

Young People Who Care, Inc

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APPLICATION FOR VOLUNTEERS

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Permanent Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Religious Denomination: _____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:

College/University Attended: _____

Degree/Certification/Years Completed: _____

ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

1) Personal Statement: (please type) Include information about your family, your educational background, professional training and experiences, your reason to volunteer, and what you believe your gifts, talents, and limitations may be. Please indicate your preferred area of interest.

2) Volunteer Experience

3) Work Experience: Describe type of work, name and place of employment.

4) Type of Ministry you want – give qualifications and experience.

5) Length of time you desire to volunteer: _____

6) Date you are available for placement – Month/Year: _____

7) Best time to contact you for a personal interview on the phone: _____

8) Two letters of reference required. Please note reference form.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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MISSION VOLUNTEER REFERENCE FORM

Applicant's Name: _____ Date: _____

To the applicant: Please indicate below whether you waive your right of access to this form.

_____ I waive my right of access to this reference form.

_____ I ***do not*** waive my right of access to this reference form.

The above person has applied to be a Volunteer with the Anawim Community of Frenchville, PA. The Anawim Community is based in the heart of Appalachia Pennsylvania and works with the disadvantaged and poor of the area. The Community also operates an Adult and Youth Retreat Center. The members of the Community are men and women committed to a life of personal and communal prayer, who make private vows of poverty, chastity and obedience. They live a communal life of prayer, simplicity and hospitality, seeking to embrace the spirit and charism of the Beatitudes. The gifts of the volunteers, and the needs of the people served, helps to determine a person's ministry. Your assistance in completing the reference form is greatly appreciated.

1) What is your relationship with the applicant, how long have you known him/her, and in what capacity?

2) Describe this person's strengths in behavior, maturity, relationships with others, and general personality?

3) No person is without a weak point. What are some potential areas of difficulty for the applicant in the Anawim Community?

4) How well does the applicant accomplish assigned tasks (i.e. energy, persistence, initiative, resourcefulness, self-reliance, working with others)?

5) Describe the applicant's ability to make decisions and deal with work related problems.

6) What is your knowledge of the applicant working with leadership?

