

Reference Forms for The Summit House Discipleship Program

You will find three reference forms attached that provide us with necessary information to process your application.

Please give two forms to individuals you know well (a friend, employer, teacher, etc.).

The Pastor's Reference Form must be completed by your pastor or spiritual leader.

Please provide an addressed, stamped envelope and have the individuals mail these directly to our office:

**Envision Mission
c/o Hope in Christ Church
710 E. Sunset Bellingham, WA 98225**

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To the Applicant: Please complete the information below and provide a stamped envelope addressed to Envision Mission for the person filing the reference.

Name of the Applicant

Program Applying For

Dates: (mm/dd/yy) to (mm/dd/yy)

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Applicant's Signature

Date (mm/dd/yy)

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2. How well do you know the applicant? ☐ **Very Well** ☐ **Well** ☐ **Casually**
3. In what situations have you observed the applicant? ☐ **Home** ☐ **Work** ☐ **School** ☐ **Social** ☐ **Church**
☐ **Other**

Personal Profile -- Please check the appropriate box.

	Mature	Developing	Weak	Not Observed
Ability to Follow	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Comments:				

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13. Would you recommend the applicant for acceptance by The Summit House?

☐ **Yes** ☐ **With some Reservation** ☐ **No (please explain)**

14. Has the applicant proven on any occasion to be unreliable, dishonest or of questionable character?

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I have known _____ for ____ years and believe that he/she possesses the qualities indicated above.

Applicant Name

Signed

Date (mm/dd/yy)

Name

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