



Thank you for your interest in the Knox County Youth Health Board (YHB). The YHB is a collaborative effort between the Knox County Health Department and Coordinated School Health that serves as a forum for young people to affect the health and well-being of our community. This youth-driven effort provides opportunities to partner with health professionals from the Knox County Health Department and other community groups to explore and take action on a variety of health issues.

The Youth Health Board is made up of a diverse group of young people from across Knox County. Two representatives from each high school in Knox County will be accepted. We are looking for students that demonstrate strong leadership skills, a commitment to the community, and an interest in health-related issues.

Students who are selected to serve on the Youth Health Board will be able to explore the field of Public Health and expand their knowledge by working with numerous health professionals. Members will work with their community to address issues that they are passionate about. Youth Health Board members are responsible for serving a one year term (August – April) and attending monthly meetings. Monthly meetings are held on the last Tuesday of every month from 5:00 – 6:30 at the Knox County Health Department. It is also the responsibility of members to actively participate in various community efforts designated by the membership of the board.

All applications are due in our office no later than **March 20, 2009**.

Please submit your application to:

Knox County Health Department  
Attn: Carrie Thomas  
140 Dameron Avenue  
Knoxville, TN 37917

If you have any questions regarding the Youth Health Board or application process, please feel free to contact Carrie Thomas at 865-215-5174 or [Carrie.Thomas@knoxcounty.org](mailto:Carrie.Thomas@knoxcounty.org).



**KNOX COUNTY YOUTH HEALTH BOARD  
2009-2010**

**Application for Membership**

**Deadline for Applications: March 20, 2009**

**Only complete applications will be considered.**

Name:		
Other names used (nicknames, etc.):		
Home Address:		
City, State, Zip:		
Phone:	Email:	
School:	Current Grade:	
Where did you hear about the Youth Health Board?		
Please list two references. References can be former YHB members, teachers, community leaders, etc.		
Reference Name	Phone Number	E-mail Address

Questions? Please call Carrie Thomas at the Knox County Health Department at (865) 215-5174.

Please return completed forms to Carrie Thomas by fax or e-mail at 865-215-5148 or

[Carrie.Thomas@knoxcounty.org](mailto:Carrie.Thomas@knoxcounty.org). You can also mail your application to:

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**All applications must be received by 4:30 P.M. on March 20, 2009.**



