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9. Why do you feel YDLI training is critical to your future?

10. How did you hear about Young Dairy Leaders Institute? _____

11. Please list three references. These persons should be able to comment on your character, potential leadership qualities and confirm your interest and dedication to agriculture.

NOTE: The person listed as **Reference 1** must complete and submit the attached **Reference Form** by August 1, 2007.

Reference 1: (Must complete Reference Form)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone #: _____ Email Address: _____

Reference 2:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone #: _____ Email Address: _____

Reference 3:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone #: _____ Email Address: _____

12. _____

Signature of Applicant

Date

* Applicants will be notified of acceptance by October 15, 2007.

MAIL TO:

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APPLICATION REFERENCE FORM
Submit to the Holstein Foundation by August 1, 2007
please print or type



Young Dairy Leaders Institute is a nationwide leadership training program whose mission is to develop an articulate and knowledgeable network of leadership ambassadors for agriculture. Graduates of YDLI are prepared to strengthen the institutions and organizations to which they belong; the communities in which they live; and the agricultural industries from which they derive their livelihood.

This Reference Form is being completed for: *(Applicant should complete this part of the form)*

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone #: _____

Email address: _____

Please respond candidly to the questions below.

1. Please comment on the applicant's potential leadership abilities, interest and involvement in the dairy industry and/or agriculture.

2. Please circle the most appropriate response for each statement below.

	Strongly Agree		Agree		Disagree
Applicant would benefit from leadership training.	1	2	3	4	5
Applicant is dedicated to the dairy/agriculture industry.	1	2	3	4	5
Applicant demonstrates potential leadership qualities.	1	2	3	4	5
I recommend this applicant as a candidate for YDLI.	1	2	3	4	5

3. Please state your relationship to the applicant: _____

This Reference Form has been completed by:

Name: _____ Telephone #: _____

Signature

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