

2019 AIM APPLICATION FORM – ADULT (Over 18 at time of trip)

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Procedure: (All participants, including youth pastors must complete an application)

1. Thoroughly Complete Parts 1-3 of application, including **Notarized Consent Form**.
2. Apply for a passport (for foreign trips) if you don't already have one, and start fundraising.
3. Attach a photo of yourself to this application.
4. Submit application by **November 30, 2018** with a \$200 non-refundable deposit.

PART 1 – APPLICANT INFORMATION

Please type or print clearly using ink - **Use your LEGAL NAME - as it appears on your passport!**

Legal First Name _____ **Legal** Middle Name _____
Legal Last Name _____ Phone (_____) _____
Address _____ City _____ St _____ Zip _____
Birth date ____ - ____ - ____ Age _____ Sex _____ Country of Citizenship _____
E-mail Address _____
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) _____ Phone (_____) _____
Church Name _____ Pastor's Name _____
Trip location _____ T-Shirt Size _____
I currently have a passport _____

Education Information

The grade I have completed at time of trip? _____ School I attend? _____

Health Information

How would you describe your physical condition? _____
Any physical issues that might affect your performance on the trip? _____
Will you be willing to eat whatever food you are served? _____
Do you have any special dietary requirements? _____

Insurance Information

I have health insurance _____ YES _____ NO
Physician _____ Physician's Phone _____
Insurance company _____ ID # _____
Group # _____ Phone number _____

Questions? Contact Bobby (Minnesota Aim director) at: minnesota.aim@gmail.com

or

Call: 320-360-9990. Check out our website at: www.minnesotaaim.com



PART 2 – SPIRITUAL EXPERIENCE / PASTOR'S REFERENCE

(Attach an additional sheet of paper if needed.)

1. **Your spiritual experience:** Tell me your salvation story and how you began your personal relationship the Lord.

2. **Your experience in Christian service:** Explain how you have been involved in your youth group, church, campus ministry, etc...

3. Tell me **WHY** you want to participate in this mission trip. Do you feel like God is leading you on this trip? How is that?

Applicant's Name _____

Dear Pastor:

We would appreciate your confidential comments on the applicant's maturity, stability, temperament, and ability to adjust to new situations, physical stamina and any other traits or qualities, which might be assets or liabilities. Exposure to pressures, cultural shock and physical stress places a great demand on the character and disposition of each applicant. It is impossible for us to become personally acquainted with all applicants. Therefore, we must rely on your recommendation. Please complete the form and return it to us as soon as possible.

- 1. How long have you been acquainted with the applicant? _____ In what relationship? _____
- 2. State briefly your opinion of his/her dedication to Christ. _____
- 3. What leadership abilities has he/she evidenced? _____
- 4. What special talents has he/she shown? _____
- 5. Are his/her Christian standards above reproach? Yes / No _____
- 6. To your knowledge, is he/she in good health? Yes / No _____
- 7. Does he/she have any emotional, mental or physical handicaps? _____

Please check:

	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
Spiritual depth and maturity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ability to get along with others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Follows through on instructions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cooperation/Teachable	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
General attitude	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disposition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
General appearance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Faithfulness to church/youth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

In my estimation, the applicant would be a(n): Excellent Good Fair Poor ... addition to AIM.

I recommend them for AIM: YES NO Why / Why not? _____

Signed _____ Date _____

Church _____ Phone: (_____) _____ - _____

Address _____ City _____ St _____ Zip _____

**All team members 18 years of age & older at time of trip must
Complete this form and have it NOTARIZED as part of their AIM application**

I (name) _____, in consideration of my acceptance as a member of an AIM (Ambassadors In Mission outreach) to (outreach location) _____ and in cooperation with the Youth Department of the MN District Council / Dept. of Missions General Council of the Assemblies of God (referred to after as: A/G) represent and agree that:

1. I am a volunteer and acknowledge that I am not an employee of the General Council of the A/G, or the Minnesota District Council of the A/G.
2. I am aware of the hazards and risks to my person and property associated with serving in a mission capacity, such hazards and risks including, but not being limited to, death or injury by accident, disease, terrorist acts, weather conditions, inadequate medical services and supplies, criminal activity, and random acts of violence. I accept my assignment with full awareness of these risks, and I voluntarily assume all risk of death, injury, illness, and damage to myself or any member of my family associated with such risks. I further recognize that such risks have always been associated with missionary service. *2 Corinthians 11:23-28.*
3. I attest and certify that I have no medical conditions that would prevent me from performing my duties.
4. I waive any and all claims for damages which I, or my heirs or successors, may have against the General Council of the A/G, or the Minnesota District Council of the A/G and their staff arising from my death, injury, or illness, or any property damage or loss occurring during the term of my assignment or as a result of my assignment.
5. In the event that I have minor children who will accompany me on my assignment, I, acting both on my own behalf and in their behalf as their parent and legal guardian, do hereby assume all risks of death, illness, or injury that they may suffer as a result of said assignment, from those causes described above.
6. I expressly waive any defense to the enforcement of any provision of this commitment arising from a claim of lack of consideration and warrant that this commitment constitutes a legal, valid, and binding obligation upon me, enforceable against me in accordance with its terms.
7. I understand and accept the following policy of the Division of Foreign Missions regarding ransom payments:
The Foreign Missions Board has determined that it will not pay ransom nor yield to the demands of anyone who takes hostage one of our staff or volunteers' hostage. The Division of Foreign Missions pledges itself to every effort in prayer and all other appropriate means to obtain the release of one taken hostage should it ever occur. This policy was made after sufficient study of the policies of other evangelical missionary societies and after considering the advice of the United States State Department.
8. I expressly agree that this assumption of risk and indemnity agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by law. I further state that **I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE FOREGOING ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS THEREOF, AND I VOLUNTARILY SIGN THIS RELEASE AS MY OWN FREE ACT.**
9. Are you bringing any medications on this mission trip? _____ If yes, please list medication and reason for medication: _____
10. Are you allergic to any medications (please list)? _____
11. I give the team leader and or the missionary / host I am working with, to seek competent medical assistance if deemed necessary.

Date: _____

Print Name: _____

Legible Signature of Applicant

Legible Signature of Spouse (if he or she is accompanying you)

MUST be completed by Notary Public

STATE OF: _____

COUNTY OF: _____

On this _____ day of _____, 20____, before me, _____, a Notary Public in and for said state personally appeared _____, known to me to be the person(s) who executed the within agreement and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same for the purposes therein stated.

My commission expires: _____ Signature: _____

Notary please stamp here:



2019 AIM BACKGROUND CHECK RELEASE

I authorize the Minnesota District Aim department to run a background check by providing the information below and signing the form.

* A/G licensed minister, you do not have to fill this out *

First Name _____ MI _____ Last Name _____

(Maiden Name) _____

Social Security Number

_____ - _____ - _____

Birth Date _____

Current Physical Address (No P.O. Boxes)

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Country _____

Previous Address (No P.O. Boxes)

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Country _____

Signed _____ Date _____



Minnesota Aim Code of Conduct

1. I will do my best to keep a positive attitude during the length of the trip (despite what the trip may entail). I will refrain from complaining and making negative comments about the food, the heat, other team members, or a list of hundreds of other things that might make me uncomfortable. I understand, I am not on vacation, and the purpose of this trip is for me to serve, and represent Christ in any and all situations.
2. I will listen to the team leader, and accept his/her decisions. I understand their decisions are final, it's not a democracy.
3. I will be on-time to all meetings, and be 100% ready to walk out the door for ministry at the time the leaders set. I know I may be in a cultural setting where everything typically running late, but my team won't be running our trips like that...I WILL BE ON TIME!
4. I will not use any tobacco, alcohol, pornography, or illegal drugs during the trip. I understand that the use of any of these items may be grounds for instant dismissal and will not be tolerated. I also agree, to not purchase any of these items to bring home for myself, my family or friends after the trip.
5. I will avoid all actions or attitudes which could be perceived as being romantic towards the nationals. I will also not seek romantic relationships with any of the team members during the trip, including flirting. As a team, we will all agree to not do anything ILLEGAL, IMMORAL OR UNETHICAL!
6. I will refrain from making derogatory comments or getting into arguments with others about the national people or their culture, politics, race, religion, or traditions.
7. I will always travel with the team. I understand I cannot be away from the group without talking directly with the team leader. I know they are responsible for you 100% of the time, so they MUST know where I am at 100% of the time.
8. I agree, that if correction of my behavior becomes necessary, I will be open to correction by the team leader. I understand that if my behavior jeopardizes the objectives of the mission, and my problematic conduct is not resolved and/or corrected, I may be set aside or sent home early, at my own additional expense.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Trip location: _____