not a student, what will primarily occupy your time this upcoming year?:

What other volunteer, or employment, positions do you anticipate carrying this upcoming year?:

**AVAILABILITY**

Should you be invited, could you make yourself available for a **Interview**? YES or NO

Should you advance past the Interview, could you make yourself available for a 3-Day **Mandatory YE Training** (one Saturday + Sunday and one weeknight)? YES or NO

When, exactly, will you be free during school hours, 8am-3pm? Please provide your best projection:

Mon:

Tues:

Wed:

Thurs:

Fri:

**HELPFUL CURIOUSITIES**

Do you have access to reliable transportation (vehicle or transit)?

Do you have a mobile phone + data plan that you could use for regular team communication?

Our program relies heavily on consistent/speedy email communication/response rates. Can you briefly describe how you feel you could keep up with this team agreement?

If selected, would your situation allow you to commit to a minimum of two years?

**PERSONAL STATEMENT:**

Please tell us why you want to be a Youth Educator. Don’t forget to tell us a bit about why you would be a good addition to our team!

**YOUTH SEXUAL HEALTH & WELLNESS:**

When it comes to puberty, dating, relationships, sexuality and sexual health, what do you feel are the most important issues teens face today?

What messaging did you feel was most helpful to you (or your peer group) growing up?

What messaging did you feel was least helpful to you (or your peer group) growing up?

As related to the aforementioned themes, what are the most important matters you think BLUSH should be engaging teens about today?

Please share with us what you believe to be the most pressing issue for youth regarding the media and its influence on their sexual and emotional well-being.

**LEADERSHIP & FACILITATION EXPERIENCE:**

Please detail any previous experience you have that you believe would help you in facilitating workshops.

**EXTRA (optional):**

Is there anything else you would like to share with us or would like us to know about you?

**Part B: Resume**

Please cut and paste a copy of your resume directly below, ensuring Part B begins at the top of a fresh page:

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICATION SUBMISSION**

**1. Please ensure that both Part A and Part B are fully completed**

**2. Please entitle your application w/ the format: ‘FirstNameLastName\_BLUSHApplication’**

**3. Please ensure your document is attached in Word format (.doc or .docx). We will not be able to accept applications sent in other formats.**

**4. Please submit via email with the subject heading: ‘BLUSH Application’ to both** [**blush@vch.ca**](mailto:blush@vch.ca) **&** [**justin.van\_westen@vch.ca**](mailto:justin.van_westen@vch.ca)

**We are so grateful for your interest in joining our team! Please note: a) while we appreciate**

**all applications, only short-listed candidates will be contacted for the next phase of the process and b) we typically initiate this process/do a round of intakes twice per year**