

Some Frequently Asked Questions

ARE OTHER PEOPLE FROM PARKER HILL GOING ON THIS JOURNEY?

These trips are “open” to people from all over the country. Right now, we have about a dozen folks from Parker Hill considering this opportunity.

AM I RESPONSIBLE FOR MY OWN AIRFARE? WHAT WILL IT COST?

No, The 410Bridge will make all of the necessary travel arrangements (airfare, accommodations, meals, etc.). Flights to Haiti are about \$600. Once The 410Bridge has a committed team, they will be able to find the best prices available. The price of airfare, plus \$585 will cover all your expenses from US take-off US return.

WILL THERE BE ADDITIONAL EXPENSES?

The only other expenses that we can foresee are (1) transport to / from the US airport and (2) snacks or any souvenirs that you may wish to purchase.

WHAT ARE THE IMMUNIZATIONS/MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR TRAVELING TO HAITI?

The Center for Disease Control does not list any required immunizations. We recommend that you speak to your Health Care Provider to discuss your travel plans and suggested precautions. You can also see what the CDC recommends on their travel page: <http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/destinations/haiti.aspx>

CAN I BRING MY KIDS?

Both Parker Hill and The 410Bridge are all about “family-friendly global journeys.” We’re excited to provide opportunities for families to serve together.

However, these initial trips are being limited to ages 18 and up. As with Kenya, the goal will be for the trips to be family-friendly but we’re just not sure that these first trips are the best for that until we get some footings in-country.

It is very much our heart to have families go on service trips together and Haiti is no different, but not just yet. We’ll keep you posted.

WILL THERE BE FUTURE TRIPS TO HAITI?

We anticipate that The 410Bridge will be organizing similar trips throughout the spring/summer.

WHAT ABOUT A PASSPORT?

You’ll need one and will have to act quickly to get one.

1. Go to any US Post Office. Ask for a passport application and tell them when you hope to travel. They will tell you if and how you can get it in time.
2. Get your passport pictures taken. Many local drug stores do this quickly and inexpensively. Take your completed application, 2 passport pictures and a check to the Post Office to mail it out. *For more information, visit http://travel.state.gov/passport/forms/ds11/ds11_842.html*

If you have additional questions, please don’t hesitate to contact . . .

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