



# VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

For Office Use Only

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Date Received:  
Date Interviewed:  
Position:

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NOTE: A full training, approximately 35 hours, which REACH Beyond Domestic Violence provides, is required of anyone volunteering/interning directly with survivors/survivor records, or providing community education for REACH. REACH provides full trainings twice a year, in the Spring and Fall. For non-direct service opportunities, a 6-hour training is required. Individuals applying to internships must complete the supplemental internship information.

*If completing this application digitally, please **bold** selections.*

## Purpose of Application (Please Check One)

- To volunteer with REACH Beyond Domestic Violence (must be able to commit to 1 year)
- To intern (must be able to commit to a minimum of 4 hrs/week for 1 academic year)

## Name

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(Last) (First)

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(Preferred Name) (Pronouns you'd like us to use- *examples: she, he, they, xe, ze, etc.* )

## Address

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(Street)

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(City) (State) (Zip)

## Phone Numbers

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(Cell) (Work) (Home)

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(Email Address) (Date of Birth)



**If you are currently employed, please complete the following:**

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(Profession)

(Employer)

**If you are currently in school, please complete the following:**

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(School)

(Major/Degree)

If you have previously applied as a volunteer/intern, please check here.

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(Date of Last Application)

### **Volunteer assignments**

Which volunteer assignments are you interested in? Please check all that apply.  
*See volunteer application packet for volunteer assignment details.*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Direct Service Volunteer (Office)       | <input type="checkbox"/> Childcare Program             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Direct Services Volunteer (Residential) | <input type="checkbox"/> Moving Crew                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> House Maintenance (Residential)         | <input type="checkbox"/> Reach for the Stars Committee |

Would you be willing to provide transportation for survivors?  Yes  No

Would you be willing to pick up donations in your area?  Yes  No

Do you have access to a car?  Yes  No

Would you be willing to help with special events?  Yes  No

*Examples: Fall Festival, Stars Gala, Holiday Gift Program*

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(Language(s) spoken fluently)



**Availability**

During what times are you available for volunteer assignments? Please check all that apply.

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| <b>Monday</b>    | <input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 am- 1:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 1:00 pm- 5:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 5:00 pm-9:00 pm |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | <input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 am- 1:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 1:00 pm- 5:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 5:00 pm-9:00 pm |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 am- 1:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 1:00 pm- 5:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 5:00 pm-9:00 pm |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | <input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 am- 1:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 1:00 pm- 5:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 5:00 pm-9:00 pm |
| <b>Friday</b>    | <input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 am- 1:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 1:00 pm- 5:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 5:00 pm-9:00 pm |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | <input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 am- 1:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 1:00 pm- 5:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 5:00 pm-9:00 pm |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | <input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 am- 1:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 1:00 pm- 5:00 pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 5:00 pm-9:00 pm |

*Please Specify Specific Times Below*

**Background**

**Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offence (felony or serious misdemeanor)? If yes, please explain below (attach additional paper if necessary).**

- Yes       No

*It is the policy of REACH Beyond Domestic Violence that every applicant shall, as part of the application process, participate in a standard CORI background check. All background check information shall be treated as confidential and maintained in the volunteer's file located in a private office.*

**Please tell us more about you. If additional space is needed, please attach answers to this application on a separate sheet.**

**1. How did you hear about REACH Beyond Domestic Violence?**

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**2. Why would you like to volunteer with REACH Beyond Domestic Violence?**

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**3. What personal/profession knowledge/skills will you bring as a volunteer?**

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**4. Why do you think domestic violence happens?**

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**5. Have you or someone you know ever done something that has been considered abusive?**

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**6. What experience have you had with crisis situations (does not have to be related to domestic violence)?**

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**7. How do you handle conflict?**

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**8. What experience have you had with working with people whose background/values are different than your own?**

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**9. Doing this work is difficult and affects everyone differently. How do you take care of yourself and how can we support you?**

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**10. Anything else you would like to share with us?**

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**Please provide two references. One of a personal nature and one from a previous employer.**

***Reference 1***

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(Name)

(Relationship)

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(Phone)

(Email)

***Reference 2***

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(Name)

(Relationship)

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(Phone)

(Email)

I realize that by filling out this application, I will be considered for, but not guaranteed, a volunteer/intern position. If appointed, I agree to volunteer for one year. During that time I agree to abide by the policies and procedures of REACH Beyond Domestic Violence and to fulfill the volunteer responsibilities to the best of my ability.

**ALL APPLICANTS, PLEASE SIGN BELOW**

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(Name)

(Date)



**For Interns Only**

***Please complete the following section only if you are interested in interning with REACH***

What are the hourly requirements of the internship?

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What are the beginning and end dates of the internship? (How many weeks total?)

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What are the school requirements of the internship? (i.e. clinical supervision, etc.)

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What specific skills and experiences are you seeking to develop through this internship? (i.e., what are your learning goals?)

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What skills and experience do you have that will contribute to this internship?

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