



TRIP DETAILS OVERVIEW:

PUERTO RICO

July 22-28, 2023

Application Deadline: Feb 3, 2023 *estimated

Partner Organization: Experience Mission (www.experienmission.org)

Click [here](#) for video overview.

Opportunity Summary:

Participation on this team will give an opportunity for participants to travel to Rincon, Puerto Rico to come alongside one of two local ministries The Happy Givers & The Family Church. Participants will be working with local leadership to serve communities that have been devastated by Hurricane Fiona. Puerto Rico was still in the process of rebuilding from a 2019 hurricane and are now faced with flooding, power outages, and building repairs.

Click [here](#) for an overview of the ministry partner: The Happy Givers. Click [here](#) for an overview of the ministry partner: The Family Church

Individual Cost: approximately \$1500/per person (includes flights, local transportation, insurance, meals, housing, and project costs)

About This Project

The objective of this trip is to support the rebuilding of communities in partnership with The Happy Givers & The Family Church and further your walk with the Lord. Participation on this team will give an opportunity to build relationship with the ministry team in Puerto Rico and to help families and communities rebuild their homes after the devastation of Hurricane Fiona. Participants will be able to engage in a few work projects including home repairs for the elderly, creation of sustainable gardens for food production, meal distribution to the elderly or homeless. Flexibility is key as projects can change and are based off of local ministry needs at the time of our trip.

What are the accommodations? We will be staying at an air-conditioned ministry house in a gated property. Sleeping quarters include multiple bedrooms, small kitchens, and shared living spaces all with air conditioning. Beds, sheets, & pillows are provided. There are modern toilets and both indoor and outdoor showers available. We will be transported throughout the country as arranged by the local ministry We will be accompanied by an EM Leader throughout the duration of the on-the-ground trip.

What will we eat? Three meals each day are provided by the local partner and are included in the cost of the trip. We will have at least one opportunity to enjoy a locally made Puerto Rican meal.

How many people will be going on this trip? Team size will not exceed 15 people including 2 leaders.

What documentation will I need? Since Puerto Rico is a territory of the United States **you do not need a passport** to travel to Puerto Rico. Adults will be required to show a state-issued photo I.D. card, such as a driver's license or a non-driving photo I.D.

