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Is Pleased to Announce a Search for a
New Director of Development Serving
Loreto House in Denton, Texas

The Organization

Loreto House is an independent 501c3 Catholic pregnancy resource center located in Denton Texas. The core mission of Loreto House is to provide confidential mentoring and counseling to women dealing with an unplanned pregnancy. Additional services include free pregnancy tests and non-diagnostic ultrasounds. Loreto House is not a medical clinic and does not provide medical services. The compassionate staff and volunteers serve people of all or no faiths with loving care and professionalism. As an official apostolate of the Diocese of Fort Worth, all services are provided in alignment with the teachings of the Catholic Church.

<http://loretohouse.org>



The Origin of the Loreto House Name

The name of Loreto House was selected for the Denton pregnancy center in honor and devotion to the Blessed Virgin and the history of the *Holy House of Nazareth* and the *Miracle of Loreto* dating back to 312 A.D. In brief summary, the *Miracle of Loreto* is the commemoration and preservation story of the sacred house believed to be the home of the Blessed Virgin. It is here that the Annunciation of our Lord Jesus Christ occurred with the Blessed Virgin Mary and many miracles associated with the house have occurred through the decades.

The name Loreto House is a fitting name for this apostolate counseling pregnancy center and the passionate work it provides women with unplanned pregnancies. **<http://catholictraditio>**



Leadership

As an apostolate of the Catholic Diocese of Fort Worth, Loreto House is an independent free standing organization and it does not operate under Diocesan Administration.

Loreto House is led by its dedicated Executive Director Mr. Randy Bollig who founded the center with his wife Laurie in 2007. Randy leads a passionate and professional paid staff of seven and an enormously helpful volunteer group of thirteen individuals all who assist in providing the center's 4,000 counseling visits.

The ultimate authority and oversight for the operations of Loreto House is the responsibility of the elected and passionate seven members of the Board of Directors.



Location

Loreto House is located in Denton, Texas the county seat of Denton County. The city was incorporated in 1866 as a general farming community. With the coming of the railroad and establishment of higher educational institutions the city began to expand. Denton has experienced substantial growth since the last official U.S. census in 2010 that listed the city's official population at 113,383. Most recent projections list today's population in excess of 150,000 residents.

Denton is the proud home to the University of North Texas and Texas Women's University. To support the general needs of the universities the economy of Denton revolved mostly around college service business. Due to the growth of the general Dallas Fort Worth area, Denton has now become a residential city of choice for many Dallas Fort Worth based employees.

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Denton,Texas>

Although Loreto House is a recognized apostolate of the Catholic Diocese of Fort Worth, its primary service area remains the city of Denton and Denton County. In addition to serving individuals of all faiths Loreto House welcomes anyone in need regardless of their residential address.



The Opportunity

Established in 2009 the remarkable growth of Loreto House has surpassed all expectations. To meet that astounding growth and the increased financial need to serve additional women in the community, Loreto House is establishing the new Director of Development position.

The new Director of Development will work with the Board of Directors and the Executive Director to expand from prior fundraising success and build increased philanthropic support for the organization. The selected individual for this position will be responsible for planning and building an organized comprehensive fund raising program to include expanded annual giving, major gifts, corporate and foundation support, capital and endowment giving, and planned giving. Additionally, the new director will be responsible for the oversight of all marketing activities and brand representation of Loreto House as it pertains to donor awareness communications.

Due to the complete support of the current Board of Directors and Executive Director, the individual selected as the new development builder can expect total backing regarding the professional growth of the important fund development program.



Preferred Qualifications

Loreto House seeks a strong, confident, strategic and ambitious fundraising builder with a minimum of five years of fulltime fund development experience. Candidates must possess the leadership skills to plan and lead Loreto House to new heights of philanthropic accomplishment.

The successful candidate must possess strong leadership skills along with the ability to effectively manage, motivate, and direct full-time paid and volunteer personnel. The ability to effectively reach out and establish strong relationships with community and church leaders and to become a recognized respected external face of Loreto House is imperative.

Basic skills in fundraising computer applications are required. Proven experience in donor identification, cultivation, and solicitation with major gift giving, special project campaigns, corporate / foundation giving and large grant development efforts are necessary.

Strong verbal and written communication skills are essential in order to properly communicate with varied constituencies and key local community groups. An undergraduate degree from an accredited institution of higher learning and professional fundraising certification is preferred.

This position requires a Catholic in full agreement with the general teachings and beliefs of the Roman Catholic Church. A familiarity of the Denton County area and its surrounding counties would also be advantageous.

Compensation and Benefits

The new Director of Development position provides a competitive base salary for the appropriate experienced development professional.

General employee benefits include but are not limited to: new major health insurance, a 401K, observed national and religious holidays, paid vacation, along with annual performance evaluation and financial advancement.

Interested and Nominated Individuals

With time of the essence, interested professionals matching the outlined qualification and wishing to obtain additional information and consideration should contact:

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