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## **BOARD APPLICATION FORM**

***Thank you for completing this application. If you need additional space for any answer, please use the back of any page, or attach any additional information.***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_

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

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate (MONTH/DAY): \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Previous work experience:

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1. Describe how you first became aware of Birthline and how you currently support the organization.

2. Please check the skills/knowledge-base you can contribute to the board:

Accounting/Finance       Management       Technology       Fundraising       Education

Community/Public Relations       Legal       Human Resources       Counseling       Marketing

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Describe the greatest strength you believe you would bring to this board and organization.

4. What is your interest in the organization?

5. *“Every pregnant woman has the right to give birth, and every child has the right to be born.”*

After reading this guiding principle, comment on how it does/doesn't reflect your personal view of how to approach the issue of abortion and unplanned pregnancies.

6. Do you have time to give to this organization?  Yes  No

7. On what other boards have you served? Describe your experience and contributions.

8. What gifts, talents, experience, or personality traits would you bring to this Board and organization?

9. In general, what would you say is the greatest strength and greatest challenge of crisis pregnancy centers today?

10. Are you willing to commit to at least one 3 year term on the Board of Directors?  Yes  No

11. Are you willing to be involved and support all of Birthline fundraising activities?  Yes  No

12. Under what circumstances, if any, is abortion justifiable in your opinion?

13. Please provide the following information about your church:

Church Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Senior Pastor's name: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you been a member in this church? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your involvement:

14. List three references we can contact, including one pastor:

Name #1. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Name #2. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Name #3. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Your Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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## **JOB DESCRIPTION**

**Title:** Member, Birthline Board of Directors

**Reports to:** Board Chairperson

**Purpose:** To serve the board by providing vision and leadership through the development and monitoring of the policies, procedures, and regulations to govern the operations of Birthline.

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**Term:** Three years

**Expected Meeting Attendance:**

- Regularly attend scheduled board meetings, 10 to 12 times a year
- Attend special events, as necessary

**Obligations of the Board:**

- Establish policy
- Secure adequate funds, including making a monthly personal donation
- Maintain, update, and monitor strategic plans

**Specific Duties:** (Please initial the box after reading)

- Attend meetings, participate and show commitment to board activities
- Be well informed and prepared for meetings
- Contribute skills, knowledge and experience when appropriate
- Listen respectfully to other viewpoints
- Assume leadership roles in all board activities, including fundraising
- Represent Birthline to others by promoting our mission



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### **Statement of Faith**

Birthline is incorporated as a Christian organization whose purpose is to do the will of God the Father (Matthew 7). This is accomplished through its mission to protect the lives of unborn babies and support their parents while presenting God's plan for human sexuality. As a Christian organization, we are obliged to support the teachings of the Word of God. We welcome the opportunity to work with and to witness to clients and volunteers who are not Christian. Directors, employees, advocates and counselors must be practicing Christians who promise to live their lives in accordance with these teachings: promoting life from conception until natural death and living human sexuality as the union between one man and one woman married to each other, meant by God to be unbreakable until death.

We believe God's promise of forgiveness and restoration to all who are truly sorry for their past wrongs against God's plan. We believe that we are all called to "go and sin no more."

Since Birthline's mission involves issues of sexuality, special attention to Birthline representatives' presentation of healthy sexual relationships is appropriate. Birthline representatives will lovingly present God's plan for human sexuality to clients, a plan revealed to us by Jesus, the Word of God, and taught by the Christian Church since its beginning with Jesus and his apostles. (Matthew 15, Matthew 19, Romans 1, 1 Cor 6, 1 Cor 15, Heb 13, 1 Tim 1, Jude 7, Gal 5, Eph 5, Rev 21, Rev 22)

### **Qualifications of Members, Staff, and Volunteers**

People who do not share belief in the truth of these revelations of God regarding life and human sexuality will not be ministers to Birthline clients in roles of advocates, counselors, employees or directors, since Holy Scripture reveals to us that faith is inextricably tied to actions (James 2).

Signature\_\_\_\_\_

Date\_\_\_\_\_