

## Safe and Supported Host Home Program Host Application

Thanks for your interest in becoming a host!

### Host Information

All adults (over the age of 25) living in the home will be considered hosts. Information for these individuals should be included below.

	Host 1	Host 2	Host 3
Name			
Date of Birth			
Gender Identity			
Sexual Orientation			
Phone Number			
Email			
Current Employer			

To be eligible as a host for the Host Home Program, individuals must meet the following requirements:

- Be at least 25 years old at time of application.
- Have a vacant, private, clean and sanitary space for a young adult to reside in.
- Have the means and capability to provide a client with shelter and food for a period of up to one year without the need of assistance.
- All individuals in applying household have a commitment to be affirming to all LGBTQ individuals and be willing to provide care to clients in a way that demonstrates cultural competency of any and all client identities.
- Have and maintain homeowner's or renter's insurance for the entire period of the program.
- Have lived in the Greater Cincinnati area for at least a period of one year prior to application to the program.
- All individuals in the applying household have no outstanding warrants for arrest or any history of any offense against a minor.
- All individuals in the applying household over the age of 18 undergo a local and national criminal check, and submit fingerprints to the Bureau of Criminal Identification & Investigation.
- Be willing and able to abide by all of the program policies set forth in this document as well as any other applicable Lighthouse Youth Services agency policies.
- Be able to maintain contact with Host Home Outreach Manager without the assistance of interpretation.

Do all hosts meet the eligibility requirements stated above?

### Additional Household Members

Please list all individuals currently residing at the host home.

	Individual 1	Individual 2	Individual 3	Individual 4
Name				
Date of Birth				
Relationship to Host(s)				



## Home Information

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Insurance Company:

Policy Number:

Do you have pets?: If so, how many/breed:

Do you own or rent?:

Has anyone in the home been charged and convicted of an offense against a minor or violent crime?

Has anyone in the home ever abused, neglected, or molested a child?

Does anyone in the home smoke?

Is alcohol consumed in the home?

Does anyone in the home use illegal drugs?

What religious or faith traditions are practiced in the home?

Is there anything about the home we should know when considering this application? This may include access challenges, dietary limitations, or other lifestyle considerations.

Why are you interested in being a host home?

What type of relationship are you expecting to build with the young adult in the program?

What strengths would you bring to your mentoring of a young adult?

Please list three references and contact information:

Letter to a Young Adult



Please write a one page open letter to a young adult that may be placed in your program. This letter should address yourself, your family, why you became a host, and your hopes for the young adult.

