

MNÁ FEASA VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FORM

Before you fill in this form please be aware that to become a volunteer you must be at least **25 years** of age with fluent English.

All applicants whose first language is not English must have attained International English Language Testing System (IELTS) Level 6 or and A/B/C pass on the First Certificate Examination and must submit a copy of the examination certification.

The selection procedure for those wishing to volunteer on the Helpline includes:

- *Applications must be on the application form – CV's will not be considered.*
- *Receipt of application form will be acknowledged.*
- *Shortlisting of candidates may apply.*
- *Individual Interviews will take place.*

Please complete and return to: Mná Feasa, Ionad na nDaoine, The Gate Lodge,
St Marys Campus, Gurrabraher, Cork or email to
mnafeasa@eircom.net

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number(s) _____

Email: _____

1. Where did you hear of Mná Feasa?

2. Why do you want to become a volunteer with Mna Feasa?

3. Are you involved in voluntary work with any other group?
If so, which groups?

4. What qualities do you feel you can offer Mná Feasa?

5. How would you define violence against women?

6. Why do you think men abuse women?

Comment briefly on the following statements:-

- (a) If a woman is being beaten by her husband/partner she must have provoked it.

- (b) You shouldn't interfere in the domestic affairs of a family.

- (c) It mustn't be that bad if the woman stays.

- (d) Alcohol causes physical abuse.

8. Do you think that you would need support in your work as a volunteer for Mhá Feasa and if so what kind of support would you need?

9. Helpline hours at present are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday to Friday.

(a) Will you be able to work a minimum of a two-hour shift per week?

(b) Will you be able to attend monthly evening supervision sessions (2 hours)

11. Are you able to attend a training session, which consists of a full day a week for two weeks (10 a.m. – 4 p.m.)?

12. Would you be able to give a commitment of a least one year to the project?

13. Any questions or comments?

Signed _____

Date _____

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