

# National Child Passenger Safety Board 2012 Membership Candidate Application

At this time the National Child Passenger Safety Board is seeking applicants for the following positions: CPS Advocate (1), Diversity, (1) and At Large (1). Selected applicants will begin their Board service with the first Board meeting of 2013 (January 15 - 17, San Francisco, CA). **Applicants must complete the following information – There is no page limit.**

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

Job title: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization/Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a CPS Instructor or Technician?     No     Yes - Technician/Instructor #: \_\_\_\_\_

**(Note: Certification is not required for Board membership, but non-certification may limit participation on certain committees, i.e. curriculum committee.)**

If you are selected to be a Board Member will you be able to commit to the required time as outlined in the Application Instructions?     Yes     No

**Please check each position you would like to be considered for.** One application per candidate will be used during the selection process for all open positions described below.

POSITION AND REQUIREMENTS	POSITIONS OPEN	TERM ENDS
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Child Passenger Safety Advocate</b> - Candidate must be an individual representing the CPS community. Candidate will serve on the board as an individual - not representing his/her employer.	1	12/31/15
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>At Large</b> - Candidate may apply as either representing an organization or as an individual involved in child passenger safety.	1	12/31/15
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Diversity</b> - Candidate must be a representative of an organization that serves diverse populations.	1	12/31/15

**If you have questions or need additional information, contact:** Tess Benham, Program Manager, National Safety Council, Phone: (630) 775-2159 or Email: [tess.benham@nsc.org](mailto:tess.benham@nsc.org).

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Briefly describe your sponsoring organization's purpose, its involvement with child passenger safety and your role within (or affiliation with) the organization. If you are applying as an individual for an At-Large or CPS Advocate position, please describe your involvement with child passenger safety.

Please discuss why you would like to become a member of the Board.

Give three examples of how your skills, knowledge, and/or expertise will assist the Board and its committees in carrying out its purpose.

1.

2.

3.

Briefly describe how you inspire, motivate and work with others on child passenger safety projects. Explain how you work within a team environment where tasks are divided and shared among multiple stakeholders.

Briefly explain how you will utilize your network to seek feedback from and give information to local, state and national communities you work with (i.e., emergency services, diversity, nursing). Please include any past and present professional affiliations at the local, state and national level.

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All applicants must provide the following information for two professional references. Your state CPS coordinator will automatically serve as a third reference.

## Reference #1:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_

## Reference #2:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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"Printed Name" and "Title" below may be typed. The remainder of the form below must be handwritten.

**TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT'S SUPERVISOR OR SPONSORING ORGANIZATION'S CEO/EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
OR IF THE APPLICANT IS APPLYING AS AN INDIVIDUAL:**

I understand that Board membership is voluntary, there is no compensation, and members are responsible for their own travel expenses. I have discussed with the applicant how their time and travel expenses will be compensated should s/he be elected to the National Child Passenger Safety Board.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**The information provided on this application is complete and accurate:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## National Child Passenger Safety Board 2012 Membership Candidate Application

**To apply, complete the application (using as much room and/or extra pages as needed) and email it as an attachment with your resume to: [applications@cpsboard.org](mailto:applications@cpsboard.org).**

A complete application consists of the application and your resume. Additional documentation will not be reviewed. Refer to "2012 Membership Candidate Application and Instructions" for more information. Additional copies of this application may be downloaded from the CPS Board website: [www.cpsboard.org](http://www.cpsboard.org)

**The complete application and applicant resume must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. PDT, June 27, 2012**

Applications will be reviewed and candidates will be notified by October 31, 2012.