

Volunteer Application

(Please fill out this application, print it, and mail it in to protect your privacy.)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Legal name:		DOB:		
Preferred Name:				
Gender: Female Male				
U.S. Citizen: Yes No	Are you aut	horized to work in the U.S.?: Yes No		
Ethnicity: (optional):				
Address:				
State: Zip Code:]	E-Mail:		
Home Phone:		Cell Phone:		
Work Phone:		FAX:		
Faith Affiliation (optional):_				
Church (optional):				
Do you own your own car?	Yes No	Are you a licensed driver? Yes No		
Do you have current auto ir	surance? Yes	No (If so, please provide copies of your current		
driver's license and insurar	ice.)			
EDUCATION				
(Please submit a hard copy	or pdf version o	of your resume, including references and transcripts for		
degrees conferred.)				
Degree:	Year	College/University		

_Year____

For how long?		
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High School_____ or GED_____

Emergency Contacts

Name:		Relationship:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	
EmailAddress:		
Name:		Relationship:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	
EmailAddress:		
Name:		Relationship:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	
EmailAddress:		

Personal information

- 1. Describe your interests and hobbies.
- 2. How did you hear about the Poor Handmaids of Jesus Christ Volunteer Program?
- 3. Describe your familiarity with the PHJCs.
- 4. Describe your life experience in a faith community.
- 5. Why are you interested in becoming a volunteer at this time?
- 6. What do you hope to gain as a volunteer?
- 7. Have you ever been a volunteer before? If so, when and where? Please describe your role(s).

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8. Do you speak another language? Yes No If so, which? ______ Limited Conversational Fluent

9. What skills and abilities do you have to offer as a volunteer?

10. Describe your involvement in community and church activities.

11. How do you see yourself as being open to the Spirit?

12. What are your hopes and concerns for community living with the Poor Handmaids of Jesus Christ? What would you like to learn by living intentional community?

13. What type of person would you find most difficult to live with? What might others find difficult about living with you?

14. What skills do you bring to the table for navigating community living?

15. How do you currently live a simple lifestyle? Are you open to learning more about living more simply?

16. In what ways would you like to challenge yourself to live simply in this time as a volunteer?

17. How do you currently show dignity and respect for all persons and creation?

18. What opportunities have you had to work with persons of different backgrounds and faith traditions (i.e., economic, social, financial, spiritual and sexually oriented backgrounds)? What would be greatest challenge?

19. How have you experienced compassion in your life? How have you shown compassion to others?

20. Are you currently seeking placement with other volunteer organizations? Yes No If so, with whom?______

Present status of application?_____

21. Please list and explain financial, family or personal obligations or situations which might impact your commitment to the PHJC Volunteer program.

22. What length of time do you wish to volunteer? 3 mos. 6 mos. 9 mos. 12 mos.

- 23. Beginning when?_____ Ending when?_____
- 24. Please attach a current photograph.
- 25. Page 7 is for a mini-autobiography to respond to the following question(s). Responses can be as long or short as you would like, but it is our intention to let these assist us in getting to know you.
- "Who are you?"
- "How do you define your personality and character?"
- "Highlight significant people and events that have shaped who you are today."
- "What is your sense of service?"
- "How has service been a part of your faith experience

Rating Scale

Please rate yourself on the following scale. Be as honest as possible, again to help us to get to know you better and find the right placement for you.

	Great Ability	Some Ability	Little Ability	No Ability	No Not Know
WORK A FULL DAY					
WALK LONG DISTANCES					
TOLERATE DIETARY CHANGES					
DISPLAY FLEXIBILITY WITH SCHEDULES/PLANNING					
ADAPT TO DIFFERENT CULTURES					
FIND HUMOR IN DIFFICULT SITUATIONS					
RELATE TO PEOPLE WHO ARE VERY POOR					
LIVE A SIMPLE LIFESTYLE					
BE A SELF-STARTER/INITIATOR					
DEMONSTRATE TIME MANAGEMENT					
ACCEPT FEEDBACK WITH A POSITIVE MANNER					
GIVE FEEDBACK WITH A POSITIVE MANNER					
WORK AS A TEAM MEMBER					
BE CULTURALLY SENSITIVE					
GET ALONG WITH OTHERS					
COLLABORATE/COOPERATE ON A PROJECT					
TOLERATE DIFFERENCES					
HANDLE DIFFICULT SITUATIONS					
WORK WITH THE GENERAL PUBLIC					
HEAR DIVERSE PERSPECTIVES					
PARTICIPATE IN GROUP ACTIVITIES					
LEAD GROUP ACTIVITIES					
SHARE FAITH/PRAY WITH GROUP					

26. Are you willing to undergo a background check? Yes No

27. Are you willing to undergo a drug test? Yes No

28. Are you willing to undergo fingerprinting? Yes No

29. List all arrests/criminal history outside the state of Indiana.

I attest that all information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. Any misrepresentation or omission of any fact in my application, resume, or any other materials, or during any interviews, can be justification for refusal of acceptance or continuation in the program. In submitting this application I understand and agree that all materials become property of the PHJC Volunteer Program and that none of the materials will be returned to me. I also understand that my resume and all references will be reviewed by the partner agency(ies) for which I am being considered. **Application process does not guarantee acceptance into the program.

Signed:____

Date:	

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