



# ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY Information Flyer

**Come and lead an Enrichment Activity for the kids in our care!**

## WHO?

- Individuals or small groups/teams of up to 3 people
- Volunteers must be 12 or older
- Volunteers under age 16 must be accompanied by an adult age 21 or older

## WHAT?

- Individuals or small teams lead a preplanned enrichment activity for the children in our care. That activity can be arts and crafts, music, games, sports, puppetry, reading, theme boxes, etc. This activity is to be one hour long, engaging and age appropriate for kids 2-6 years of age.
- GMCN provides the following resources: large muscle bin (containing hula hoops, bean bags and ribbon wands – along with instruction binder with ideas for movement activities with the children), crayons, markers, colored paper, paint, glues, and scissors,—the volunteer will be responsible for bringing anything above and beyond these resources.

## WHERE?

Greater Minneapolis Crisis Nursery  
4544 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue S.  
Minneapolis, MN 55419

## WHEN?

Individuals/small groups can participate in leading Enrichment Activities as many times as they want; one time only, 1x per year, bi-yearly, quarterly, 1x per month, or 1x per week. These are offered twice a day, every day, including weekends.

Morning: 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Afternoon: 3:30-4:30 p.m.



## WHY?

- Help prevent child abuse and neglect in a simple and fun way that can easily fit into your busy schedule!
- GMCN recognizes that “art is a form of expression—a kind of language.” (Wishon, Crabtree & Jones, 1998, p.322). Children who participate in the fine arts activities or any type of enrichment activities have the opportunity to imagine, create, be active and communicate their thoughts and feelings through sensory and environmental exploration. During their stay at the GMCN, children will have “daily opportunities for aesthetic expression and appreciation through art and music” (NAEYC, 1999).

## HOW?

Complete an online volunteer application at:  
<http://crisisnursery.org/volunteer>

\* **All** volunteers must sign/complete a Confidentiality Form

Call or Email: **Keith Johnson**  
**Volunteer Services Coordinator**

**Phone:** (612) 767-8483

**Email:** [kjohnson@crisisnursery.org](mailto:kjohnson@crisisnursery.org)

