

## Camp Koala Volunteer Opportunity for Students

Dear Psychology Department,

This is our annual appeal for Dickinson Psychology students to volunteer at our children's grief support groups at UPMC Pinnacle Hospital in Carlisle. Each year, you send us wonderful students, and we hope to have 2 student volunteers again this year.

Our group meets from 6-7:30, Thursdays, from [Feb 27-Apr 2, 2020] at the hospital.

We start each session with a group meal from the cafeteria, your students are included.

Each group activity is therapeutic arts and/or play therapy based, and a lot of fun. Companionship and peer support are our focus.

Our leader, Crystal Rice, MSW/LGSW, from Insieme Consulting in Carlisle. She is our leader every year and is a long time Camp Koala volunteer Big Buddy and Group Leader.

We are looking for students who can commit to all six weeks and enjoy working with children ages 7-12.

The children who will be attending have lost someone to death and are from the greater Carlisle area.

We are a 501c3 nonprofit public charity and all of our services are provided at no cost to the grieving families we serve.

We also have opportunities for your students to volunteer at our children's art therapy grief camp in Carlisle at CALC in the fall.

Interested students should contact me via email, [director@campkoala.org](mailto:director@campkoala.org). A volunteer application and PA background checks are required.

Thanks for any help,

Lisa Streett-Liebetrau, BA, MFA, CT, CEO

Executive Director, Founder of Camp Koala

Camp Koala is a 501c3 non-profit public charity. All donations are tax-deductible. We host camps and support groups for grieving children and teens who have experienced the death of a parent, primary caregiver or sibling. Please visit our website, [www.campkoala.org](http://www.campkoala.org) to register, volunteer, donate or to learn more about us.