NaCoMe Camp & Retreat Center Job Description



Position: Cabin Counselor

Supervisor: Counselor Coordinator

Summary of Position: The Cabin Counselor serves as a member of the Summer Staff at NaCoMe. They are assigned to care for the physical, social, and spiritual needs of up to 7 campers each week. They spend their time leading campers through the schedule of activities, meals, worship, and devotions. Counselors should expect to have an interactive role with their campers, participate in activities, and work to create a safe and fun environment where young people can thrive. When retreat groups are using camp, the counseling staff serve as the program leaders and lead activities for groups.

Qualifications:

- A commitment to Christian principles and NaCoMe's mission and vision as a ministry of the PCUSA.
- Must be at least 18 years old; 1 year out of high school preferred.
- Certification in First Aid and CPR
- Has interest and experience working with children.
- Possess strong listening and communication skills.
- Desire to model Christian values and is actively growing in Christian faith.
- Interest, knowledge, and skills in a variety of camp programs.
- Is able to traverse the multi-terrain camp grounds.
- Comfortable in a team player role.

Responsibilities:

- Plan outdoor activities for groups of campers
- Create weekly and daily schedules taking into account children's age groups and interests
- Lead recreational and educational activities (such as low ropes, devotions, or building a campfire)
- Escort and oversee campers (6-18 years old).
- Facilitate programming activities for retreat groups and summer camp programming.
- Be involved in other camp activities as planned by the Program Director and Summer Leadership team.