



Child Life Practicum Reference Form

Please **type** to complete the form below to be used as a reference for a student applying for a child life practicum at INTEGRIS Children's. The practicum is a 12 week long clinical experience designed to give the student exposure to the hospital setting, role of child life and to gain experience in developing play and engaging with children in the hospital setting, in preparation for obtaining a child life internship. We appreciate your honest and open feedback to help us choose the best candidates for our program. This reference form should be submitted **from an institutional/organizational email address and DIRECTLY from the recommender to ChildLifePracticum@integrisok.com** .

I am submitting a reference for

Applicant Name: _____

Name of Recommender: _____

Institution/Organization Name: _____

How long have you known the applicant: _____ In what context did you observe/interact with this applicant? _____

- Child Life Volunteer Supervisor
- Employer/Supervisor/Manager/Director
- Instructor/Professor
- School Advisor
- Other: (please specify) _____

What are three strengths of this applicant that will help him or her to be a successful practicum student?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

What are three areas of growth for this applicant?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Would you recommend this applicant as a child life practicum student?

- Yes, highly and without hesitation
- Yes, somewhat
- No, would not recommend

Please list any feedback you have below as to why you would or would not recommend this student:



Please provide us with your honest rating based on your observations of and interactions with the student.

Skill/Trait Observed	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Not observed
Child Development Knowledge				
Interactions with Children				
Interactions with Families				
Professional Boundaries				
Verbal Communication Skills				
Written Communication Skills				
Problem Solving				
Initiative				
Flexibility				
Motivation to Learn				
Ability to take direction				
Ability to accept and apply feedback				
Effective Prioritization and ability to multitask				

Anything else you would like us to know about this applicant:

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If you have any questions or major concerns about completing this reference form, you can contact Laura Linville, CCLS at

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