



A PROJECT OF THE ELLA BAKER CENTER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS

The Heal the Streets Fellowship Program is a ten-month paid position that will train Oakland's young leaders (ages 15 to 18) to develop and advocate for policies that bring peace and hope to our streets.

2010/2011 FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION

Name:	Phone:
Address:	Email:
Parent/Guardian:	Phone:
School Counselor/Advisor (optional):	Phone:

Please list 3 - 5 interests or hobbies.

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Essay Questions

Please read and answer the following questions to the best of your ability. These questions are required for your fellowship application to be considered.

The next portion of the application will be short answer. This is the most important part of the application because it will show us your ability to discuss your experiences and passions. This skill is a large component of our fellowship program.

- 1) How have you been inspired in your life? (This could be a friend, family member, an influential event in your life, a movie, book, music, etc)

2) What makes you want to work for social change? (At the Ella Baker Center we hope to promote social change by providing opportunity, promoting peace and advocating for justice.)

3) What are your experiences with violence in the community?

4) Where do you see yourself in 5 years? (What kind of life do you want to have in 5 years?)

5) In what ways do you feel youth can make a difference in the community?

6) What needs to change in order to make all of Oakland peaceful and nonviolent?

7) How will this program help you succeed?

Please return completed application and attached forms to
crystallee@ellabakercenter.org or by mail to:

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