



The Problem:

Too many people in Haiti struggle with a lack of access to the basics of life – good nutrition, clean water, and economic opportunities.

- Haiti is the poorest country in the western hemisphere with two and a half million people living in extreme poverty. 100,000 Haitian children under five years of age are suffering from acute malnutrition.*
- Less than 50% of households have access to safe water.*
- 54% of the people live on less than \$1.90 per day.**

*World Food Programme -10 Facts About Hunger in Haiti, **World Bank



We can do something to change this!

The Solution:

Strong Harvest (SHI) has developed relationships and partnerships with leaders in Haiti who have been working in their communities to overcome these serious challenges. These leaders have asked us to bring SHI Peer Educator training seminars to their villages to teach how moringa can provide family-level answers to these issues.

You can be a part of a team that will bring the life-changing knowledge of basic nutrition and how to grow and use the amazing Moringa tree to these villages. You'll be empowering families to have access to a sustainable source of good nutrition, clean water, and economic opportunities. We'll be training one group of 10-20 people in a two-day Peer Educator seminar. We'll also be doing one-day follow-up workshops with the two groups that we trained August 2016.



Team members will play their parts in a variety of ways: team teaching in our adult and/or children's programs, interacting with the cooks to put moringa in the food we eat, writing down the stories of the people we meet, tree planting, if anybody's good at photography or music, there's a place for those skills. The team will share the various tasks, so we'll all have an opportunity to use our skills and abilities and we'll all get a chance to learn some new ones. SHI will provide all the preparation you'll need to be a valuable member of this team. Don't think you are not qualified to be a part of this team – a loving spirit and a desire to serve and be flexible are the only requirements.

The most important things about an experience like this are the cultural and relational connections you will make with the people you meet. We never fully know what to expect, and we are always amazed by how God weaves all the pieces together into an incredible experience we could not possibly have planned on our own.

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Trip Details:

Dates – Aug 1-10, 2017

Provide a 2-day Training for up to 20 new Peer Educators

Provide 1-day follow-up workshops for the groups we trained in Aug. 2016

Fun day activity - snorkling excursion or the Citidel (to be determined by the team)

Other days - Church service, village visits, training prep

Accommodations – a guest house near Cap-Haitien

Team Members:

Must be a minimum of 18 years old

Be in good health and not pregnant or to become pregnant soon (due to Zika)

Able to attend 5-6 mandatory team meetings, including one 6-hr Peer Educator training

Passport valid for at least 6 months beyond the date of arrival in Haiti

Able to make deposit, payments, and purchase airfare by due dates

Able to speak Haitian Creole - just kidding :-)

Team Member Costs:

Team fees = \$1,125

Team fees include: Food, bottled water, lodging, translators, ground transportation, trip preparation materials, team training, SHI t-shirt, team leadership and complete logistical coordination.

Other Expenses (approximate costs):

Airfare and baggage = \$975 (round trip PDX to CAP)

In-transit food on travel days = \$50

Travel medical insurance and Entry Visa = \$45

CDC recommended vaccines/prescription meds = \$0-\$300

Personal Expenses (approximate costs):

Fun day activity = \$70

Shopping, snacks, various tips = \$100

Estimated total cost: \$2,365 - \$2,665

Important dates:

April 1: \$100 nonrefundable deposit due (applied toward team fee)

Application and Liability Release form due

May 15: \$512.50 - 1st half of the team fees due

June 1-15: \$975.00 (approx.) - Airfare purchase

July 1: \$512.50 - 2nd half of the team fees due

Proof of international medical coverage due

