

Volunteer Reference

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Good Shepherd Confidential Reference

Name of Reference:	
Telephone:	Date:

_____ has applied to be a volunteer with Good Shepherd and has given your name as a reference.

Good Shepherd volunteers assist the vulnerable in our community. Volunteers may assist in serving: women and children fleeing violence and abuse, homeless youth, adults or families, individuals struggling with mental health issues, and individuals with life-ending illnesses.

1. How long have you known the applicant? _____
2. In what capacity have you known the applicant? _____
3. Have you found the applicant to be reliable and responsible in terms of commitment to others? Please give an example:

4. Have you found the applicant to be sensitive to the feelings of others? Please give an example:

5. If faced with a stressful situation, does the applicant generally:
become discouraged persevere avoid the situation seek assistance
6. Check the words that best describes the applicant:
friendly sense of humor thoughtful patient
caring good listener judgmental accepting
compassionate self-reliant controlling empathetic
list other qualities or skills: _____
7. To your knowledge would the applicant work well with the following:
youth 16-21 males without home females without home
children terminally ill adults with mental health challenges
serving food sorting clothes adults with physical health challenges
8. Do you know of any reason why he/she would not be suitable as a volunteer with GSC?

9. Is there any additional information which would be helpful to know in considering this volunteer for a role with Good Shepherd? _____

Please email completed form to volunteer@gsch.ca or mail to
Good Shepherd Development Office, 10 Delaware Avenue, Hamilton ON L8M 1T3.