

# Opal Services Openings

## Finland - Rosemount - one opening for a female resident

Finland is a four-bedroom, ranch style home located in Rosemount. The home serves adults with intellectual/developmental disabilities. The women who live there range in age from 55 to 65. There is day staffing as some of the women attend day program while others have chosen to stay home. They all have a mild to moderate intellectual disabilities, mild mental health diagnoses and aging related medical concerns. They are pleasant, low-key women who like to be active in the community and in their home. At home they enjoy completing puzzles and participating in craft activities. Finland staff assist the service recipients with daily cares, medical appointments, managing health concerns, medication administration, maintaining the household, and engaging in recreation and leisure activities.

Finland is a very modern home and is located in a very nice, quiet neighborhood. There are three bedrooms located upstairs which includes the available room. There is a front family room, living room, dining room, kitchen and bathroom upstairs. The living room has a sliding glass door that leads to the back patio in the fenced backyard. There is another family area in the basement, one bedroom, staff office, bathroom, and the laundry room. Finland is located close to many shopping sites, restaurants, and banks. If you like to shop, this is the place to be! Lastly, there are many parks that the individuals at Finland visit frequently, one which is within walking distance.

There is double staff during most peak hours of the afternoon and evening. There is also sleep staff overnight.

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## Gilbert - South St. Paul - two openings for a male resident

Gilbert is home to adult men with intellectual disabilities and mental health issues. The men currently at Gilbert range in age from 44 to 79. Gilbert service recipients enjoy going out into the community on shopping outings, restaurant visits, movie theaters, or visiting with family and friends. All three residents attend a day program, though they may not attend on a recognized basis.

The home is located in a very quiet residential area of South St. Paul. In addition, Gilbert is also equipped with a house van that staff use when they go on outings with Service Recipients and for medical appointments. The home is located within two to three miles of Robert Street. This street has many opportunities for various restaurants and retail stores for shopping. Gilbert is a rambler-style home with three bedrooms on the main level. Current service recipients exhibit mild to moderate maladaptive behaviors on a regular basis. Staffing is co-ed. Gilbert is asleep overnight staffing.

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## **Hurley - West St. Paul - one opening for a male resident**

Hurley serves individuals with a mental health diagnosis. In addition, Hurley is certified as a Mental Health home. A mental health specialist from Opal visits the home weekly to meet with the men that live there and see if they are interested in sharing personal concerns, or maybe play a game of cards. Hurley service recipients enjoy going out into the community on shopping outings, restaurant visits, movie theaters or visiting with family and friends. They also help with yard work, gardening, and grilling during the warmer months.

Hurley is a one level home with a basement. The home's main floor contains a common living room, bathroom, kitchen and three bedrooms. Just off the kitchen, a stairway leads down to the finished basement. On this level, there is a laundry room, bedroom, furnace room, office, and recreation room. The recreation area has a pool table. There is a wood-burning fireplace in the recreation room. This wood-burning fireplace is not in use. Hurley also has a three-season porch that is located between the kitchen and the attached garage. Located off the back of the screen porch is a patio area where the grill is located. There is a gradual cement ramp from the street to the front door. The home is located within a mile of Robert Street and near the bus line. This street has many opportunities for various restaurants and retail stores for shopping, as well as employment opportunities.

The home is staffed 24/7, sometimes with double-staff on evenings during the week (Monday through Thursday) and on weekends Hurley has asleep overnights.

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## **Slater - Eagan - one opening for a female resident**

Slater has a Mental Health Certification and serves adult women living with mental health diagnoses, as well as other disabilities. The current age range is 55-60, but new service recipients could be outside of that age range. Many women have successfully used Slater to stabilize their mental health and develop independent living skills so they could move to more independent settings. A goal for the women living at Slater is to become an integrated part of their community, which includes competitive employment, day programs, day treatment, volunteering, and an active social life which often includes friends and family.

This house is a split-level home with two bedrooms up and two bedrooms down. There is one bathroom on each level. The house has a deck off the kitchen, where the service recipients often sit when the weather is nice. Slater is centrally located in Eagan. The home is located minutes away from various stores, banks and restaurants. There is a city bus stop within walking distance from the home. Metro Mobility is also used for transportation by the service recipients at Slater. The house is staffed 24/7 and is double-staffed evening hours and some weekend hours. The overnight staff has sleep hours from 11pm-6am.

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### Southview - South St. Paul - two openings for a male resident

Southview is located in close proximity to much of the South St. Paul and West St. Paul communities and has easy access to bus lines for people who can utilize this service. Staff at Southview assist with meal preparation, community integration, medication management, medical appointments, personal cares, and general housekeeping tasks. The house is staffed 24 hours a day. Overnight staff sleep on site for emergency response. Southview staff are familiar with mental health diagnoses and a mental health specialist from Opal visits the home regularly for face-to-face check-ins, should the men be interested in these services. Individuals living at Southview like to stay busy either by working, attending supported employment programs, day programs, or engaging in daily community outings with staff OR independently, as their personalized programming allows.

The house is a split-level, with living room, dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms and a bathroom upstairs. Downstairs there is a second living area, two bedrooms, a bathroom, and the laundry room. There is a large, well-kept back yard at the home with patio furniture, should any service recipients enjoy spending time outdoors.

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### Spruce - South St. Paul - one opening for a female resident

The women at Spruce range in age from 55 to 78. Two of the individuals attend a day program while the third is home during the day. All of women have an intellectual disability diagnosis in the moderate to mild range. They use a variety of community resources on a weekly basis, and all have personal leisure pursuits which they engage in daily. They frequently utilize the business off of Robert Street. They also like to hang out in the dining room playing games, listening to music, or working on craft projects. Spruce staff assist the service recipients with daily cares, medical appointments, managing health concerns, medication administration, maintaining the household, and engaging in recreation and leisure activities.

Spruce is a one level home, with basement, located in an established residential area of South St. Paul, south of 494. There is a detached garage facing the alley behind the house. The main level of the home contains all four service recipient bedrooms, two bathrooms, kitchen, dining room, living room and staff office. The laundry facilities are located in the basement. Spruce has staff on during the day and two staff on in the afternoons/evenings and on weekends for most of the day. Spruce has asleep overnight staffing.

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