**2017 Workshare Instructions and Application**

**What is WorkShare?**

* Workshare is part of the Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) program at Riverview Gardens;
* Workshare program participants volunteer **6 hours each week**, for **20 weeks total (May 30th – October 13th)**, to help with CSA Prep Work on **Monday - Thursday, 8am-5pm**;
* In exchange for their 6 hours of work, workshare participants receive weekly CSA share of fresh produce from our organic, urban farm;
* CSA Prep Work includes: harvesting, washing/packing, cleaning-up farm workshop; CSA distribution;
* Produce is available for pick-up upon completion of 6 hours of volunteer during the week.

**Am I Eligible?**

* Eligibility is based on Referrals from Continuum of Care organizations **OR** self-identified financial need;
* Workshare participants must attend a special workshare orientation at the farm (to be scheduled);
* Participants can share workshare responsibilities with another person; be sure to list them below.

**What Do I Do Next?**

* Complete and return the bottom portion of this document;
* Riverview Gardens staff will contact applicants to approve and schedule a mandatory workshare orientation.

**Questions?**

If you have questions, contact Eshalon Mayer at [farm@riverviewgardens.org](mailto:farm@riverviewgardens.org), 920-358-0388. We work with participants to establish a realistic working environment, but cannot accommodate all limitations due to the nature of the work.

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**RIVERVIEW GARDENS WORKSHARE APPLICATION**

**Name of Participant(s): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Full Address (Street, City, Zip): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Referral Organization: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Any Physical Limitations: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**List hours available to work: Monday \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Wednesday \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Thursday \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Workshare Participant Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

By signing this application, I am available to volunteer 6 hours/week during the CSA season indicated above.

**Submit applications electronically to** [**farm@riverviewgardens.org**](mailto:farm@riverviewgardens.org)**, or mail/delivery to**

**Riverview Gardens, c/o Eshalon Mayer, 242 W. Seymour Street, Appleton, WI 54915.**