Belize Mission Trip

Purpose: Construction, Community Service

When: Mar 24 - Apr 4, 2019

Summary

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Projects

Not Specified

Lodging & Food

Not Specified

Health Notes

Not Specified

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People Needed Participants Target Age Skills Cost

Total: 26 (Denominational \$0.00 1 - 10 Target Age: Any Skills: Any

Employees: 3, Other: 23)

Sponsored by Chinook Winds Adventist Academy

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Website Not Specified

Registration Closed



Approval Status Approved Mar 24, 2019

Recorded Status Recorded Mar 24, 2019

N/A **Visiting**

World Divisions Inter-American Division

Host Contact Paul Antunes

Travel Advisory

Belize



Exercise increased caution in Belize due to crime. Some areas have increased risk. Please read the entire Travel Advisory.

Country Summary: Violent crime – such as sexual assault, home invasions, armed robberies, and murder – are common even during daylight hours and in tourist areas. A significant portion of violent crime is gang related. Due to high crime, travelers are advised to exercise caution while traveling to the south side of Belize City. Local police lack the resources and training to respond effectively to serious criminal incidents. Most crimes remain unresolved and unprosecuted.

Read the country information page for additional information on travel to Belize.

If you decide to travel to Belize:

Read the Department of State's COVID-19 page before planning any international travel.

- · Be aware of your surroundings.
- · Avoid walking or driving at night.
- Do not physically resist any robbery attempt.
- Be extra vigilant when visiting banks or ATMs.
- Do not display signs of wealth, such as wearing expensive watches or jewelry.
- Enroll in the Smart Traveler Enrollment Program (STEP) to receive alerts and make it easier to locate
 you in an emergency.
- Follow the Department of State on Facebook and Twitter.
- Review the Country Security Report for Belize.
- Prepare a contingency plan for emergency situations. Review the Traveler's Checklist.
- Visit the CDC page for the latest Travel Health Information related to your travel.

Belize City – Level 3: Reconsider Travel

U.S. citizens should avoid traveling to Belize City. Historically much of the violent crime in Belize occurs in the Southside of Belize City and is gang related. This area (south of Haulover Creek Canal and continuing south to Fabers Road) does not overlap the typical tourism areas. All visitors should maintain an elevated level of due diligence and reduce their exposure to crime-related risks by practicing good safety and security practices.