

WORK TEAMS



The International Christian Centers for the Deaf was established in 1992 to meet the unique needs of the deaf throughout the world. One of its primary tools is residential schools where children ages 4-18 are taught Sign Language so that the Gospel of Jesus Christ can be presented. We trust that each student will be led



into a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. The schools are academic and vocational training centers, molding and building Christian character in the students.

On the average, 1% of every country's population is deaf, and 10% of these are profoundly deaf children between the ages of 4 and 18. Though their country may be saturated with the Gospel, the deaf represent an unreached people group. Because of their deafness and lack of communication skills, the deaf are unable to hear the Good News of Christ. International Christian Centers for the Deaf is eager to provide facilities where the deaf can be taught Sign Language and given an education. Then the Gospel can be shared with them. We thank the Lord that Sign Language is an effective way of reaching His deaf children with the Gospel.

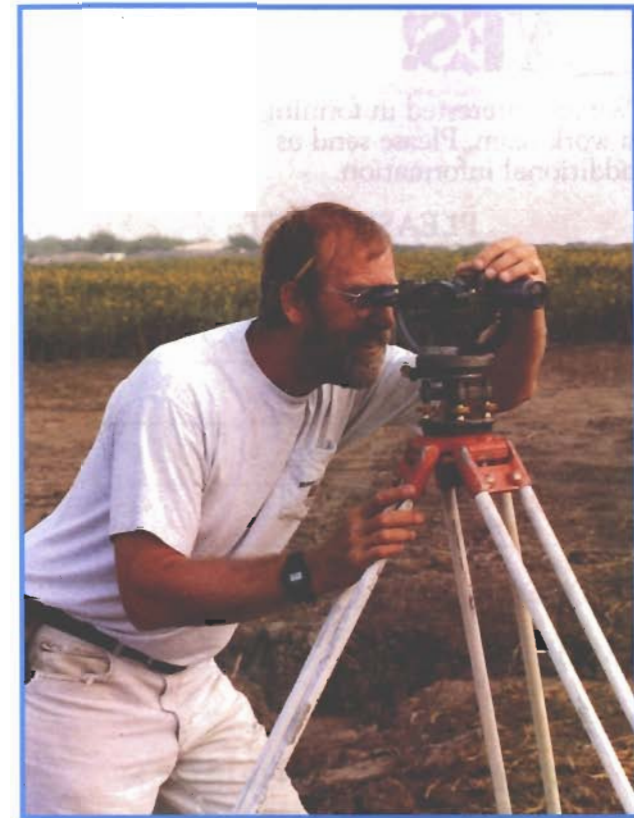


ICCD is committed to helping you and the church fulfill the Great Commission by hosting construction work teams. You can be a member of a work team. Going to the mission field and being personally involved in cross-cultural missions will help to enliven and strengthen your commitment to world evangelism.

Work teams of 10 to 150 people stay 1 to 2 weeks. Carpenters, plumbers, electricians and masons are greatly needed. However, unskilled workers with a willing heart are invaluable to every team. As long as the workers are in good health, age is not an important factor. The majority of our volunteers are women. Women and families prove to be a great asset and are encouraged to join the team. We have a project manager on the job site to assist your team in making your stay productive and enjoyable.

Work methods and conditions are different and rougher than those in the U.S. Having the right attitude and approach to your visit is important.

Flexibility and a willingness to help in any way are keys to a successful trip. Work teams should consider themselves ambassadors for Christ. Each team member needs to be committed to being a missionary, not a tourist, willing to serve and be



co-laborers with us in reaching the deaf children for the Kingdom of God.

Work teams need to remember that things are done differently in other countries. Our desire is to be an encouragement and a blessing to the people and not to offend them with our dress or behavior. The standards of national Christians are often different from those seen in tourist publications.

We would appreciate your team coming to work with us. We will do our best to make your stay productive, enjoyable, a blessing to you, and glorifying to the Lord. We are currently sending construction work teams to our twenty-seven acre campus in Rio Bravo, Mexico, about thirty minutes south of McAllen, TX. Upon completion, this campus will house 150 deaf students and will be equipped with playing fields and a teacher training center.



YES!



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We are interested in forming a work team. Please send us additional information.

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