The Brothers of the Sacred Heart Volunteer-Discernment Program is for young men who are seriously discerning a call to religious life, while serving young people in need.

**PROGRAM GOALS**
Our program offers volunteers the opportunity to live and to participate in the community life, prayer and mission of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart while discerning their call in life. Individual guidance in their personal and spiritual development according to the tradition and charism of the Brothers is an integral part of this Volunteer-Discernment Program.

**TYPE OR PLACEMENT**
Tutoring in an inner-city, HiSET (formerly G.E.D.) program as well as regular teaching, coaching, campus ministry, mission experiences with and to at-risk and marginalized youth.

**AREAS OF SERVICE**
Brothers’ communities in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and Queens, New York (part of New York City). Mission experiences to the Navajo Indian Mission in Klagetoh, Arizona, are also possible.

**LENGTH OF SERVICE**
1 year (late August to mid-June)

**APPLICATION DEADLINE**
April 1st preferred (for Fall Program)

**REQUIREMENTS**
Single male ages 21-40; practicing Catholic; US Citizen; good physical and mental health; college degree or adequate work experience; health examination (within last six months); desire to work with young people; follow all child safety regulations; interviews and references (3).

**LIVING ARRANGEMENTS**
Volunteers will live and participate in an established community of Brothers of the Sacred Heart. They will be expected to fully participate in the daily community life and chores as well as in the community’s prayer life and meetings. All volunteer-discerners are to live a celibate lifestyle during the experience.

**FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS**
Room and Board; small monthly allowance; some transportation assistance; volunteer is responsible for personal travel and expenses.

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