

## FUSD Poll Chaplain / Peacekeeper Frequently Asked Questions

- Do you need to attend all the training sessions or just one? **You only need to attend one training session (90 minutes).**
- Is there any registration that we need to give the state in order to serve as a Poll Chaplain/Peacekeeper? **There are no additional registration requirements beyond attending one full training and selecting your date(s) and serving location. You will receive your FUSD certification letter and badge as evidence of your official participation.**
- If I live outside FUSD priority states and cities, can I still serve as a certified FUSD Poll Chaplain/Peacekeeper? **Yes, but only if you sign up to serve in a FUSD priority state and city. If you prefer serving outside a priority state or city, we cannot assign you to a polling location, nor provide the certification letter and badge. However, the 1-866-687-8683 number is available for all 50 states and you may report issues that you encounter in all 50 states. Our [FUSD Toolkit](#) has information about all 50 states and all the information is available for anyone to use.**
- Is there a difference between Poll Chaplain and Peacekeeper roles? **No. The Poll Chaplain designation represents ordained clergy and the Peacekeeper designation is for community and lay leader volunteers.**
- If I live in a priority state and in a city outside of FUSD targeted cities, can I get help in locating high priority polling sites near me? **Yes, if you email us at [info@skinnerleadership.org](mailto:info@skinnerleadership.org), we will email back the closest high-priority zip codes near you. Once we receive the polling sites for your zip code prior to early voting, we will forward it to you.**
- Do the Secretaries of State recognize FUSD identification? **County election officials, not Secretaries of State, manage the polling sites. The FUSD team is contacting County Election Officials in all polling sites we are assigning with the FUSD Poll Chaplain/Peacekeeper identification; affirming that our volunteers are there to assist.**
- What is the distance Poll Chaplain/Peacekeepers must remain in the polling location? **That depends on the rules of each county. During the 2022 Midterm elections, many FUSD Poll Chaplains were able to stay inside the polling sites, but it varies by county. Visit [www.usa.gov](http://www.usa.gov) to locate the county election office of the polling site where you will serve.**
- If I can only attend one half of the training, like the Poll Chaplain training; can I complete the Peacekeeper training in another session? **FUSD will only certify Poll Chaplains/Peacekeepers who have completed training for both segments even if training takes place during separate sessions.**
- Am I able to attend the training with a buddy and be assigned to the same polling location? **Yes. Please indicate by email to [info@skinnerleadership.org](mailto:info@skinnerleadership.org) the name, address, and email for yourself and buddy so we can ensure you are assigned to the same polling location.**