Dynamic Duos!

**Essential Eligibility Criteria:**
EECs should not be seen as blocks to participation, but rather as a tool to help ensure your camper has the fundamental skills required to be safe and successful in our specific camp.

IF camper does not meet EEC and has a caregiver that will provide services allowing camper to meet EEC, they may be considered for acceptance on a case by case basis. Contact program coordinator for details.

- Language must be comprehensible by others. Able to participate in group activities that require conversation skills, follow verbal directions, and participate in simple discussions. (We welcome personal AAC devices).
- Manages bladder and bowels with minimum assistance
- Minimal to moderate assistance using wheelchair, walker or other mobility aids
- If using wheelchair, moderate physical assistance from one individual to complete transfers
- Must be able to wear a PFD for participation in water activities
- No significant emotional or behavioral regulation challenges - The camper can participate in a 1:1 camper to volunteer ratio successfully
- Campers should have the skills to handle the sleep-away-from-home aspects of the camp program, including living independently in a group setting and taking care of their own personal needs with prompting when needed. (Independent completing ADL’s including but not limited to toileting, hygiene, feeding, dressing and transfers).

**What are considered significant emotional and behavioral regulation challenges and outside of the scope of application criteria?**

- Significant emotional regulation challenges would include: consistently running away and/or hiding when upset, consistently unable to regulate emotions with support from adults, etc.
- Significant behavioral regulation challenges would include; frequent physical contact with others (hitting, biting, spitting, etc.), unable to leave a situation with support from an adult, etc.

**EXCLUSIONARY CRITERIA:**

- Verbal IQ 45 and below
- Physical aggression or self-injurious behavior
- Drug or alcohol use/abuse
- Conduct Disorder
- Sexually acting out/inappropriate sexual behaviors

The following conditions are ones that necessitate care which cannot be adequately handled by the camp health or counseling staff:
- Suctioning
- Colostomy
- Tracheotomy
- Urostomy
- Gastronomy tubes
- Apnea
- Injections
- Ongoing oxygen
- Diabetes/insulin support [refer to Camp BETA]
- Ventilator dependency
- Decubitus

There are many other health conditions which will necessitate individual evaluation. Please provide as much information as possible so that our medical screening committee can evaluate your camper.

**By completing this form, I hereby confirm camper meets EEC for their respective camp session. I certify that this information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.**

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CAMPER Name

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Parent/Guardian PRINT