



SoapBox has 15 years experience in short-term mission and has honed the process to the point where it maximises the experience of a participant, encouraging them to become activists for mission within their local context.

Often, returning participants become those who will champion mission in their local churches taking mission support to the next level. They become real assets to their local churches.

SoapBox can help make your short-term project a reality.

- *We can undertake the project logistics, air flights and travel arrangements, accommodation and sightseeing for the days off.*
- *We can help prepare your teams in cultural awareness and undertake pre-project orientation.*
- *We can organise CRB disclosures (good practice) for all participants.*
- *We can organise visas if required.*
- *We can help team members*

understand and deal with 'culture shock' issues that are often experienced on return.

- *We can de-brief teams and help them to maximise their experience in turning what they have learned into practical, ongoing action within the context of their local church communities.*
- *If your Church doesn't have a project that you wish to undertake immediately, we can take whole groups such as youth groups on SoapBox's own short-term projects. See our website for more info.*

Let us help you to get there and maximise the short-term experience for your church or group.

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Making a Difference

Church Project Support



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SoapBox is a registered Charitable Trust that specialises in taking teams on practical aid and mission projects to some of the poorest areas of the world.

Skilled and unskilled people of all backgrounds and walks of life have been on our projects since their launch in 1993. We have literally sent hundreds of people on short-term mission over the years and have built up a wealth of experience in the process.



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My Church wants to send out their own team on short-term mission. How can we do this responsibly and effectively?

In recent years, more and more churches have undertaken to send teams to support their own missionaries on projects or have developed relationships with local partners in another country and want to send a team to help in a project.

The problem is that for many local churches, they neither have the resources or the “know how” to implement the project effectively.

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We are a Christian organisation but do not proselytise and we are not sectarian. We believe in earthing our faith by demonstrating God’s love through practical, caring action. We believe firmly in the validity and effectiveness of short-term projects.



Mission 2007 and 2008. In addition, our Executive Director is a member of the Global Connections Short-Term Mission core group, responsible for the implementation and development of the code.



It is vital that Churches undertake short-term mission in a culturally sensitive manner if they are not to place in jeopardy the often painstaking work that is taking place in a location on a day to day basis by the very missionaries they seek to support.

