

**Diocesan NFP Program
Application for Renewal of Endorsement**

(Arch)Diocese _____

**Diocesan
Coordinator** _____

Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **ZipCode** _____

Phone _____ **FAX** _____

E-mail _____

Website _____

Instructions: Each item in this forms correlates to the same item in the Standards, Section I, "Standards for Diocesan NFP Programs." Please read carefully and respond accordingly.

A. Has your diocesan program's statement of philosophy, goals and objectives been revised over the last five years? *(Please check one.)*

YES _____ NO _____

If "yes," please submit the new documentation.

B. 1-5 What opportunities does your program provide for appropriate education on basic concepts of Church teaching to your teachers and clients?

C. The Diocesan NFP standards are (*please check one*):

_____ The bishops' *Standards*.

_____ Our own diocesan standards which meet/or exceed the bishops' *Standards*.

Have these Diocesan Standards changed over the last five years? (*Please check one.*)

YES _____ NO _____

If "yes," please submit the new documentation.

STOP: Complete D.1-4 if the diocesan NFP coordinator has changed over the last five years. Diocesan NFP coordinators who have not changed over the last five years should complete D.4 only if their duties and responsibilities have changed.

D.1-2 Submit a personal statement of philosophy from the diocesan NFP coordinator.

D.3 Submit a statement of the coordinator's knowledge of NFP methods (e.g., client, teacher, promoter, etc.).

D.4 Submit a copy of the duties and responsibilities (*job description*) of the diocesan NFP coordinator.

E. Do you continue to have an active NFP Advisory Board?

___ Yes ___ No

If "yes", please submit the current list of members.

F. Have there been any revisions to the NFP curricula over the last five years? (*Please check one.*)

___ Yes ___ No

If "yes," please complete form B (*Couple/Client Education Assessment*) for each curricula which has changed.

G. Has the diocesan NFP teacher's job description changed over the last five years? (*Please check one.*)

___ Yes ___ No

If "yes," please submit a copy of the new job description for NFP diocesan teachers.

H. During the past five years, have there been changes with regard to client fees, teaching sites, and languages used to service new ethnic populations? *(Please check one.)*

___ Yes ___ No

If "yes," please explain in the space provided or attach a statement.

I. Have there been any changes in your promotion of NFP, chastity and fertility appreciation in your diocese over the last five years? *(Please check one.)*

YES ___ NO ___

If "yes," please explain below.

J. Have there been any changes in your teacher/client medical, psychological, moral, spiritual, educational resources over the last five years? *(Please check one.)*

YES ___ NO ___

If "yes," please explain below:

K. How is ongoing support provided for couples/clients in their use of NFP?

L. Are you collecting and maintaining information to provide non-identifying statistical data to the DDP (e.g., *Annual Profile, etc.*)? *(Please check one.)*

YES _____ NO _____

M. Has the on-going assessment of your diocesan NFP services changed over the last five years? *(Please check one.)*

YES _____ NO _____

If "yes," please explain below:

N. Do you continue to provide an annual meeting for all diocesan NFP teachers? (*Please check one.*)

YES _____ NO _____

O. How are opportunities for NFP information, education and resources provided to diocesan seminarians, religious, permanent deacons, and priests to enable them to support and encourage couples to use NFP?

P. How is continuing education and enrichment provided for diocesan NFP teachers and couples/clients on NFP and related Church teachings?

We hereby request renewal of Endorsement for the Natural Family Planning program of the

(Arch)Diocese of _____
by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' Diocesan Development Program for Natural Family Planning according to the *Standards*.

We attest that all answers and attachments represents the policy and practice of the (Arch)Diocese.

Diocesan NFP Coordinator _____ Date _____
(Signature)

Diocesan Development Program for Natural Family Planning, A Program of the NCCB Committee for Pro-Life Activities; 3211 4 St., N.E., Washington, D.C. 20017; 202-541-3240; 202-541-3054 FAX.