



Welcome!

<p><u>Personal Notes</u></p>	<p>We are so glad to have the chance to host you at Care Corner Orphanage, Chiangmai. For some, this may be your first time or maybe you have been here many times. In any event, we would like you to read this booklet carefully. <i>You are responsible for the information in this handbook.</i></p>
	<p><i>WHAT TO EXPECT IN YOUR SHORT-TERM MISSION TRIP</i></p>
	<p>A Hands-On Experience Trip</p> <p>There is nothing “put on” or artificial about the field where you will serve. The hot or cool weather, the dirt, the strange sounds and smells, the foreign language and with people of another culture are all genuine and real. This is “missionary work” which countless servants of Christ are experiencing daily all over the world.</p>
	<p>A Hand to Hand Combat with the Power of Darkness</p> <p>“put on the whole armour of God, for your being able to stand against the wiles of the devil, because we have not the wrestling with blood and flesh, but with the principalities, with the authorities, with the world-rulers of the darkness of this age, with the spiritual things of the evil in the heavenly places; because of this take ye up the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to resist in the day of the evil, and all things having done--to stand.” (Eph. 6:11-13) Our only defense is total surrender of our will to the Lordship of Jesus and the direction of the Holy Spirit, so that even though we may encounter difficulties we can be overcomers through the power of our Lord Jesus Christ who has promised to be with us even unto the end of the world. (Matt. 28:20)</p>
	<p>An Opportunity to See God Do Miracles in Answer to Prayer</p> <p>We encourage every one to look to the Lord for every need, whether it be financial, physical, spiritual, emotional or whatever and to remember that He works in answer to believing prayer. (see Matt. 7:7,8; 21:22; Jn. 14:13, 14; Eph. 6:18)</p>
	<p>A “Life Orientation” Trip</p> <p>People of all ages go on a short-term missions trip seeking God’s direction. Often when they are removed from familiar contacts and circumstances at home, God is able to reveal His will to them, whether it be in full-time Christian service or not.</p>
	<p>A Home Appreciation Trip</p> <p>As we see how other children live, it makes us grateful for what God has given us and makes us realize our responsibility to use our lives, our health and our wealth to serve others better.</p>

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<p>A Cross-cultural Relations Learning Trip</p> <p>It is a different world on the foreign field although many of the things you see may look like home. Our Thai friends do things in a way that works just fine for them and it is for us as foreigners to learn about their life-style, understand it and adapt to it. Away from home and your comfort zone you will find yourself doing things you never knew you could do. You will be stretched in areas that weren't even available back home. All of these experiences result in the maturing of our character.</p>	
<p>A Work Trip</p> <p>You may be expected to spend at least eight hours a day of dedicated work such as mural wall painting, making of handicrafts, mending fish breeding nets, landscaping , farming, teaching English and the like.</p>	
<p>A Fun Trip</p> <p>Depending on your schedule, you may have some time for recreation, soccer, fishing, elephant riding, river rafting, shopping & sight-seeing.</p>	
<p>A Spiritual Trip</p> <p>Through the morning and evening devotions and ministering of the various outreaches, spiritual lives are deepened and strengthened.</p>	
<p>An Evangelistic, Seed Sowing Experience Trip</p> <p>Through giving out Gospel literature, testimonies, participating with music, puppets or however, you will instill the Word of God in their lives. You will bring souls to salvation through faith in the Lord Jesus.</p>	
<p>DRESS CODE</p>	
<p>The following dress code contains the general standards set for the orphanage in Thailand. All persons participating in this trip MUST BE WILLING to adjust their appearance and behavior to blend with the customs of the country in which they are working.</p>	
<p>Approved dress code for GIRLS</p> <p>Dresses, skirts, which are knee length or longer, pants and jeans are to be worn for all ministry meetings. No spaghetti strap tops or tank tops should be worn during these meetings. Mid-thigh length or longer shorts, jeans and pants can be worn for traveling, working, downtown shopping and recreation.</p>	
<p>Approved dress code for GUYS</p> <p>Long pants or jeans are preferred to be worn for all ministry meetings. You may wear shorts, jeans or pants for traveling, working, downtown shopping and recreation.</p>	

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What to bring ...

1. Sufficient clothes for the duration of your stay. Washing machine is available at CCO.
2. Work clothes that you don't mind getting ruined with paint or stain.
3. Nice clothes for school meetings, evening meetings or church service.
4. Towel and wash cloth, soap, shampoo and toiletry articles.
5. Work gloves, hat or cap for sun protection while at work.
6. Sleeping bag if you're planning to spend the night in the interior jungle. We provide bunks with mattresses at CCO.
7. Flashlight.
8. Slippers, tongs, flip-flops or sandals.
9. Shoes for sports.
10. If you take prescription drugs, please bring enough for the entire trip.

Bedrooms/Dormitories & Bathrooms Guidelines

1. Do not leave the lights and fan on when no one is in the room.
2. Sanitary napkins must be thrown into the trash bin and not into the toilet bowl.
3. You are responsible to empty the trash bin as and when it's needed.
4. At all times, keep your room clean. "Cleanliness is next to Godliness."
5. Be considerate. No loud music, noise or lights on after lights out time.

<p>Safety Box</p> <p>There is a safe available for team leader to store passports, cash and traveling documents for the team at the office upon request.</p>	<p>Laundry</p> <p>We provide the use of washing machine. Please use appropriate soap powder for machine used. Try to maximize the load of clothes according to instruction.</p>	<p>Internet & Electricity</p> <p>Usage of internet broadband is available and free. Thailand's electric supply is 220 –240 volts. Most power points for the plugs are two flat prongs or two round prongs. Adapters can be bought if your plugs do not fit.</p>
<p>Boy/Girl Relationship</p> <p>Your purpose in this trip is serving in missions with Care Corner Orphanage. We encourage you to be friendly with everyone, but refrain from spending time with just one particular person most of the time, especially the opposite sex. Strictly no dating for singles!</p>	<p>Currency</p> <p>You may get a better exchange rate for Thai baht in your country. Check with your local money changer in your city/town and compare the rates in any Thai banks from the internet, or go to "www.xrates.com" to check the rates. Visa & Master credit cards are well accepted.</p>	<p>Sickness</p> <p>In case of sickness, please let us know. Don't be a hero! We have a live-in paramedic and basic medical supplies at the orphanage to meet your basic medical needs. In case of emergency, our 24 hr. hospital is only 5 km/10 min. drive away.</p>
<p>Security</p> <p>Don't leave the grounds alone or without permission. Your leaders must know where you are at all times. No one is to leave the compound except in a group with permission from your leaders. Team leaders must have a photocopy of team members' passports/ travel documents at all times.</p>	<p>Food</p> <p>All of our meals are prepared in our own kitchen by our staff. If there is any special medical diet required, please let us know ahead of time. Our motto for food is, <i>"where He leads me I will follow; what He feeds me I will swallow"</i> 😊</p>	<p>Water</p> <p>We are very proud of our mineral water system. Our well is over 60 meters deep and the water passes through a macro filter before coming through the taps. It is safe to use the tap water for brushing teeth. Our drinking water goes through micro filters that are available in all our kitchens.</p>

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<p>Orphanage/Children's Home</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Teaching English to the children & staff 2. Preaching, teaching bible studies, music, praise & worship, etc. (depending on your gifts and talents) 3. Being caregiver to HIV/AIDS infected children 4. Practical work assignments or projects during the day, and plenty of opportunities to practice your Thai language 	<p>Hill Tribes Evangelistic & Revival Meetings</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Door to Door visitation to the villagers 2. Evening revival & healing meeting 3. Mercy ministry to the poor 4. Mobile clinic, preaching & teaching 5. Practical projects and work assignments during the day
<p>Public School Outreaches</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Teaching English as a second language at near-by public schools 2. Evangelistic outreach using mimes, dances, puppets, etc 3. Mobile clinic cum evangelism 4. Opportunity to witness/testify 5. Pray for students 	<p>Neighborhood Outreaches</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Door to Door visitation 2. Sports & games 3. Cooking demonstration 4. Mobile clinic cum evangelism 5. Mercy ministry to the poor
<p>Church Ministry/Church Planting</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Involving with local church ministries 2. Preaching & teaching on Sunday services 3. Conducting seminars for the church members or leaders 	<p>Rainbow Home</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Serving children with HIV 2. Cleaning, washing and care giving at the home

How Much Does It Cost?

Approximately TH฿10,000 Baht per person 7-10 days/TH฿30,000 Baht per person a month includes:

- Airport transfer to and fro from Chiangmai International Airport to CCO
- Transportation for all traveling within Chiangmai
- Food & Accommodation
- All materials for community work
- Sight-seeing, Outing/Fun time

CCO has accommodation for a maximum of 50 people at any one time. The charges depend upon the program and the number of people in the group or individual.