



## Komansky Center Family Advisory Council Member Application Form

*If you have any questions, please call (212) 746-6007 and leave a message on the voice mail.*

**Required Information** *(please print clearly):*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City State Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Please indicate home, work, cell, etc.)*

We want to build a strong and diverse council. We ask that you share as much information as you would like about your family to help us reach this goal. We recognize the following questions may request private or privileged information about your family. **The following information is optional and will be kept confidential.** (We are parents, too.) We will only use it for Family Advisory Council Member application purposes.

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_ Child's age \_\_\_\_\_

Your relationship to child \_\_\_\_\_

What language does the family speak at home? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you speak more than one language? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you have other children who visit your child at the hospital? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, what are their ages? \_\_\_\_\_

Was your child born at the hospital? ☐ Yes ☐ No

How many times has your child visited the hospital? (Approximate) \_\_\_\_\_

How many years has your child been visiting the hospital?

Has your child ever been admitted to the hospital for an overnight stay ? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, approximately how many times? \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate length of stay [or longest stay] \_\_\_\_\_

Please briefly describe your child's medical story. (You may also use back of this sheet or attach a page.) \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the different departments that your child has visited at the hospital (please check all that apply).

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|-------------------------------------|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac    | <input type="checkbox"/> Neonatology                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatry             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cardiology | <input type="checkbox"/> Neurology                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Renal (Kidney related) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GI/Liver   | <input type="checkbox"/> Oncology                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Surgery                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medicine   | <input type="checkbox"/> Orthopedic                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Transplant             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Burn       | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please indicate) _____ |   |

***Should you need extra space, please feel free to add pages for any of the following questions.***

What is one of your child's **best** hospital stories? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

What is one of your child's **worst** hospital stories? \_\_\_\_\_

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If you were a council member, what changes would you make to fix this problem? \_\_\_\_\_

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Please tell us why you think parents should have a bigger role in decision-making at the hospital.

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Please tell us anything else about your family that would add to the diversity of the council (religion, race, culture, family structure, etc)

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How did you hear about us?

- ☐ Flyer or Brochure Physician    ☐ Hospital staff member    ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### **Hospital Recommendation**

We would like to ask a NYP hospital staff member to support your application. Please give us the name of a doctor, nurse, child-life specialist, social worker, or anyone else who knows you.

Name of Staff Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Please note: Council Members are considered volunteers of the hospital. If you are chosen to be a Council Member you will need a medical screening and a background check; both will be done by the hospital's Volunteer Services Department.

### **Mail application to:**

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