

Prospective Buddhist Prison Chaplains please answer the following questions. (Where necessary continue on a separate sheet.)

Full Name

Date of Birth

How long have you been a Buddhist?

With which Buddhist school or tradition are you affiliated?

Do you attend a Buddhist group, temple or centre regularly?

Do you have a regular meditation practice?

Do you consider that you have a competent understanding of basic Buddhist Teaching and principles?

Would you be able to explain about Buddhist traditions other than your own?

Would you be willing to help a prisoner find out about another Buddhist Tradition?

As a Buddhist chaplain you will meet people in prison who are there for drug related crimes.
What is your attitude to alcohol and drugs?

Do you keep the fifth of the Five Precepts and abstain from alcohol and drugs?

How do you interpret the Precept dealing with sexual misconduct?

Please state briefly why you would like to serve as a Buddhist Prison Chaplain.

Have you read and understood the Buddhist Prison Chaplain's Job Description posted on the Angulimala website and the conditions of appointment?

Are there any other comments you may wish to make?

N.B. Please understand that you may only be called for an interview if or when there is a vacancy for a Buddhist chaplain at a prison near you for which you might be suitable. Before or by the time you come for an interview, please don't forget to obtain two references: one from your Buddhist teacher or similar and one from a Buddhist friend.