

Opal Services Openings

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Cimarron - Rosemount- one opening for a male resident

Cimarron is a home for men with mild to moderate intellectual disabilities and mental health issues. The current age range is 30 to 51. It is an active household with lots of social interaction.

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. Cimarron is located on a quiet cul-de-sac in Rosemount. The home is located minutes away from various stores, gas stations and restaurants. The house is double-staffed some evening and weekend hours. The overnight staff has sleep hours from 11pm-6am.

The men like to play games together, watch movies, attend art, sewing and cooking classes, take walks, have family-style meals and celebrate special occasions together. It is a home for sports enthusiasts as well as creative individuals who enjoy the arts. There are minimal target symptoms displayed at this home since those with mental health issues are stable. Common goals for the men currently living at Cimarron include travel and spending time with their families.

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Finch - Rosemount- four openings for female residents

Finch serves women living with various mental health diagnoses and has a mental health certification with staff trained specifically in managing behaviors resulting from mental health symptoms. A mental health specialist from Opal visits the home weekly to meet with the women if they are interested in sharing personal concerns, successes, or simply just to catch up. The current age range for Finch is from 20's to 40's. Finch encourages and supports each woman to become active in the community while exploring resources available to them, so they may increase their independence to someday move into a more independent setting. Many service recipients have chosen to work, attend a supported employment program or day treatment program while living at Finch. Finch staff assist with finding and navigating

transportation services like the transit line or scheduling taxi rides, learning home maintenance tasks such as cooking, cleaning, laundry and other various skills like financial budgeting, medication management, medical appointment organization, and grocery shopping.

Finch is in Rosemount, though it borders very closely with Apple Valley and Lakeville. Finch is minutes away from the Apple Valley transit station and a short distance from the Apple Valley shopping/dining area. The home is a split-level with two bedrooms upstairs and two downstairs. Finch is staffed 24/7 with some evenings and weekends having double staff. Finch also has asleep overnight staff.

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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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Glenview - Burnsville - one opening for a male or female resident

Glenview is a newly renovated, rambler style home, with three bedrooms on the upper level, one on the lower level. There are two full bathrooms in the home, one on each level, that are not handicap accessible. It is in a quiet neighborhood and is located on a low traffic street. There is a ramp in the garage for walker or wheelchair access. Glenview has asleep overnights. Glenview offers a spacious fenced enclosed backyard with a patio for outdoor enjoyment. Glenview staffing is structured to be double staffed with four service recipients in the home and has one sleep overnight staff. Glenview is within fifteen minutes of many stores, a theater, restaurants, and parks. Service recipients have the opportunity to attend day programs and organized social events.

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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 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 screened 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.

For more information on Hurley please contact Kevin Johnson at 651-842-9013 or kjohnson@opalservicesmn.com

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

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Vista View - Burnsville - two openings for a male resident

Vista View is a beautiful four-bedroom home located in Burnsville with three bedrooms on the main level and one bedroom in the basement level. Vista View is located just minutes away from Vista View Park and less than ten minutes away from County Road 42 where there are tons of shopping venues and dining attractions.

The age range for the men at Vista View is from 57 to 78. The men currently attend day programs (for recreation and leisure) or have employment services provided by another agency. Staff at this home typically support service recipients with maintaining skills in areas of personal cares and physical support with tasks related to maintaining the household (cleaning, cooking, laundry, etc.). Vista View staff also provide support with recreation and leisure activities within the home and in the community, medical appointments, monitoring and addressing health issues/concerns and medication management.

Vista View is staffed around the clock apart from Mondays and Wednesdays, to accommodate the service recipient's day program schedules. Vista View overnights are staffed with sleep staff.

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