

St. Louis Language Immersion School

Volunteer and Chaperone Background Check Procedures

All SLLIS volunteers, including family members and guardians, must complete an annual background check from the Family Care Safety Registry if they have a desire to volunteer or chaperone SLLIS events. Common volunteer activities include:

- Work with students individually or in small groups under the supervision of the teacher or staff member
- Work inside the school, assisting staff with projects (PTO Officers, etc.)
- Work/organize field day activities
- Be a room parent, organize class parties
- Attend field trips work with students individually or in small groups under the supervision of the teacher or staff member

Please see the attached information for details about how to go about completing a volunteer background check. *Once you are finished with the steps outlined you will need to provide Dr. Graham, Talent Director, with your SSN and DOB so that he can pull the report.* You may reach Dr. Graham at anthony.graham@sllis.org or 314-533-0975 x2228. Once you submit the information outlined in the attached document, it usually takes the FCSR between 1-2 weeks to complete the check on their end.

If you have any questions as you go through this process, please reach out to Dr. Graham.

<u>Preferred Method: Family Care Safety Registry</u>

The benefit of this method is that you pay a one time fee and you do not have to pay in the future. You can register at the <u>link here</u> using the directions in the attached PDF. Once you are finished with the steps outlined you'll need to provide Dr. Graham, Talent Director with your SSN and DOB so that he can pull the report. You may reach Dr. Graham at anthony.graham@sllis.org or 314-533-0975 x 2228. Once you submit the



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Alternate Method: BackgroundChecks.com

Alternatively we can have you run your information through BackgroundChecks.com <u>linked here</u>. The results are back within 15 minutes and you should send the PDF report to Dr. Graham- anthony.graham@sllis.org. This would allow you to start volunteering without a delay, but the downfall is that you'd need to pay again to run a report in future years.

Register Online with the Family Care Safety Registry

The Family Care Safety Registry (FCSR) helps protect seniors, children, and the disabled by conducting background screenings on long term care workers, child care workers, and personal care workers. If you are an employee or a job applicant in one of these fields, you must register with the FCSR before background screenings can be requested. Registering with the FCSR means you will provide personal information and agree to background screenings for employment purposes as defined in <u>state law</u>. There is a one-time registration fee of \$14.00.

Submitting your registration online is faster than the mail. Instead of the cost of a stamp, a \$1.25 processing charge will be added to your fee.

To register online you will need:

- Internet access
- Your Social Security number
- Your email address

The online system works best with <u>Internet Explorer</u>.

A credit card or debit card

The web address to access the FCSR Background Screening and Employment Eligibility System (BSEES) for online registration can be found at the end of this document.



From the FCSR-BSEES homepage, click the **Registration** button to begin.

NOTE

You may be asked to supply a copy of your Social Security card

or other verification document

after the FCSR receives your

registration information.

From the submenu, click

Register Online.



Read the Welcome to Registration Information. When ready, click the tab for **Is A Person Registered** to continue.





Enter your Social Security number in the appropriate fields on the **Is A Person Registered** screen. Enter the security text/number shown on your screen. Click the **Search** button.



You should be notified that your Social Security number was not found in the database.



NOTE If you were notified that your Social Security number was found in the database, you may already be registered with the FCSR. If your Social Security number was found and you do not believe you have registered in the past, call the FCSR toll-free at 866-422-6872.

Click the **Continue** button.

Either enter an **Employer Name** (current or potential) *or* make a selection from **Select if No Employer**.



To enter an employer name, set your search criteria to either **Begins With** or **Contains**. Begin typing part of the employer name. As you type, a drop down list may appear. You may select an employer name from the drop down list *or* you can use what you've typed thus far.

Click the **Search** button.

After clicking the Search button, you should receive a list of one or more employer names from our database. If the correct employer is shown, click to checkmark the box by the employer name.



If the employer is not found in the database, or if you have another reason for registering, make the appropriate selection from the **Select if No Employer** field.

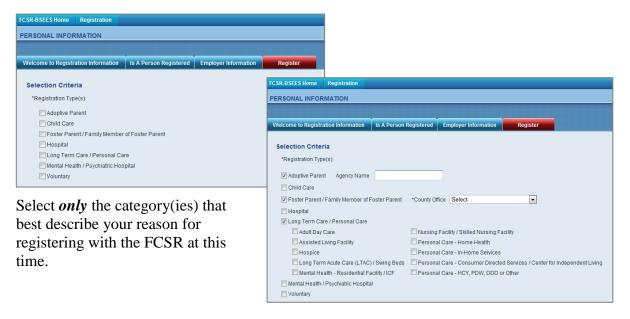
Adoptive Parent
Employer Not Listed
Foster Parent / Family Member of Foster Parent
Home Child Care Provider
Private Pay / Private Duty
Student
Volunteer
Other

After you have made a selection for either the Employer Name or the Select if No Employer field (or both if applicable), click the **Continue** button.

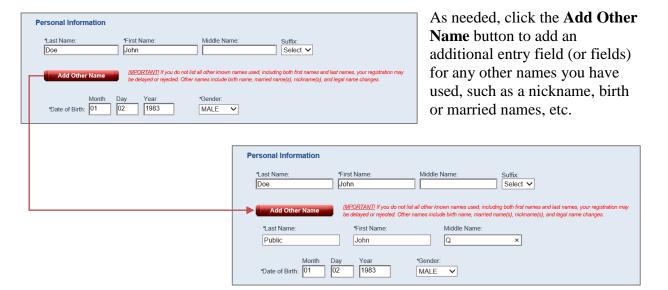
NOTE

If you are registering with the FCSR so you can be screened as an adoptive parent, please search for the adoption agency in the Employer Name field **and** choose Adoptive Parent from the Select if No Employer field.

Now enter your personal information. First, select one or more **Registration Type(s)** by clicking to checkmark the appropriate box(es). Depending on what you select, subcategories may be opened for additional selections.



Next, enter your personal information.



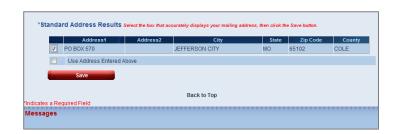
Finally, enter your contact information.



Click the **Continue** button after all required information is entered.

Click to checkmark the box by the address line that best reflects your address. You must make one selection. Select **Use Address Entered Above** if the standard address result provided does <u>not</u> reflect your mailing address.

Click the Save button.



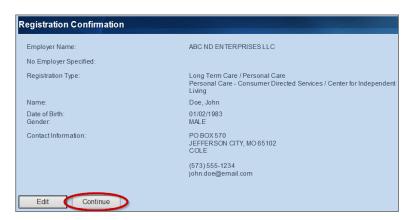
After you enter an email address, you are asked to confirm it is an email address where you can receive your personal copy of FCSR notifications. The email address should belong to you, not to your employer or another staff member.

Click **Yes** if the email address entered is one you access.

Click **No** to change the email address in your Contact Information now.



Confirm that all information entered is correct.



Click the **Edit** button if there is an error.

Click the **Continue** button if your information is entered correctly.

Carefully read the Registration Agreement.



If you agree to the statement, click the **Agree** button.

Clicking the **Exit** button will terminate your registration attempt and all information entered will be deleted.

Enter your payment information.



Click the **Continue** button after entering all required information.

Clicking the **Cancel** button will terminate your registration attempt and all information will be deleted.

Confirm the payment information was entered correctly.



Click the **Edit** button to re-enter payment information if needed.

Click the **Continue** button to finish your submission and receive a transaction confirmation.



You should receive a Transaction Successful notification. It may contain an information summary which can be printed now. Click the **Continue** button for a printer-friendly confirmation of registration submission and payment information to the FCSR.

<u>NOTE</u> If your transaction was declined or failed, you may start over and submit again.

Your printer-friendly confirmation of registration submission and payment information will open in a new window. Print the notification using the Adobe Acrobat Reader print button.



NOTE The printer-friendly confirmation requires: The free Adobe Acrobat Reader software, Version 9 or higher Pop-up blocker settings be modified to allow pop-ups from *.dhss.mo.gov

Go to https://healthapps.dhss.mo.gov/BSEES/Main.aspx to submit your FCSR registration online.

What happens next? FCSR staff will review your registration information and contact you with any questions. After the registration is processed, FCSR will complete an introductory screening and send the results attached to an <u>encrypted email</u>. Eligible employers can request your background information at no charge. You will be notified anytime your background information is provided. Keep your contact information up to date to ensure you receive these notifications. Inform the FCSR of any name changes as well as contact information changes.

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