The person who asked you to complete this form is applying for a counselor position at Camp LIFE. The applicant will be responsible for the 24-hour personal care of a child with a special need. They will be working closely with others in a residential camping environment to assist children in building leadership, developing independence, making friends, and experiencing activities they may not have the opportunity to have outside of camp. Please keep this in mind when filling out this reference form. All references will be kept in strict confidence and will not be shown to the applicant. Thank you for taking the time to be a reference!

If you have any questions, please call Amy Sharp at 979-845-4612. When you have completed this reference, please mail it to: Family Support Network, Dr. Amy Sharp, 4225 TAMU, College Station, Texas 77843-4225.

Applicant’s Full Name ________________________________________________________________

Your Full Name ________________________________________________________________

How long have you known the applicant? _____________________________________________

What is your relationship to the applicant? ____________________________________________

Have you seen him/her directly care for children? ☐ Yes  ☐ No

Have you seen him/her directly care for children with special needs?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No

Would you hire this applicant to work with children who have special needs? Why or why not? ________________________________________________________________

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What strengths does this applicant have that would benefit them as a counselor? ________________________________________________________________

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Please describe areas of growth for this applicant. _____________________________________________

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Please use this space for additional things we should know about the applicant (reliability, maturity, overall opinion, etc). ________________________________________________________________

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Signature ________________________________________________________________ Date _________________________