

GLOBAL VOLUNTEERS

SERVICE PROGRAM REGISTRATION AND AGREEMENT FOR A MINOR

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Service Program Country _____ Service Program Start Date: _____

☐ 1 week ☐ 2 weeks ☐ 3 weeks ☐ Extended Service T-Shirt Size: _____

Name of Registrant (as on passport): _____

Registrant's preferred first name: _____ School: _____

Mailing address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ ZIP: _____ Country: _____ Phone: () _____

Birth Date: ____/____/____ Gender: _____ Email address: _____

Global Volunteers is a nonprofit corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of Minnesota, USA. In this Agreement, "Global Volunteers" means the corporation, its trustees, directors, officers, employees, team leaders, and agents. "You" and "Your" refers to the parent signing this Agreement. "Your Child" refers to the Registrant. "The Host" refers to the entity(ies) (e.g., school, clinic, hospital, organization, community, and/or government agency) which invited Global Volunteers and/or to which your child is assigned to serve, and its employees, agents, officers, and directors. Global Volunteers will make all the necessary arrangements to provide Your Child the opportunity to work with and learn from local people in the community for which she/he registers, subject to availability. Your Child agrees to volunteer his/her time and talents following Global Volunteers guidelines and policies.

You and Your Child further agree to the terms outlined in this document. For International Service Programs, Your Child will need a valid passport. The service program contribution covers double-occupancy accommodations unless otherwise indicated in Global Volunteers' materials.

SERVICE PROGRAM POLICIES: Service Program contributions are listed at www.globalvolunteers.org. A \$350 nonrefundable deposit, which is applied toward the Service Program contribution, is due with this Registration. The balance of the contribution is due 90 days prior to the scheduled date of arrival. **The Service Program contribution does not include visas or airfare.** You authorize Global Volunteers to use the contribution for general operating purposes until the Service Program begins. Further, You hereby grant Global Volunteers permission to use Your Child's likeness via photos or recordings, both audio and visual, or other digital media, taken during the Service Program, in any and all of its publications, including web-based publications (Media), without payment or other consideration. You understand and agree that all Media will become the property of Global Volunteers and may not be returned. You hereby irrevocably authorize Global Volunteers to edit, alter, copy, exhibit, publish, or distribute this Media for any lawful purpose. In addition, You waive any right to inspect or approve the finished product wherein Your Child's likeness appears, and You and Your Child's heirs and assigns waive any and all right to royalties or other compensation arising or related to the use of the Media.

ADDITIONAL COSTS ARE YOUR RESPONSIBILITY: The Service Program contribution includes all meals beginning with dinner on the arrival date, lodging, in-country ground transportation, and administrative expenses. Other funding covers work project costs. You and/or Your Child are responsible for any costs Your Child may incur during free time and for activities that are outside the Global Volunteers Service Program. Global Volunteers is not responsible for the acts or failures of

anyone else who provides services to You or Your Child.

TRAVEL DEVIATIONS: If You/Your Child voluntarily deviate from Global Volunteers' scheduled itinerary, You may not be able to take the costs of the Service Program as a tax deduction. We recommend that You seek the advice of a tax advisor regarding this matter.

CANCELLATION AND REFUND: Global Volunteers may cancel any Service Program at any time. Global Volunteers may reject Your child's Registration at any time. Global Volunteers will refund the total amount You and/or Your Child contributed to Global Volunteers for this Service Program (1) if the Service Program is filled at the time Your Child Registers; (2) if Global Volunteers rejects Your Child's Registration for any reason; or (3) if Global Volunteers cancels the Service Program for any reason other than (a) a U.S. State Department Level 4 travel warning that applies to the country to which Your Child is traveling, or (b) circumstances beyond the control of Global Volunteers. If You cancel Your Child's Service Program for any reason, **You must notify Global Volunteers in writing.** If You cancel Your Child's Service Program, or if Global Volunteers cancels the Service Program because of a U.S. State Department Level 4 travel warning or for circumstances beyond the control of Global Volunteers, You will receive a partial refund according to the refund schedule below. Global Volunteers will not refund or reimburse airfare, airfare penalties or transfer charges under any circumstance. Global Volunteers will not make refunds for unused portions of the Service Program or because of Your Child's inability to participate according to the scheduled itinerary.

Refund Policy Based on Cancellation Date:

- Over 90 days: \$350 deposit is not refunded. 100 percent of balance is refunded.
- 90 to 45 days: \$350 deposit is not refunded. 55 percent of balance is refunded.
- Less than 45 days: \$350 deposit is not refunded. 25 percent of balance is refunded.

IF YOUR CHILD MUST TRANSFER TO ANOTHER SERVICE PROGRAM: We request that Your Child not register for a service program until You and Your Child are certain about both country and dates in order to avoid costly arrangements we make on Your Child's behalf. If Your Child must cancel, and Your Child registers for a different service program within 12 months of the original arrival date, Your Child's non-refundable \$350 deposit may be applied to the new service program – subject to space availability. There is a \$100 change fee if Your Child transfers to the original country and a \$200 change fee if Your Child transfers to a service program in a different country.

YOUR CHILD PARTICIPATES AT HIS/HER OWN RISK: You acknowledge that there are dangers in traveling to and living and volunteering in the country for which Your Child is registering, some of which are described at <https://globalvolunteers.org/travel-risks/>. You agree Your Child will travel and participate at his/her own risk. You agree to assume full responsibility for injury to Your Child, including death and emotional trauma, and damage to or theft of Your and Your Child's property. Global Volunteers is not responsible for the acts or failures of anyone else.

YOU AGREE NOT TO SUE GLOBAL VOLUNTEERS OR THE HOST: You and Your Child agree You will not sue or bring any action against Global Volunteers or the Host because of the negligence of Global Volunteers or the Host. You will not sue or bring any action against Global Volunteers or the Host because of the negligence or intentional acts of anyone else. If anyone, e.g., You, a family member, Your Child, grandparent, spouse, etc., sues or brings any action against Global Volunteers or the Host because of the negligence of Global Volunteers or the Host, or because of the negligence or intentional acts of anyone else, You and Your estate shall indemnify and hold harmless Global Volunteers and the Host from all claims, judgments, and costs, including reasonable attorney's fees. You and/or Your Child may sue or bring an action for intentional acts, gross misconduct, or gross negligence caused by Global Volunteers.

YOUR CHILD AGREES TO FOLLOW RULES AND LAWS:

Global Volunteers requires all volunteers to arrive at the designated site by the scheduled Service Program arrival date and within the arrival window. Your Child will be the guest of the Host. Your Child agrees to follow all applicable rules, policies, and guidelines of Global Volunteers and the Host, as well as the laws of the local country. If Your Child does not follow all rules, laws, policies and guidelines, Global Volunteers' team leader has the authority to require Your Child to leave the community and/or lodging facility immediately. If Your Child is asked to leave, You and Your Child agree that Your child will leave immediately. In addition, Global Volunteers cannot be held responsible for Your child's failure to abide by local laws and any penalties imposed by local authorities due to such failure. Further, You agree that Global Volunteers will not refund any portion of Your or Your Child's service program contribution in the event Your Child is asked to leave the community and/or lodging facility or is found violating local laws. Global Volunteers will provide Your Child transportation to the airport of departure.

MINNESOTA LAW CONTROLS:

You agree that this Service Program Registration and Agreement is to be construed under the laws of the State of Minnesota, USA. You agree that this Agreement is to be construed broadly to provide a release, indemnification, and waiver to the maximum extent permissible under applicable law. In signing this Agreement, You acknowledge (1) that You have read this entire document, (2) that You understand its terms, (3) that You are at least eighteen (18) years of age, (4) that by signing it You are giving up substantial legal rights You and/or Your Child might otherwise have, and (5) that You have signed it knowingly and voluntarily. If any provision of this Agreement is deemed unenforceable or too broad to be enforced to its full extent, then that provision and the remaining provisions will be enforced to the maximum extent permitted by law. Any dispute or controversy arising under or in connection with this Agreement shall be settled exclusively by arbitration, conducted before a panel of three arbitrators in Saint Paul, Minnesota, in accordance with the rules of the American Arbitration Association then in effect.

SPECIFIC AUTHORIZATION: If You have already paid the deposit for Your Child's Service Program contribution, You hereby authorize Global Volunteers to collect the balance owed using the same payment method. Therefore, if You paid Your Child's deposit by credit/debit card or ACH, You authorize Global Volunteers to charge the balance owed using the same debit/credit card or ACH number. If You paid Your Child's deposit by personal check, You authorize Global Volunteers to collect the balance owed using the routing and account numbers listed on the check. Additionally, other payment methods include but are not limited to IRA distributions, Donor Advised Funds, wire transfer.

We have carefully read this Agreement, agree to its terms, and have made a photocopy.

Registrant please sign here

Dated: _____

Parent/Guardian please sign here

Dated: _____

Parent/Guardian print name here

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE

STATE (or Province) of _____)
_____) ss.
COUNTY (or City) of _____)

On this _____ day of _____, 20____, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared _____, known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the Registrant's parent or legal guardian named above and who executed the foregoing Service Program Registration and Agreement for a Minor and he/she acknowledged that he/she executed the Agreement as his/her free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein contained.

In Witness Whereof I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

(Place official seal here)

NOTARY PUBLIC SIGNATURE