

## Class II Boarding Home Permit Application Criminal History Statement

Refer to section 3.1 of the Harris County Boarding Home Regulations

<https://harriscountysos.org/Documents/Services/Boarding-Home-Regulations.pdf>

According to the regulations for Boarding Homes in the unincorporated area of Harris County, Texas, the Boarding Home permit **SHALL BE DENIED** upon the finding by the Harris County Sheriff's Office Boarding Home Detail of any of the following facts:

The following histories will disqualify an owner / operator from obtaining a permit to operate a boarding home or will serve as a bar to being employed or volunteering at a boarding home facility.

- Criminal Homicide
- Kidnapping and unlawful restraint
- Continuous sexual abuse of a child or indecency with a child
- Sexual assault
- Aggravated sexual assault
- Injury to child, elderly individual, or disabled individual
- Abandoning or endangering a child
- Aiding suicide
- Agreement to abduct from custody
- Sale or purchase of a child
- Arson
- Robbery
- Aggravated robbery
- Operate a boarding home with a permit
- A conviction under the laws of another state, federal law, or the Uniform Code of Military Justice for an offense containing elements that are substantially similar to the elements of an offense listed in this subsection
- Indecent Exposure
- Improper relationship between educator and student
- Improper photography or visual recordings
- Deadly conduct
- Aggravated assault
- Terroristic threat
- Online solicitation of a minor
- Money laundering
- Medicaid fraud
- Cruelty to animals
- Burglary
- Theft which is punishable as a felony
- Forgery
- Credit card or debit card abuse

A person may not own a boarding home, be employed, or volunteer in a position the duties of which involve direct contact with a resident in a boarding home if **convicted of any level of theft or an offense punishable as a Class "A" Misdemeanor or above.**

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

**The failure of the owner / operator of the Boarding Home to conduct the background check required by this section, may result in Class “A” Misdemeanor charges under Texas Health and Safety Code 769.003(c), civil fines under these regulations, or both.**

**THE FOLLOWING MAY RESULT IN THE DENIAL OF A CLASS II BOARDING HOME PERMIT:**

- The applicant made a misleading statement in the application for a Class II Boarding Permit, provided false, fraudulent or untruthful information in the application for a Class II Boarding Home Permit and or withheld pertinent information in the application for a Class II Boarding Home Permit.
- The applicant is under eighteen (18) years of age.
- The applicant has had a Class I or Class II Boarding Home Permit revoked within the 1 year period immediately preceding the date the application was filed.
- An application or renewal fee required by these regulations has not been paid.
- The applicant has been issued fines for violations of these Regulations and has failed to pay these fines or failed to enter into a payment plan with Harris County.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, (print name) hereby submit this application with having personal knowledge of the information contained within the application. I declare under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that all information provided in any submitted documents / applications is true and correct. I also declare that I have read and understand the “Harris County Boarding Home Regulations for Unincorporated Harris County” and agree to abide by these regulations. In the event my application is denied, I also understand all payments submitted with my application are non-refundable.

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