

MPACT

FOR MANKIND
Health. Knowledge. Hope.

MPACT Haiti : Medical Mission Trip

June 25 - 30, 2020



WHO WE ARE

MPACT For Mankind is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization providing outreach in health and humanitarian services. Our mission is to transform communities by improving health outcomes, enhancing knowledge, and providing hope, all while promoting sustainable development.

WHAT WE'RE DOING

We are facilitating a medical outreach in the rural village of Myan at the Myan Health Center, an under resourced medical clinic which serves as the only medical access point for the community. This outreach is a part of our MPACT Haiti program. We are looking for medical professionals, including doctors, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, nurses, pharmacists, EMT's/paramedics, therapists, etc. to volunteer to assist with providing care during the outreach. We can accept a limited number of non-medical volunteers as well. There are various opportunities to help without a healthcare background.

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

If you'd like to join us, you can submit your application via our online portal. Go to <https://mpact4mankind.managedmissions.com/MissionApplication/Start/19846> to submit your application. You will be required to pay a non-refundable deposit of \$50. You will be notified by email or by phone after the review process is complete. Once your application is approved, you will then have to complete a background screening process. After this process has been successfully completed, your spot on the team is secured. We will then send you more information on how to begin preparing for the trip!

WHAT IS THE TOTAL COST OF THE TRIP AND WHAT DOES IT COVER?

The cost for this trip is \$1,350 plus airfare. The trip fees cover meals, lodging, ground transportation, interpreters, travel insurance with medical coverage, customs fees upon arrival to Haiti, a team travel pack, and any incidental costs. A portion of the fees also goes towards the purchase of supplies and medications needed for the medical outreach. All fees are non-refundable.

WHAT OTHER EXPENSES SHOULD I EXPECT?

You will be responsible for the cost of your passport (if applicable), vaccinations (if applicable), and any personal spending money for souvenirs and food or drinks on travel days. American dollars are accepted in Haiti.

Note: Fees are non-refundable, however trip insurance covers refunds of expenses should the trip be cancelled due to reasons beyond our control. In most cases, funds can be applied to future trips.

For additional information, contact us at missions@mpact4mankind.com or at (469) 998-1381.

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HOW DOES THE FLIGHT PROCESS WORK?

Team members will fly from their home city to a common location (depends on airline used). All team members departing from DFW International Airport (Dallas, Tx), will meet up with team leaders for the initial departing flight. The entire team will meet for a connecting flight and will depart together on the same flight to Haiti. This flight is pre-selected in coordination with our in-country partner who will have a team and transportation waiting to take us to our destination. For these reasons, the MPACT operations team will purchase and coordinate all flight itineraries.

AIRFARE ITINERARIES

All flights are booked through the organization's travel vendor. As a nonprofit organization, MPACT For Mankind has access to vendors who provide discounted flights and travel accommodations specifically for mission trips. Most often, this results in being able to purchase flights for a cheaper cost than buying them directly from the airline. We are often able to secure additional benefits such as multiple free checked bags for all team members. Having a single travel agency managing the flights for multiple people coming from various destinations helps us to ensure that all team members make it where they should be and at the correct times.

WILL I NEED TO GET A VISA?

No, you will not need to get a VISA for Haiti, but you must have a valid passport. Please note that your passport must be at least 6 six months away from expiration on the date of departure in order to travel to Haiti. It is recommended, but not required, that you look into TSA precheck and Global Entry services to expedite your process at security and in customs upon your return to the US.

WILL I NEED ANY VACCINATIONS, AND IF SO, WHAT KIND?

Vaccinations are not required for you to go on the trip, but it is strongly recommended that you discuss this with your physician. You can visit the CDC website at cdc.gov for a list of recommended vaccinations and preventative medications.

IS FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE?

We are unable to provide financial assistance to pay for your trip. However, many volunteers raise financial support from their family and friends to help fund their trip. As a team participant, you will have access to your own online fundraising page that you can share to assist with raising funds for your trip. We ask that you not use crowd funding sites outside of our platform for this trip without approval.

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