



## J-1 Participant Responsibilities Sign-Off

Participant's Name (Printed): \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Student,

Congratulations on your decision to come to the United States as a part of the J-1 Summer Work/Travel Program! We ask that you please complete this short questionnaire to help give you a better understanding of your responsibilities during your J-1 program. -The J-1 Summer Work/Travel Team

1. I understand that my sponsor is American Pool Enterprises, Inc. (APEI) and their toll free number is 1-866-446-2872. I am aware that I have access to this number 24-hours/day. **YES NO**
2. I understand that this is a cultural exchange program and that the purpose of this program is not to earn money, but rather to experience American culture and the American way of life while at the same time teaching others about my country's culture. **YES NO**
3. I understand that the intention of this program is not to live with a relative or friend free of charge while I work. **YES NO**
4. I will check-in upon arrival to the United States and provide United Work and Travel, a division of APEI. with my housing and employment address. This must be done by accessing my student account at [www.myuwt.com](http://www.myuwt.com) or by telephone. I realize that I must wait seven (7) days after my initial check-in to apply for a social security number. **YES NO**
5. I will complete a 30/60/90 day program check in by going online to [www.myuwt.com](http://www.myuwt.com) to access my student account or by calling the toll free number above. **YES NO**
6. I will contact my sponsor, APEI, prior to making any changes to my housing or employment and I realize that my sponsor must approve these changes in advance. **YES NO**
7. In the event that I seek a second job, I realize that it is mandatory to contact United Work and Travel, a division of APEI, to complete the necessary documents and I will wait for their approval before beginning work at that job. **YES NO**
8. I understand that there is a zero tolerance policy for theft and illegal activity and it will result in immediate dismissal from my J-1 Program. I understand that theft is wrongfully taking or giving away anything that does not belong to me including but not limited to food, money, store merchandise, time clock deception, etc. **YES NO**
9. I understand my work end date is my DS 2019 Form End Date and that my 30 day travel period, within the USA, will begin after my last day of employment. I know my sponsor will communicate with my host company and update my DS 2019 End Date, if necessary, after my last day of work. **YES NO**
10. My sponsor and employer will assist with providing cultural activities, however I am responsible for participating and engaging during and in addition to these events. I understand that a cultural activity can be anything from a company-sponsored event to an independently-organized trip, but could also include seeing an American movie, participating in volunteer activities, attending sporting events, etc. **YES NO**
11. I confirm that I do not have any preexisting health conditions that may cause me not to complete the employment position that I have selected for my program and that I am not currently pregnant as insurance will not cover these health conditions. **YES NO**

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**Signature of Participant**

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**Date**

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