



VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

For Office Use Only

Date Received:

Date Interviewed:

Position:

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

(Last)

(First)

(Preferred Name)

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

Address

(Street)

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Phone Numbers

(Cell)

(Work)

(Home)

(Email Address)

(Date of Birth)

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Emergency Contact

Please provide information for who you would like us to reach out to in the event of an emergency.

(Last) (First)

(Relationship) (Phone)

If you are currently employed, please complete the following:

(Profession) (Employer)

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

(School) (Major/Degree) (Expected Year of Graduation)

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

(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.

- Internship (please complete final page)
- Online Chat (Virtual)
- Reception (Office based)
- Direct Services Volunteer (Residential)
- House Maintenance (Residential)
- Childcare Program
- Moving Crew
- Reach for the Stars Committee
- Community Outreach

- 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

(Language(s) spoken fluently)



Availability

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

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| Monday | <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 |
| Tuesday | <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 |
| Wednesday | <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 |
| Thursday | <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 |
| Friday | <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 |
| Saturday | <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 |
| Sunday | <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?

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? And what would you like to get out of your experience?

4. Why do you think domestic violence happens?

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

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

7. How do you handle conflict?



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

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

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



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

Reference 1

(Name)

(Relationship)

(Phone)

(Email)

Reference 2

(Name)

(Relationship)

(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

(Name)

(Date)



For Interns Only

Please complete the following section only if you are interested in interning with REACH. Applicants are asked to also include a current resume with their application.

What are the hourly requirements of the internship?

What are the beginning and end dates of the internship? Please also include dates of any breaks and/or holidays your school observes.

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

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

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



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