

Open Table Volunteer Member Application

When the righteous prosper, the city rejoices – Proverbs 11:10

Open Table Commitment		
Heart:	 Come and serve with a servant's heart, "to serve him with all your heart and all your soul." Joshua 22:5 "Faithfully administering God's grace." 1 Peter 4:11 Don't try to predetermine what your role/value will be on a table - it will likely be quite different than what you might think it will be. 	
Time:	Pre-Launch Training - 4-6 hours Breaking of the Bread: 2-3 hours Life Story: 2 hours Life Plan: 2.5 hours After Launch Weekly Meetings: 1 hour Weekly Projects: average 1 hour per week Communication: using collaborative website Pray for table needs	
Time Span:	 Weekly meetings 6 months to 12 months Each table will reevaluate and move possibly to every other week after 6-8 months 	
Financial	 Reach and Table Members both fund the project Individual Table Member Payment: \$120.00 Your application and table member payment will be submitted by the Reach Mission Leaders/ Open Table Coordinators 	

Contact Information	
Name	
Street Address	
City ST ZIP Code	
Home Phone	
Cell Phone	
E-Mail Address	
Church Home	
Person to Contact in Case of an Emergency	
Name	
Home Phone	
Work Phone	
E-Mail Address	

Reason for Volunteering		
Please explain why you feel led to serve on a Table?		
Special Skills or Qualifications		
Summarize special skills and qualifications you have acquired from employment, previous volunteer work, or through other activities, including hobbies or sports.		
Previous Volunteer Experience		
Summarize your previous volunteer experience.		

Agreement and Signature

The individuals on the tables with whom you will be working deserve the respect and dignity of having their person affairs kept confidential. As you spend time with table members, a bond of trust develops and things of a personal nature will be discussed. You are not to disclose any information to those not directly involved with Reach, Open Table, Inc. or other table members.

However, if you are alerted to any situation that endangers the health, safety, or welfare of any individual, you are obligated to report such dangers to Reach staff.

By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I understand and agree with the requirement to maintain confidentiality of Table members and agree to perform my volunteer responsibilities in compliance.

Reach of Washington County reserves the right to determine which applications to accept.

Name (printed)	
Signature	
Date	

Next Steps

Thank you for completing this Open Table application and for your interest in volunteering with Reach of Washington County to serve those in need in our community. Please mail this application and a check for \$120 to Carrol Lourie or Bill Pike who are the Reach of Washington County Mission Leaders for Open Table. Please make checks payable to Reach of Washington County. Reach will submit one payment with the table member roster to The Open Table when we have gathered the required number of applications. The application and check should be mailed to Reach of Washington County, 140 West Franklin Street, Hagerstown, MD 21740. Please mark it attention to Carrol Lourie or Bill Pike.

Once 10-12 people interested in serving in the Reach of Washington County Open Table program have turned in the application and payment an organizing meeting will be set up. Bill or Carrol will contact you with the meeting details.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the Reach Mission Leaders: Carrol Lourie 240 818-7555
Bill Pike 240 625-2074

Please visit The Open Table website for additional information. www.theopentable.org