

Family Enrollment & Adventure Participation Policy

Qualifying Family Members

All members of the immediate family of the enrolled child qualify for participation in A Kid Again. This includes the legal parents/guardians of the child, siblings (including half and step siblings who live in the household of the enrolled child), and foster children (when accompanied by official paperwork).

Where families are "blended," both sets of parents/stepparents and all qualified siblings can be on the family's profile, however, a maximum of two adults may attend an Adventure. Step-siblings who are on the family profile and live in the household of the enrolled child may attend Adventures.

When there is a birth or adoption of a child under the age of one, that individual can be added to the family profile without paperwork. Children over the age of one will require official documentation that the child has been legally added to the family and thus can be added to the family profile. Acceptable forms of documentation include birth certificate or final decree of adoption (certificate).

All siblings of an enrolled child can participate in Adventures regardless of age. Siblings over the age of 20 may not be eligible to receive gift benefits at Adventures (i.e., Holiday Party gifts). Siblings who no longer live at home (aside from those attending college or military service) are not eligible to attend Adventures. A sibling's spouse or children are not eligible to participate (even if living in the eligible child's home). Only children in the legal care of the parents/guardians are allowed to attend Adventures. Additional children may not be added to the Adventure registration. This includes family members visiting from out of town or babysitting for a child. If legal custody is being finalized, an "Emergency Family Member Addition" form may be submitted in advance of the Adventure. This form is only valid for 30-days. At which time, official documentation must be provided to add the child to the Adventure RSVP or family profile.

Chapter Determination

Chapter assignment is determined by the family's zip code or county in which they live. A Kid Again does its best to accommodate families who may live in close proximity to two chapters by working with them to select the chapter that has Adventures most convenient. A family can only be registered and invited to Adventures in one chapter. A one-time exemption to move enrollment to another chapter may be requested and will be handled on a case-by-case basis.

If a family moves, they are to contact their current chapter to submit a request. This will ensure that their family profile transfers to the new chapter. Invitations to Adventures are based off the chapter location that the family profile is located. If a family is receiving care from a hospital or other medical facility not located near their home, A Kid Again will work with the family to receive invitations to Adventures located near the hospital/facility for that time.

Adventure Attendance

Family members who are listed as eligible for participation during the Adventure registration process may attend Adventures. This includes the enrolled child, qualified siblings (as described above), no more than two

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parents/guardians, and a nurse/aid if deemed eligible. The enrolled child does not need to be present for eligible family members to attend the Adventure.

Only siblings who are on the family's profile and RSVP'd will be admitted into the Adventure. Due to venue capacities, additional eligible siblings may be requested (but not guaranteed) to be added to the RSVP with 48-hours' notice of the Adventure.

Additional attendees will not be permitted admission or participation in A Kid Again activities during an Adventure. If additional attendees would like to purchase their own admission for public venues, they may do so at the full cost determined by the venue. A Kid Again is not able to negotiate pricing for additional attendees. In addition, those individuals are not eligible for A Kid Again related activities within the venue (meals, giveaways, etc.).

Eligibility to have a nurse/aid is determined during the enrollment process. An additional adult is not eligible to attend if not otherwise indicated as part of the enrolled child's care during the enrollment process or as described below.

Nurse/Aids

When the complexities of the enrolled child's condition require the assistance of a nurse/aid while at an Adventure, a family can bring an additional adult/caregiver. In total, there can be no more than three adults with a family. This includes two parents/guardians and one nurse/aid.

While the nurse/aid does not need to be employed by the family in an official capacity, the individual must serve in a role that supports the enrolled child's medical needs. This is how A Kid Again defines a nurse/aid.

For example, if the family has one child and both parents will be attending the Adventure, the nurse/aid must have an official role in caring for that child's specific medical needs. This individual cannot be a grandparent or aunt/uncle joining the family for the day and registered as a nurse/aid.

If the family has multiple children and the safest way to attend the Adventure, while caring for the enrolled child's medical needs, is to have an additional adult (grandparent/family friend) attend, then that individual can serve in the nurse/aid role. Ultimately, if your family regularly has someone assisting in your child's care, bring that individual to the Adventure.

Where more than one child in the family is enrolled, one additional nurse/aid can attend the Adventure, per enrolled child.

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