

# APPLICATION

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## SECTION 1: GENERAL INFORMATION

Trip Destination:	Date:
Full Legal Name:	Last:
Date of Birth:	Age:
Gender:	Home Phone:
Address:	Cell Phone:
City:	E-Mail:
State:	Passport #:
Zip:	Passport Expiration Date:
Birthplace	Agency Issuing Passport
T-Shirt Size: (please check age and size) <input type="checkbox"/> Youth <input type="checkbox"/> Adult    S    M    L    XL    2X    3X	

**Important:** You need to have a passport, valid for at least 6 months AFTER the end of the trip. If you do not yet have a passport, you need to apply for one as soon as possible

## SECTION 2: HEALTH INFORMATION

Present health: (please check)                      Excellent                      Good                      Fair                      Poor

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Are there any physical limitations or medical restrictions that we should know about?

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List any known allergies to Medications, foods, insect bites, etc.?

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Has any allergic reaction ever required emergency medical care?

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Do you have any recurring health problems?

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Please list any current medications you are taking.

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Family Physician:

Phone #:

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Health Insurance Company:

Policy #:

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### SECTION 3: EMERGENCY INFORMATION

Name:

Relationship:

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Cell Phone:

Day Phone:

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Name:

Relationship:

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Cell Phone

Day Phone:

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### SECTION 4: CHURCH INVOLVEMENT

Riverbend Church Membership: (Circle appropriate answer)

Member

Regular Attendee

Occasional Guest

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Have you attended a small group in the past year?

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If not Riverbend, where do you attend church regularly?

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In what church activities are you regularly involved?

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## SECTION: CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE

How and when did you receive Jesus as your Savior (use additional sheet if necessary)?

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Describe your growth in Christ and what He means to you (use additional sheet if necessary)?

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## SECTION 6: SKILLS AND GIFTEDNESS

Have you been on a mission's trip before?

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If so, when and where?

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Why do you want to go on this trip?

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What languages other than English do you know?

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What is your skill level with the above languages? (Circle appropriate answer)

Speak fluently

Speak some

Read fluently

Read some

Write fluently

Write some

Describe your areas of giftedness, abilities, skills, or experience that could be utilized on a short-term mission trip (construction, medical, drama, dance, guitar, balloon animals, etc.)?

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## SECTION 7: CONSENT FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT

I wish to participate in a Riverbend Church short term mission trip for which I will be traveling to and staying in (country) \_\_\_\_\_ during the period from (month and day) \_\_\_\_\_ to (month and day) \_\_\_\_\_, (year) \_\_\_\_\_.

In consideration of permission to participate in this trip, I, \_\_\_\_\_, being of legal age, do hereby authorize any necessary medical and/or dental treatment on my behalf or on behalf of my minor child (minors name if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_, should I be unable to give such consent. This consent includes reasonable medical and/or dental treatment, including but not limited to diagnostic tests, x-rays examinations, anesthesia, or other procedures which may be deemed necessary to my medical well being/ the well being of my minor child for the duration of the trip.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## SECTION 8: RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS FOR TRAVEL

I hereby voluntarily release and hold harmless Riverbend, their officers, agents, and employees, from all manner of suits, actions, claims, demands, and liabilities which may arise from my participation/the participation of my minor child in this trip. I authorize the designation leader of the trip to arrange for my/my minor child's premature home should this be deemed necessary. *I understand that this will be at my own expense should the reason be, as concluded by the trip leader, my/my minor child's inability to work together with the team in an appropriate manner or continued/extreme misconduct.*

I recognize that conditions in some of the places to which I/my minor child will travel may not be of the same standard as the conditions to which I am accustomed (i.e. political governments and judicial systems). I further realize that there may be certain health and detainment risks as well as other known and unknown risks to me/ my child, and I enter/allow my minor child to enter into participation in this trip with knowledge of this.

I understand that this document constitutes a full and complete waiver of all possible claims, including claims for negligence in personal injury or property damage, arising out of my participation/the participation of my minor child in this trip.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Please read and understand the following statements:**

In submitting this application I realize that the following elements are crucial to the effectiveness, quality, and safety of our campaign together.

As a member of the mission's team, I agree to:

- Remember that I'm a guest working at the invitation of a missionary and/or local pastors and leaders:
- Respect the host's view of Christianity. Recognize that Christianity has many faces throughout the world, and that the purpose of this trip is to witness and experience faith lived out in a new setting.
- Develop and maintain a servant's attitude toward all nationals and my teammates.
- Respect my team leader(s) and his or her decisions.
- Refrain from gossip. You may be surprised at how each person will blossom when freed from the concern that others may be passing judgment.
- Give all credit of accomplishments and favor to God; realize the amazing things God would allow the team to accomplish if we don't mind who gets the credit – for He deserves all the Glory.
- Refrain from complaining. Know that travel can present numerous unexpected and undesired circumstances, but the rewards of conquering such circumstances are innumerable. I will be creative and supportive.
- Respect the work that is going on in the country with the particular church(es) or person(s) with whom we are working. Realize that our team is here for just a short while, but that the local church is here for the long term. You are to respect their knowledge, insights, and instructions.
- Remember not to be exclusive in my relationships. If my sweetheart or spouse is on the team, we will make every effort to interact with all members of the team, not just one another.
- I agree to be flexible and serve in whatever service area is allowed and open to me on the mission field.

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Signature

Date

**PLEASE RETURN** completed application to the welcome desk.

If you wish, you may scan and send completed application to the Riverbend Missions Team at:  
info@riverbendchurch.church