

## Adult & Teen Challenge of Kentucky Priscilla's Place GENERAL PROGRAM RULES AGREEMENT

*The following are just some of the basic rules of Adult & Teen Challenge of Kentucky. You will be provided with a complete handbook of rules upon admittance into the ATCKY Women's Program.*

### ADULT & TEEN CHALLENGE OF KENTUCKY:

1. I understand that this is a Christian Discipleship Program and understand that I will receive Biblical teaching promoting Christian forms of behavior.
2. I agree to assume personal responsibility for my own attitude and behavior at all times. I understand disciplinary action. I will agree to do the disciplinary action or project with an improved attitude.
3. I understand that my main purpose for being in the program is to learn a new way of life, not just to get off drugs or alcohol.

### Personal:

1. I will not possess or use drugs at any time, including medications.
2. I will not smoke or have cigarettes, e-cigarettes, vaporizers, lighters, or matches in my possession.
3. I will not curse or use off-color expressions or bodily gestures.
4. I will not talk about street life, drugs, or reminisce about past wrong doings (unless in support group).
5. I will not horseplay or engage in any other inappropriate body contact.
6. I will not become part of a clique.
7. I will not call other people names.
8. I will not go outside of the buildings without staff permission.
9. I will not bring or possess electronics including a cell phone, radio, iPod, tablet, or a computer.
10. I will not bring or possess sharp objects including knives or box cutters.
11. I will not bring books except approved Christian fiction/non-fiction or devotional books
12. I will adhere to the modest dress code and will not wear inappropriate clothing for the length of my program.
13. I understand that Adult & Teen Challenge is not responsible for any personal property left, stolen, or lost while I am in the program.
14. I release the right to Adult & Teen Challenge to do a room search and/or drug screen without warning at random or for cause.
15. I understand and release the right to Adult & Teen Challenge to search my person and belongings on the day of admission, and to withhold any of my belongings that they deem necessary until my departure date.

### Family:

1. I will agree to the staff screening and reading all incoming and outgoing mail.
2. I agree to write only members of my immediate family, and others approved by the Executive Director-**no letters to boyfriends, girlfriends, fiancés or friends from jail. No male or female contacts unless they are immediate family.**
3. I agree to wait until my 8<sup>th</sup> day here to write to anyone or to receive mail from anyone, unless I lose that privilege or have it delayed because of incurring demerits for bad behavior.
4. I agree to make only up to 10 minutes of outgoing phone calls to my immediate family on the designated nights during the assigned time after my first week of Phase 1.
5. I agree not to have any visits from my immediate family until after 7 days here and then only on specified visit days with the Executive Director's approval if I have earned that privilege.
6. I agree NOT to demand to call my family until the approved time.

### Group:

1. I agree to participate in all scheduled activities including class, chapel, church, work, and recreation. I will do what I'm required to do in each of these activities without complaining.
2. I agree to conduct myself in a Christ-like manner and will not do anything in public that will call attention to myself or reflect badly upon the whole group.

3. I understand the length of the program depends on how long it takes me to complete my learning contracts and I must receive the approval from the Executive Director, pass a peer evaluation, pass a staff evaluation, fulfill all legal requirements, complete a 3-month re-entry phase (12-15 month program), and complete all required groups and classes before I can graduate from the program. This will take a minimum of 12 months. I am responsible for my learning process. Staff will help me, but it will be up to me to do the work.

**Media:**

1. I understand that I will not have access to social media for the length of my program.
2. I understand that I will only be allowed to watch approved movies during designated times on the student schedule.
3. I understand that I will only be permitted to listen to approved music for the length of my program.

**Discipline:**

1. I understand that I'm expected to be prepared and on time for all my scheduled activities 24 hours a day. I also understand that any tardiness, un-preparedness, and other forms of carelessness will result in disciplinary action.
2. I understand that my room must be kept in a neat and orderly manner, at all times.
3. I understand there will be a grooming code: Shower once a day according to shower schedule, use good grooming habits for my hair, nails and general appearance, use deodorant and light perfume (nothing overpowering to other students or staff.)
4. I understand that disciplinary action may include: loss of privileges, suspension, or dismissal.

**I have read these rules and my signature indicates that I have a good understanding of them and that I'm willing to commit myself to these agreements and to the more detailed handbook agreements I will receive upon my entrance into the program.**

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Witness Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*Applicants with a child or children still living at home:**

I know I cannot bring my children with me to the ATCKY Women's Program. The needs of my underage children will be provided by the following person/people, physically as well as financially:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Witness Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_