

APPLICATION PROCESS FOR TEAM MISSIONARIES (TMs)

1. Applicant completes an AFM application (if married, both adults must fill out separate apps.) and mails to the address listed on the back of the application or sends it via the web.
2. Your application is reviewed.
3. Applicant evaluation forms are mailed to the reference names indicated on your application.
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5. A phone interview of about one hour is arranged with you. If all is well...
6. You receive and sign the commitment form.
7. Next, you take the personality tests mailed to you and return them to the counselor who then sends us a report. Note: AFM takes very seriously the need to carefully screen its applicants. You may be asked very personal, probing questions. Please answer honestly and openly so that unresolved problems of the past or present will not cause you, the missionary, or AFM serious difficulties.
8. If everything looks good, we take your name to the Missionary Personnel Committee for a decision on acceptance and tentative placement.
9. Approval letters are sent to you, your career missionary family, and the project supervisor.
10. The handbook and fundraising materials are sent to you. Note: TMs need to read the handbook before training. Any questions should be directed to the Assistant to the Personnel Director. Fundraising materials include business reply envelopes for donations, magazines, and a video of the project (if available) or another AFM video.
11. You must have at least \$3,500 per person in donations recorded at AFM by May 15, to allow ample planning time before the summer training session (3-4 weeks for singles and 2 months for couples).
12. You must have at least \$9,200 total donations per person per year (or whatever is budgeted for your project area) before leaving to join the mission project.
13. You complete the required immunizations for your country of destination.
14. You also fill out and return to the Personnel Office Secretary required visa forms for country of destination. (Some countries do not require a visa application until arrival there)

Finally, you attend the summer training session required for all TMs before launching. You're on your way!