

Safe Gatherings Approval Package

Announcing a new, enhanced protection program as part of our ongoing best practices initiative to deliver exceptional, relevant solutions, added value and enhanced protection for all!

Online training and enhanced background screening for staff and volunteers

- **Compliant and efficient online application** - designed to take approximately five minutes *(includes required authorization and disclosure forms)*
- **Abuse Prevention Training course** (1.5-2.0 hours)
- **Background Screening**
 - **Address History & Social Security Number Validation**
 - **Seven (7) year criminal history** (official court filings, not a database) - felony / misdemeanor search at the county AND federal* levels in ALL jurisdictions within the past 7 years (based on applicant's address history)
 - **National Sex Offender Registry Check**
 - **National Criminal Database Search**
 - **Driving Record - optional** (additional fee applies, varies by state)
- **Safe Gatherings Approval for three (3) years** - *received upon completion of training course & a favorable background check*

Applicant Management System

- **Automated reminders** sent to applicants every five days prompting them to complete their training
- **Automated renewal notices** sent to applicants every three years
- Ability for church admins to **track pending, approved & expiring applicants**

FCRA Compliance

- Safe Gatherings **adheres to the policies set forth by the Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA) ensuring your organization's compliance** throughout the applicant's process.
- Our online application has all applicable **disclosures, authorizations, & notices built into the system**
- Safe Gatherings handles the **pre-adverse and adverse action process** for the church, when deemed necessary

A Partner Not a Vendor

- Safe Gatherings strives to offer **solutions NOT just services**
- **Our team is readily available to assist by email, online chat or telephone**

How much does all of this cost?

\$47 per applicant** *(plus Driving Record fee if applicable)*

No account set up fees, no subscription fees

Not yet using our program? Activate your account below

[ACCOUNT ACTIVATION](#)

*It is especially important for those serving children & youth to make sure their background screening includes a criminal records search at the federal level. Crimes that may be prosecuted at the federal level include Enticing a Minor Over the Internet and Distribution of Child Pornography. While a person convicted of such crimes would appear on the Sex Offender Registry the registry would not cover those with a pending charge.

**Safe Gatherings strives to keep our costs as low as possible, therefore, we only pass along court fees that exceed \$10

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