

Paradise Bound Mission Team Application Information

2022 Summer/Fall Mission Team Dates

- **June 5 - 12**
- **June 14-21**
- **June 23 - 30**
- **July 6 - 13**
- **July 14 -21**
- **August 1 - 8**
- **August 9 - 16**
- **October 9 - 16**
- **October 17 - 24**

Group Application - (10+ participants)

Prayerfully consider a team date from our list above, and complete the [online application here](#). If there are more requests than available dates, we will pray over the requests, discern our Lord's will, and Biblically draw lots if needed. Then, shortly after **October 15**, we will inform all applicants of the teams and the dates our Lord determines.

After the team/date announcement, your groups non-refundable deposit is required within 10 days to secure your date. Failure to receive your deposit within 10 days will forfeit your ministry date to another team. Please do NOT send in your deposit until notified that you have been awarded a mission date. If your church or group desires a full team of 25+ team members, the deposit is \$3,000. If 15-25 spots are desired, the deposit is \$2,000.

Individuals / Small Groups (less than 10 participants)

Prayerfully consider a team date from our list above, and complete the [online application here](#).

Once the mission dates are awarded to groups (10+ participants), the team leaders have approximately two months to fill their team. PBM will then review individual and small group requests and will work to connect you with a suitable team/date to the best of our ability. Please keep in mind that some teams fill to capacity, and there may not be room for you on a particular team. The cost per person is the same as listed for the groups over 10

Dates/Deadlines

- Applications due for groups over 10 team members: **October 15, 2021**
- Final count of how many team members (no names needed yet): 4 months prior to travel
- Final name list (legal names as on passports, birthdates, & gender): 2 months prior to departure
- Online Registrations completed: Team members should be encouraged to submit the online registration form ASAP after committing to participate, but no later than 2 months prior to departure.

Payment Schedule

Mail payments to Paradise Bound Ministries, **PO Box 80, Zeeland, MI 49464**. Clearly mark check with your team's mission date.

- **Deposit** is due within 10 days of awarding your team's mission date and is non-refundable.
- **Mission Team Experience Fee:** \$975/person (less your deposit): 4 months prior to departure
- **Airfare:** Due 2 months prior to departure. The cost will vary based on the date of the trip.
- **Mission Supplies** (see below): Due 1 month prior to departure

**PBM requests that Mission Team Members submit their payments directly to your sending organization, and the sending organization can then mail a check to PBM.*

Kingdom Builders (average team builds 5 homes)

The home construction costs are not included in the cost per person, as most teams raise these funds as a team. The homes are one of the easiest fundraising opportunities as many friends, families, and business owners give readily toward providing an impoverished family with a home. The investment per home is our cost for materials only, with no markup or profit. It includes the home, a BED, a lifetime WATER FILTER, and most important...the Gospel of Jesus Christ!

**Due to the recent changes in the price of building supplies, we cannot accurately determine the final cost per home at this date. Please be assured that PBM will work to keep the cost as affordable as possible, with no markup or profit to PBM.*

Mobile Medical Clinics

Antibiotics, multivitamins, pain relievers, worming/parasite pills, and much, much more are utilized in your team's clinic/outreaches. This alone saves lives physically as villagers come from long distances to be attended to in our clinics/outreaches, thus allowing us to share the Gospel! You will not believe how much medicine is prescribed until you experience a clinic with us! While \$3,000 is our cost of the medication purchased through medical missionary organizations, the actual cost if purchased at pharmacies exceeds \$25,000 per team. Your investment for the Medical Clinics is \$3,000 (total of 2 clinics).

Individual Costs NOT Covered

Meals on your travel days to and from Guatemala are at your expense, as any souvenirs you choose to purchase. Also, Passport and immunization fees are not covered by PBM.

Doubts? Don't Let Them Affect You or Someone Else's Eternity!

Initially, the thought of raising funds may be overwhelming. However, if our Lord calls you to labor alongside us, then He WILL provide! Yes, you will still have to work at it, as that is your responsibility, but our Lord will provide! Ultimately, this is an Eternal Investment in souls with our Lord Jesus Christ. We have hundreds of individuals who thought it impossible to go, but now have grown tremendously in faith because they did what our Lord asks of all of us: PRAY in faith...believing!!!

In closing, if you have any questions, please email maureen@paradisebound.org or call 616-928-5610.

Remember that the deadline for Team Applications is: **October 15, 2021**, and that applying does not guarantee your team a ministry date. Additionally, even if you cannot partake in one of our Lord's incredible harvest of souls for the Summer/Fall of 2022, PRAY with us that our Lord sends forth laborers into HIS fields "white unto harvest!"

HIS servants,
team pbm