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Dear Parents and ETMC Junior Volunteer applicants:

We are excited to begin the new 2010 summer Junior Volunteer Program! Thanks to the success and growth of this project, this year we have the opportunity to make some significant changes to accommodate as many Juniors as possible and enhance the quality of the program.

**Here are the basics:**

- For summer 2010, ETMC will split the Junior Volunteer program into two four-week sessions. Each teen accepted into the program will be assigned to either June or July.
- We will be accepting 35 students per session, enabling us to bring 70 students into the program this year (as opposed to 50-60).
- Having two sessions with 35 students will provide a better opportunity for each Junior to volunteer in a department of the hospital where he/she can learn and grow in a smaller group of students. We will continue to offer additional fun and educational Lunch-and-Learn sessions, as well as job shadow opportunities.
- Each Junior will work during their four-week period by providing eight hours of service each week, either two half-days or one full-day, for a total of 32 hours per session. If a student wishes to volunteer more than 32 hours, we will do our best to make arrangements for extra service.
- It is vital that an applicant can make a full four-week commitment and not have volunteer conflicts during their assigned session, including vacations, camps and other travel.

**Please read and fill out the application carefully as it has changed from last year.  
*Registration for the June and July sessions will be on a first come, first served basis.***

We are pleased to start the application process for summer 2010 and look forward to welcoming our terrific "volunteers" in the weeks ahead.

Thank you for your interest and participation!

Sincerely,



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