

Reference Form - Pastor / Church leader

TO THE APPLICANT: Print out this form. Complete the information below and provide a stamped envelope addressed to the The Registrar, JEM Chatel, 1186 Essertines-sur-Rolle, Switzerland for the person completing your reference.

Name of Applicant: _____

Dates (dd/mm/yy) incl. outreach: _____ until _____

Course applying for: _____

I, the above named applicant, waive any right I have to read or obtain copies of this reference form, knowing that this waiver is not required as a condition for admission.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

TO THE Church leader: The above applicant has applied to Youth With A Mission (YWAM) Training in Switzerland, which is part of YWAM International. YWAM is a mission-oriented interdenominational Christian missionary organisation. YWAM, founded in 1960, now has centres in over 350 locations in all 6 continents. Its purposes include training, challenging and channelling Christians to fulfil Christ's command: "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations." Serious consideration will be given to your comments; therefore we ask that you complete this form carefully.

Thank you for your assistance.

Please tick the following and comment where necessary.

How well do you know the applicant: Very Well Well Casually

	Excellent.	Above average.	Average.	Below Average.	Very Poor.
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Initiative:	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Respect for Authority:	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Ability to get along with others:	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Willingness to follow:	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Leadership ability:	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Judgement and decision making ability:	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Emotional stability:	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Personal appearance:	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Health:	<input type="checkbox"/>				

COMMENTS: _____

Mental ability:	<input type="checkbox"/> Quick to comprehend	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Slow
Ability to work:	<input type="checkbox"/> Hard worker	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Lacks pesistence
Reliability:	<input type="checkbox"/> Meets obligations	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Neglects obligtns.
Cooperation:	<input type="checkbox"/> Works well with others	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Experiences difficulty
Flexibility:	<input type="checkbox"/> Open to change	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Unyeilding
Character:	<input type="checkbox"/> Well balanced	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Unstable
Positive attitude:	<input type="checkbox"/> Cheerful	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Passive
Punctuality:	<input type="checkbox"/> Punctual	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Often late
Financial responsibility:	<input type="checkbox"/> Honours obligations	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Neglectful

COMMENTS: _____

1. To what extent is the applicant actively contributing to church work?

2. In your consideration, which of the following would best describe the applicants Christian experiance?

Mature Genuine and Growing Over-emotional Superficial (comment)

3.How does the applicant usually react in trying situations?

Withdraws Gets discouraged Gets angry Meets constructively
 Accepts patiently Other (explain)_____

4. Overall, what do you consider to be the applicant's strengths?_____

5. Please comment on the applicant's family background (if known)._____

6. In your opinion, what are the applicant's motives for applying to YWAM Training?

7. Has the applicant proven on any occasion to be unreliable, dishonest or of questionable character? No Yes (please explain)_____

8. Please add any other relevant remarks concerning medical, psychological, drug/alcohol use or other areas of their life we should know about for us to be of service to them? _____

9. Do you see the applicant as having potential for missionary services with YWAM?

Yes With some reservation (explain) No (explain)____

10. Is your congregation aware that this person has applied to do a course with YWAM Training? Yes No

11. As a pastor, if you feel it is right for the applicant to participate in this training programme, would you offer any pastoral counsel to us in helping him/her adjust to a foreign country and a new situation?_____

12. Is your congregation supporting this applicant during this course:

Prayerfully Financially Other_____

13. I have know the applicant for _____ years _____ months.

Name:_____

Signed:_____ **Date:**_____

Position:_____

Address:_____

Phone: _____ **Fax:** _____

E-mail: _____

YWAM Training admits students of all races, colour, national and ethnic origin to the rights, priviledges, programmes and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the course.