Biltmore Church | Missions Thailand Medical Trip Trip Information

Trip Dates: March 13th - March 23rd, 2025 **Type:** Short-term, International, Medical

Cost: \$3,300 (Estimated)

Who can Go: College Students, Young Adults, Adults

Trip Spots: 8-12

Trip Info

Vision:

Join us in Thailand as we partner with the International Mission Board on a medical mission where we'll work with long-term missionaries to host a medical clinic for community members. Meeting these physical needs will help provide an opportunity to meet the greater spiritual need of hearing the gospel.

We believe that one day people from every tribe, tongue, and nation will worship God around His throne. Buddhism is the current reigning religion of Thailand, with an estimate of 88.1% of the country following its influence. There are 74 UPG's (Unreached People Groups) in this country. As we see the cultural influence in Asia continue moving towards work-based religion and fear, it is our prayer and desire to see this continent come to know the free gift of saving grace found only in Jesus.

What's Expected:

As a team member joining in on the ministry happening through the IMB. The International Mission Board has developed strategic medical and evangelistic opportunities that Biltmore Church gets to engage in. This includes hosting medical clinics, prayer, and evangelism. Other expectations include:

- Evangelism / Prayer Walking You will have the opportunity to share the Gospel with locals, as you interact with them through medical clinics.
- Medical Experience Medical clinics will be hosted throughout Thailand and offered to locals. It is expected that you have experience working in the medical field as a nurse, doctor, or medical professional.

- Maintain flexibility Scheduled activities are subject to change due to various factors so maintaining a spirit of flexibility allows you to be open to any changes God may have for your team.
- Care serving on a short-term mission trip is a great way to serve and care for the team leading Redeemer Queens Park. Offering to cook a meal, watching their children so they can go out, cleaning, game nights, etc., are all great ways to care for our partners on the field.
- Show Up Be present for all pre-trip and post-trip meetings as well as all in-country activities. We want you to make the most of your time as you engage the nations with the hope of the gospel.

Team Meetings (Minimum of 3) and Dates:

- Prayer / Care Date & Location TBD
- Logistics / Team Building Date & Location TBD
- Evangelism Training / Ministry Prep Date & Location TBD
- Post Trip Celebration / Debrief Date & Location TBD

Requirements

- Prerequisites

- Must have medical experience.
- Must have a valid passport with at least six months of validity remaining when traveling internationally.
 - Must be able to walk an average of 20,000 steps per day.
- Must complete a background check.

- Responsibilities

- Carry yourself at all times as a disciple of Jesus Christ.
- Engage with people from other cultural and socioeconomic backgrounds.
- Comfortability initiating and facilitating spiritual conversations.
- Commitment to hearing from God through his Word on your decision to go on this trip.
- Fundraising It is your responsibility to fundraise the total amount required for your trip.

Medications & Passport

- Check the CDC website for the recommended vaccines.
- Must have a valid passport with at least six months of validity remaining when traveling internationally. Visit <u>travel.state.gov</u> for more information on applying for a passport.