

Universal Au Pairs

Au Pair Childcare Reference Check-sheet

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Telephone number of referee	Occupation
Date & time of reference check	
Referees ability to speak English: Basic Good Excellent	
Would referee be happy to speak in English to potential host families to verify this reference? Yes No	
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How do you know the au pair?	
How many children do you have?	How old are the children?
How many children did the au pair look after at any one time?	
What duties/activities did the au pair carry out with the children?	
In what areas of child care was the au pair strongest?	
In what areas of child care was the au pair weakest?	
Was the au pair asked to carry out any housework tasks?	
Was the au pair required to drive the children in a car?	
Did the au pair have sole charge of the children at any time without adult supervision?	
Was the au pair asked to prepare any food for the children?	
Was the au pair reliable?	
Was the au pair honest?	
Was the au pair a good time keeper?	
Was the au pair able to form a good relationship with the children?	
Was the au pair clean and presentable?	
Was the au pair responsible?	
Was the au pair trustworthy?	
Was the au pair able to follow clear instructions?	
Would do you recommend this au pair to be suitable as an au pair?	
Interviewers comments:	

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