

Ministry Residency Program at Denver Seminary

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY: Woman's Resident House Manager

LOCATION: A Future and a Hope

About: *A Future and A Hope is re-entry housing for women who have been in prison. They are under the supervision of parole, the resident manager, and the housing director.*

This housing is a duplex located in a quiet, respectable neighborhood in the vicinity of Littleton Blvd and Windermere St in Littleton, and can house up to eight clients. The interior was recently renovated with new carpet and paint, is comfortably furnished, and has a nicely landscaped yard with a deck. It is located near the downtown business district, and Arapahoe Community College, as well as, the light rail and bus line.

"As a ministry, we reach out to both the lost and the saved. We believe in the transforming power of Christ, and that every heart can find redemption."

TUITION CONSIDERATION: \$5,000 per year in Tuition Paid
 10% tuition discount
 Taxable Living Stipend: NO
 Includes reduced housing: \$400 per month

ESTIMATED TIME COMMITMENT: 5 hours or less per week
 Resident is required to live on site and expected to be present most nights from around 10pm-6am.

 Some weeks will require additional time developing relationships and being available when clients need support.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

The resident manager will have a private bedroom with reduced rent and free utilities included. She will be onsite preferably during the hours of 10:00 pm - 6:00 am with time off occasionally, if requested. Part-time or full-time outside employment is acceptable.

We have set a standard to provide a clean environment in the sense of good housekeeping, as well as, it being free of drugs and alcohol. We strive to provide a safe haven for those that are serious about making positive changes in their lives. We screen every client through the Department of Corrections.

The resident manager will be expected to interact with the clients, while setting a good example of what the role and life of a believer is to be, and encourage them to get into fellowship with one another, become part of a support system, and learn to live in community in an amicable manner, as they prepare to return to society.

She will meet and welcome new clients when they move-in, explain the paperwork to them and require them to sign it.

The resident manager will be knowledgeable in the area of the house rules, and willing and able to enforce them. She will address any issues concerning non-compliance of the house rules, and report them to the housing director.

The resident manager will assist in the planning and leadership of some events on occasion, such as Bible study or Celebrate Recovery, and encourage the clients' participation. She will conduct a housekeeping inspection of each bedroom, and unit on a weekly basis to ensure that the clients are taking the responsibility to maintain cleanliness and neatness.

EXPECTATIONS:

We are looking for a woman of faith with an interest in prison ministry that has mentoring skills and a heart of compassion for women that have struggled with abuse, addiction and incarceration. This position will offer a good opportunity to make a difference in the lives of women that are seeking restoration and healing.

TO APPLY: Please send resume to:

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DEFINITION OF THE MINISTRY RESIDENCY PROGRAM:

By Definition the Residency Program is an Internship and contains the following:

1. *Similar ministry training as that available in and through schooling for future clergy;*
2. *This training is for the benefit of the trainee;*
3. *Resident is not a replacement for a regular employee, but works under close observation;*
4. *This program is considered to be of greater value to the trainee than to the employer;*
5. *Trainees are not necessarily entitled to a job at the completion of the program;*
6. *Employer and trainee understand that trainees are not entitled to wages for the time spent in training.*