

## Personal Reference

Applicant name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Interviewed by: \_\_\_\_\_

Personal Reference Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Personal Reference Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Your name has been given to us as a reference for \_\_\_\_\_  
(mentor), who has applied to be a mentor in our program. I would like to ask you some questions about him/her and your responses will be held in absolute confidence; it will not be shared or accessible to him/her.

1. How long, and in what capacity, have you known the applicant?
2. How does the applicant relate to people in general?
3. How would you describe the applicant?
4. Do you feel that the applicant would be a good mentor and role model to a child?
5. Do you think that the applicant relates well to children and young people?
6. Does the applicant usually keep his/her commitments?
7. Is he/she on time for appointments and events?
8. To your knowledge, has the applicant ever been convicted of a crime?
9. Do you know of any problems or issues that would affect the applicant's ability to work with a child?
10. Would you feel comfortable allowing the applicant to spend time alone with your child?
11. Do you have any additional comments about the applicant?
12. Have you ever thought about mentoring? If, so can I send you some information?