

Opal Services Openings

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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, and one on the lower level. There are two full bathrooms in the home, one on each level, that are not handicapped-accessible. It is in a quiet neighborhood on a low traffic street. There is a ramp in the garage for walker or wheelchair access. Glenview has asleep overnights. Glenview offers a spaciouly fenced 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 staff for sleep overnight. Glenview is within fifteen minutes of many stores, a theater, restaurants, and parks. Service recipients can attend day programs and organized social events.

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Nicollet - Burnsville- Opening for female resident

Nicollet is a three-bedroom, two-bathroom home, located on a residential corner lot and Nicollet Avenue, next to an elementary school, and just a few miles from many restaurants, stores, and parks. Entry is on the main level via a cement ramp, enclosed by a small, gated fence that leads to the front door of the home. Three of the service recipient bedrooms are located on the main level of the home, while one bedroom is accessible by stairway to the lower level of the home. The lower level includes a laundry room, bathroom, bedroom, and living room, allowing walk-out access to the backyard. The upstairs bathroom is tiled and has an incline directly to a wheelchair-accessible shower area. A deck with stairs is located off the back of the home, that allows access to a spacious, fenced backyard for the service recipients to enjoy, weather permitting.

Nicollet has been home to both male and female service recipients, with varying levels of abilities and age ranges, including service recipients in wheelchairs. Nicollet is within a reasonable distance from several day programs. All overnight shifts are sleep shifts, which are during the hours of 10pm and 6am. Staff are trained to provide full assistance with personal cares, cooking, cleaning, and all aspects of daily living.

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Nordic Park - Apple Valley- Opening for male resident

Nordic Park is located in Apple Valley, near the Minnesota Zoo. Nordic Park is a split-level home with an attached garage. The garage has a motorized garage door opener. The home has a very nice yard and is located on a corner lot. The backyard is very spacious, flat, and has the appearance of a park. The main entry is located to the right of the garage door and there is also an entry to the house from the garage. The front door leads into the entryway of the home. There is also an entrance through the back of the home, through the sliding glass doors off the deck.

The main level of the home has two bedrooms, and the basement has two additional bedrooms. The main level bedrooms are used for two of the service recipient bedrooms. One of the bedrooms on the lower level is occupied by a service recipient, the other bedroom is currently the staff office. In addition, each level of the home has a bathroom. The kitchen and dining area are on the upper level, while the lower level contains the laundry room/furnace room.

Nordic Park currently is not staffed between the hours of 9am to 3pm, due to the service recipients' day program schedules. However, the Program Coordinator is available during those hours to assist with service recipient appointments and transportation.

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

Southview is near most 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 by either 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 backyard at the home, with patio furniture, for the service recipients to 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 on the basement level. Vista View is located just minutes away from Vista View Park, and less than 10 minutes away from County Road 42, where there are tons of shopping venues and dining attractions.

The service recipients at Vista View range in age 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 except on Mondays and Wednesdays, to accommodate the service recipient's day program schedules. In addition, Vista View is staffed with sleep staff overnights.

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Candace – South St. Paul - one opening for a female resident

Candace SLS is a 3-bed facility located at the south end of South St. Paul, in a well-managed and maintained duplex. The duplex has two levels. Each level has two bedrooms, bathroom, living room, dining room, and kitchen. The laundry facilities are in the basement. The duplex is located two blocks from a bus line and a short drive to stores, restaurants, a movie theater, coffee shops and bowling alley. Staff at Candace assist with meal preparation, community integration, medication management, medical appointments, personal cares, and general housekeeping tasks.

Candace is the home for one woman and one man with developmental and intellectual disabilities. The current age range is 35-70. Some of the individuals living at Candace like to stay busy either by working, attending supported employment programs or going to day programs. One of the individuals is retired. They enjoy going on community activities such as library, church, museums, arts centers, movies, going out to eat, Minnesota Twins games, Come-As-You-Are social group, fairs, and festivals.

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Greensboro – Eagan - one opening for a female resident

Greensboro is the home for younger women with developmental and intellectual disabilities. The current age range is 35-45. Some of the women at this house need assistance from staff with personal cares, both hands-on help and verbal cues. Some of the women attend a day program Monday-Friday to participate in classes of interest and/or the social aspect of a community setting. The women who live at Greensboro consider each other peers, and spend time together when they are at the house. All of the women have families who are invested in their daily lives. Most spend time with their families, especially on weekends.

This house is a split-level home with three bedrooms up and one bedroom down. There is one bathroom on each level. There is a stair lift installed on each set of steps. The house has a deck off the kitchen, where the service recipients often sit when the weather is nice. Greensboro is centrally located in Eagan. The home is located minutes away from various stores, banks and restaurants. The house is staffed 24/7 and is double-staffed evening hours and some weekend hours. The overnight staff has sleep hours from 10pm-6am.

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