



**UU Metro Atlanta North
Ministry With Children & Youth**

MCY Council Eligibility Requirements & Exclusions

All UUMAN members in good standing are eligible to serve on the MCY Council, with the following exception;

A member who is engaged in an institutional conflict that is in active process with the Healthy Congregation Team, or Committee on Ministries, will be asked to step down or defer their service on the Council until the conflict is resolved. This stipulation does not include interpersonal conflicts that are limited in their impact.

In accordance with UUMAN's policy for the protection of young people, MCY volunteers are required to consent to a criminal background check

The MCY Council commits to considering the following factors as part of the recruitment process;

New members need time to settle into their new church home before being approached to take on council leadership. There are many other ways that members can be encouraged to participate in our shared ministry during their first year or so at UUMAN.

MCY Council members will be encouraged not to serve as RE Team Leaders during their term on the council.

Every effort will be made to recruit MCY Council members with a broad range of backgrounds, experience, gender identity, and perspectives in order to reflect and affirm the diversity within the community we serve.