Nativity House of Illinois



http://www.nativity-house.org

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Please return this form to venusad@nativity-house.org or Nativity House, 17141 W. 143rd St., Lockport, IL 60441

Applicant Information					
Applicant Name					
☐ I waive the right to access this form.	☐ I do not waive the right to access this form.				
Signature	Date				
Reference Information					
Name	Position/Job Title				
Relationship to Applicant	·				
Address					
Email	Phone				
☐ Professional Reference	☐ Character Reference				

Letter of Reference

Please submit a reference letter, considering the tenets of the Nativity House Community. Please address each tenet and the capabilities of the applicant to contribute to the community in each area. Please submit your reference letter with your name and the applicant's name in the header of the document.

Thank you for your candid comments.

Tenets of the Nativity House Community

Nativity House of Illinois is an Intentional Catholic Community and House of Hospitality gathered around expectant mothers rooted in the tradition of Catholic Social Teaching and the Catholic Worker Farm.

Intentional Catholic Community

- Praying together
- Participating in Community Meals at least two times per week
- Demonstrating leadership to the greater community as a Christian seeking to live out the Gospel

House of Hospitality

- Honoring the dignity of each Nativity House community member as well as members of the greater community
- Serving the Nativity House Guest Mothers
- Providing a safe and nurturing environment for all members of the Nativity House Community

Catholic Worker Farm

- Living with a commitment to matters of eco-justice: recycling, composting, limiting energy consumption, etc.
- Participating in the growing of organic farm products for Nativity House community and greater community
- Reading, writing, and acting for social justice in the greater community

Skills of Applicant

Check the box that best describes how the applicant typically behaves on most days, in most situations and with most people. Be discerning; please do not give a person all 5 or all 1. More detail may be given in your written reference.

5 : Always 4 : Almost always 3 : Usually 2 : Rarely 1 : Never ? : I do not know

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Displays maturity							
Communicates clearly and effectively							
Demonstrates dependability							
Interacts well one-on-one							
Interacts well in groups							
Accepts critique							
Shows flexibility							
Healthy sense of humor							
Knows owns limits							
Able to express own needs							
Uses time effectively							
Takes initiative							

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□ Exceptional, unusually good match□ Recommended with no strong feelings	□ No reservations about match□ Some reservations about match	☐ Good match as many others☐ Should be discouraged

Signature Date