

Show Hope

Show Hope Asia: Short-Term Trip TEAM MEMBER APPLICATION



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Deposit of \$300 due with application

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone Numbers *Home*: _____ *Work*: _____ *Mobile*: _____

Email Address: _____

Employer/School: _____

If you are a student, what year are you: _____

Male Female

Date of Birth: _____ Country of Birth: _____

Do you have a Passport? Yes No Country of Citizenship: _____

If *Yes*, Passport Number? _____ Date Issued/Expiration Date: _____ / _____

Name as it appears (will appear) on Passport (First, Middle, Last). Essential for acquiring ticket:

If you do not currently possess a passport, we strongly urge you to apply for one immediately. Visit your local post office for more information, or visit <http://travel.state.gov>. Passports must be valid six months past the date of return travel.

Marital Status: Single Married Divorced Widowed

Spouse's Name: _____

Is your spouse supportive of your applying for this trip? Yes No

If *No*, please explain: _____

Names and ages of children: _____

In case of an emergency, please notify: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone Numbers *Home*: _____ *Work*: _____ *Mobile*: _____

Is there anything in your life that could be called into question or jeopardize your ability to minister cross-culturally on a team? (i.e., immoral relationship, substance abuse, excessive debt, police record, pornography, conviction of a crime [other than minor traffic violations] etc...)? Yes No

If *Yes*, please explain: _____

MOTIVATION

Why do you want to go on this short-term trip?

What areas of growth do you foresee for this trip?

What challenges do you expect?

At Show Hope, our purpose is to help equip believers to be difference-makers in their world and the world for Christ. We recognize that we are all coming from varied backgrounds and experiences.

How have you come to know Christ personally? How would you describe your current relationship with Christ?

In your opinion, what are your strengths (character traits, abilities, gifts)?

What are your weaknesses?

Is there anything else you would like us to know?

GLOBAL EXPERIENCE

Please indicate any skills, talents, or service experience that you believe may be helpful on the field. Please include if you have any musical and/or medical skills to offer:

Which of the following areas would you be interested in providing service or leadership?

- Team Prayer/Devotions Team Logistics (travel, food, money, etc.)
 Team Projects on Trip Pre-Trip/Post-Trip Aspects

Do you plan on raising financial support for this trip? Yes No

Please list previous missions experience (including countries, sending church/missions organization, dates of projects, and ministry work):

Please list previous experience working with children:

Is there anything else you would like to add?

HEALTH

How would you describe your present health? Excellent Good Average Poor
Please state any major illness(es) you have had in the last five years. _____

Please list any medications you are currently taking. _____

Please list any allergies you have. _____

Please list the name and location of your primary physician. _____

Are you presently under the care of a physician? Yes No If yes, please explain. _____

Have you within the past 5 years received any psychological care? Yes No If yes, please explain: _____

Are you willing to discuss this care with Show Hope staff and/or Team Leader? _____

Will you receive the US Dept. of State (<http://travel.state.gov>) and CDC (<http://www.cdc.gov>) recommended vaccinations and immunizations before traveling: Yes No

If "no", please explain: _____

COMMITMENT

Show Hope Short-Term Teams

If selected to be a part of a Show Hope Short-Term Trip Team, I make a commitment to:

- Conduct myself in a manner worthy of Jesus while serving Him on the project.**
- Complete any necessary forms, waivers, and training in a timely manner prior to departing on the trip
- Submit to the authority of Show Hope, the team leader(s), the on-the-field host(s), and the outlined team policies.
- Refrain from any behavior that may compromise my witness (i.e., drinking alcohol, abusive language, drug use, etc.).

In addition, by signing this application, I am making a commitment to:

- Be accountable to Show Hope for the purchase price of the airplane ticket to China (maximum price would be \$1,800), and any other charges incurred on my behalf. Even if I decide not to go on the trip, I agree to reimburse Show Hope for the price of the ticket purchased on my behalf and other costs incurred on my behalf.**
- Be responsible for getting to the airport on time.

Additionally, if at any time while on the project my behavior constitutes a problem, the team leader(s) has the authority to ask me to return home. Any additional costs incurred as a result of this action will be at my cost.

By signing this application, I attest that to the best of my knowledge the information provided in the application is accurate.

Sign: _____

Date: _____

Attested By: _____

Signature and Date

APPLICATION PROCESS

Please send this application with a \$300 non-refundable deposit check made out to "Show Hope" to:

Show Hope
c/o Katie McGunnigal
PO Box 647
Franklin, TN 37065

The deposit must be accompanied with the application to be considered.

A charitable contribution to Show Hope designated to a personal support account is a gift to Show Hope. Gifts to Show Hope become the sole property of Show Hope. A gift to Show Hope is a charitable contribution for federal income tax purposes to the extent permitted by law. Tax deductible gifts cannot be refunded.

Application selection/approval is based on the prayerful consideration of the Show Hope staff. Your deposit will only be refunded if your application is not accepted by Show Hope, and Show Hope reserves the right to turn down an application if it is deemed necessary and appropriate.

Questions? Contact Katie McGunnigal (Short-Term Trip Coordinator) at katie@showhope.org

Optional Recommendation Form: Attached is an optional Recommendation Form. This is not required for the application, but it is strongly suggested that you ask an authority figure in your life to fill this out and return it to Show Hope promptly. This will benefit you when your application is processed.

Show Hope Asia: Short-Term Trip Recommendation Form

(To be completed by a supervisor, teacher, pastor, or other authority figure)



Name of Applicant: _____

Your Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Relationship to applicant: Supervisor ___ Professor ___ Pastor ___
Other _____ (Please indicate relationship)

How long have you known the applicant? _____

How well do you know this person?

___ By Name ___ Casually ___ Fairly well ___ Close Relationship

Please Rate the Applicant Based on the Following:

1=poor 2=Needs growth 3=Average 4=Excellent 5=Outstanding

___ Dependability	___ Teachable Attitude	___ Adaptability
___ Self-discipline	___ Communication Skills	___ Attitude in General
___ Spiritual Maturity	___ Self Confidence	___ Emotional Maturity
___ Decision Making	___ Submission to Authority	___ Teamwork Ability

Please comment on the above information:

Please provide any additional information that would assist us in our decision concerning this applicant:

Based on the above information:

___ I cannot recommend this applicant
___ I have some reservations about this applicant going on missions.
___ I recommend this applicant as a team member
___ I strongly recommend this applicant as a team member

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Position/Organization: _____

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