

LAIP Institution Preference Sheet

Name: _____

The students who are accepted into the LAIP project each year are organized in three “institution groups.” Each institution group will be responsible for assisting inmates at five or six state correctional institutions. So that we can make sensible decisions about assigning LAIP students to specific institution groups, we ask you to complete and submit this “LAIP Preference Sheet” at the spring meeting. We are not asking that you suggest specific institutions where you want to work. Rather, we ask you to address a series of questions designed to indicate your interests, skills, and limitations. If a question does not apply to you, just say so on this form. We’re always happy to have students who can be flexible about placement.

1. Do you have any particular interests we should be aware of? (e.g. you would like to work with particular inmate populations such as younger inmates, mentally ill inmates, female inmates; you are particularly interested in pre-release issues or care of geriatric inmates, etc.).

2. Do you have any particular knowledge or skills we should be aware of? (e.g. fluency in foreign language-Spanish and Hmong are both helpful; particular background such as social work; knowledge of a particular area such as veterans’ affairs).

3. Do you have any particular limitations we should be aware of? (e.g. possible conflict of interest due to friend or relative who is a staff member/inmate of a particular institution; driving limitations; geographical limitations such as living in Milwaukee).

4. Anything else you would like us to be aware of?