



Requirements:

- The primary adult(s) in a potential host family must be at least 35 years old and live within the tri-county area to be considered.
- Host family applicants who are not Citadel employees are required to have a background check by submitting the [Cadet Activities Volunteer Request](#) as well as the [Authorization for the Release of Information](#) to initiate the process. *Only one person per household is required to submit.*
- Submission of the [HOST FAMILY PROGRAM – HOST APPLICATION](#) each academic year. The information provided assists us in making suitable matches. We strive to match host families with cadets who have similar interests, likes, dislikes, etc.
- In accordance with The Citadel's [Mandatory Training Policy Memorandum # 6-125](#), all Citadel employees and campus volunteers are required to complete the four trainings: **A.** Clery Act, **B.** Title IX & Sexual Misconduct, **C.** Discrimination in the Workplace, and **D.** Camps on Campus: Keeping Minors Safe. *Only one person per household is required to complete the trainings.*

Agreements:

- Members of a host family's household understand that any attempt to bind The Citadel, Cadet Activities, my host family cadet or his/her family for any liability claim or financial obligation regarding the Cadet Host Family Program is prohibited.
- Members of a host family's household will not violate any local, state or federal laws.
- Members of a host family's household will not allow host cadets to violate any local, state or federal laws.
- Members of a host family's household agree to enforce The Citadel's [Cadet Regulations](#) by which cadets must abide. These include: *The White Book, The Blue Book* and *The Honor Manual*.
- Members of a host family's household understand that they represent The Citadel when engaging in any activity related to the Cadet Host Family Program. Each will act with honor, duty and respect always.
- Members of my household will not violate any local, state or federal laws.
- Members of my household will not allow host cadets to violate any local, state or federal laws.
- Members of a host family's household will not strike, attempt to strike or otherwise physically abuse any cadet(s) on or off The Citadel campus.
- Members of a host family's household will not use verbal or non-verbal profanity, disrespectful language or obscene gestures or behaviors.
- Members of a host family's household will always show respect to my host cadet(s).
- Members of a host family's household will not offer financial assistance to my host cadets.
- Members of a host family's household will enforce the household rules with my host cadets.

Should you have any question or concerns regarding the application process or any part of the Cadet Host Family Program, contact Mrs. Shelton Milner, Host Family Program Coordinator, at milners@citadel.edu.