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**VOLUNTEER APPLICATION**

L'Arche Heartland, Inc.  
P.O. Box 40493  
Overland Park, KS 66204  
913-341-2265

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**Personal Contact Info.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_ Home #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact Info.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

**References**

Please provide two references (non-family members).

1) Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

2) Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Dietary Restrictions/Preferences**

Please list any allergens (including food) and/or dietary preferences we need to be aware of.

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### Special Accommodations

Please list any special accommodations (e.g., ramp for wheelchair access) that are necessary for you.

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### Education and Training

Please list your education (high school, college) and any relevant trainings, beginning with most recent.

From (Month/Year) – To (Month/Year)	School & Location	Diploma/Degree Awarded

### Skills and Hobbies

Please list any personal skills and hobbies you would like to share with our community (e.g., musical talent, bilingual, arts & crafts, cooking, baking, etc.).

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### Employment and Volunteer Information

Please list any relevant job and volunteer history, beginning with most recent. Attach an extra sheet if necessary.

**Position/Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

From (Month/Year)	Employer	Job Duties
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**Please answer the following questions:**

1. Where did you hear about L'Arche?

2. Have you ever volunteered in another L'Arche community? If so, where and when?

3. Please give your motivation for becoming a volunteer and your expectations of that role.

4. L'Arche Heartland is a member of L'Arche International. We are a faith-based Christian community. What is your attitude about and expectations of this aspect of L'Arche?

5. What experiences have you had with people with developmental disabilities?

### Availability & Interests

Please fill out one (or both) of the following sections to indicate what type of volunteer experience you are interested in.

#### **Volunteer on a regular basis**

How often can you volunteer?

- More than once/week
- Once per week
- Once every other week
- Once per month

What day of the week and time of day would you like to volunteer?

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Please select which option interests you the most.

- information on joining the L'Arche Heartland Board of Directors
- assist with activities at the Academy (M-F daytime hours)
- spending the time at the house forming relationships and assisting with meal preparation and house activities
- spending one-on-one time with core members on a community activity
- assisting with cooking and leading a community meal (either prayer night or community night)

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**One-time volunteer**

Please give the date you are available to come: \_\_\_\_\_

Please select the type of project/event you would like to volunteer for.

- painting at a house
- yard work at a house
- sharing a skill or hobby with the Academy (M-F daytime hours)
- assist planning and implementing a weekend activity
- other, please indicate: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a professional skill you would like to offer for a special project? (eg. maintenance at a house, publishing, web design, event planning, etc.)