

Childcare Reference

All references must be translated into English on this form.
 Please photocopy this form and ask each childcare referee/teacher to fill in separate forms.

Name of applicant:			
Are you related to the applicant?		Yes	No
How long have you known the applicant?			
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How long have you employed the applicant as a child care helper?			
When did the applicant last care for your children?			
How often does/did the applicant care for your children?			
Please give a full account of the applicant's duties: ⇒			
Has the applicant lived with your family?			
Please list the age of the children: ⇒			
Describe any special skills and abilities the applicant showed: ⇒			
To the best of your knowledge, has the applicant ever been convicted of or charged with a criminal offence?		Yes	No
If yes, give details:	⇒		
Has the applicant any health or family problems?		Yes	No
If yes, give details:	⇒		
Please give your opinion of the applicant's ability to handle new situations, stress, culture shock etc. ⇒			
Please rate the applicant's qualities in the following areas: (1 = poor, 2 = below average, 3 = satisfactory, 4 = good, 5 = excellent)			
Love of children		Understanding children's needs	
Responsibility / maturity		Warmth / compassion	
Ability to carry out instructions			
Would you recommend the applicant for placement as an au pair in England? Please give your reasons in as much detail as possible: ⇒			

Name of referee (please print):			
Address:			
Daytime phone:		Evening phone:	

Swedish Connection and/or the Family will telephone you to discuss this reference.			
Do you speak English?		Yes	No
Best time to call:		⇒	

Profession:		Signature:	
Date:			

PLEASE RETURN TO THE APPLICANT ONCE COMPLETED