



Global Volunteers Timeline at a Glance

1984: Global Volunteers is incorporated as a 501C3 tax-exempt organization. Early projects focus on infrastructure and health care in Jamaica's Blue Mountains.

1987: Tanzania service program begins.

1988: Mexico service program begins.

1989: Indonesia service program begins.

1990: Poland service program begins with first English teaching projects.

1991: USA service program begins in the Mississippi Delta.

1992: Costa Rica, Russia and Ukraine service programs begin.

1994: Vietnam and Spain service programs begin.

1995: Italy and Greece service programs begin.

1996: Turkey, Ecuador and China service programs begin.

1997: Ireland service program begins.

1998: Cook Islands and Ghana service programs begin.

1999: India, Romania and Ukraine service programs begin.
Millennium Service Project mobilizes volunteers during the last week of 1999.

2003: Hungary service program begins.

2004: Australia and Peru programs begin.
Global Volunteers 20th anniversary

2006: Brazil service program begins.

2007: Portugal service program begins.

2008: South Africa and Portugal programs begin.

2009: Global Volunteers 25th Anniversary

2011: St. Lucia Project launched – Essential Services Prospectus published