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- Girls Circle
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- CANS-CSE Needs and Services for CSEC

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APPLICATION FOR COUNTY OF EL DORADO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS BOARD, COMMISSION, OR COMMITTEE

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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Board or Commission Applying For El Dorado Commission for Youth and Families		Vacant Position or Title Public Member	
First Name Kristen		Last Name Patterson	
		Residential City Placerville	Residential ZIP Code 95667
Daytime Telephone		Mobile Telephone	
Occupation/Title Shelter Client Services Manager		Employer New Morning Youth and Family Services	
List all County boards, commissions or committees to which you are/were appointed. Please include dates of service. El Dorado County School Attendance Review Board (SARB) 2016-2018 El Dorado County Child Abuse Prevention Council 2016-Present			
Summary of qualifications I have worked with at-risk youth for fourteen years, and in El Dorado County since 2016. As a Victim Advocate I worked with families and youth who have been impacted by crimes, abuse, neglect and domestic violence. As the manager at the only youth shelter in El Dorado County I have coordinated with all agencies who work with youth in the area. I regularly meet with families and help them get through times of crisis and conflict.			
Affiliations with professional and/or community groups El Dorado County/Placerville PFLAG President Sacramento Lady Crushers Founder- Rock Climbing Club			
Why do you seek appointment? My goals are similar to that of the Board; to improve outcomes for El Dorado County Youth and their families. I would like to get involved with this Commission because I strongly believe that it takes every available resource to make a positive impact on youth and that working together is the only way to make progress.			
Additional Information See Attachment			
If known, indicate the member of the Board of Supervisors who will receive a copy of this application (no value entered)			
File Attachments CYF Resume.pdf			
Signature of Applicant* 		Date 01/13/2020	

* You consent and agree that you are signing this document electronically. You further agree that your electronic signature is as valid as if you manually signed the document in writing.
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