## LOUISIANA HURRICANE RELIEF TARGET DATES: MARCH 18<sup>TH</sup> – 25<sup>TH</sup>, 2023







## The Location

This spring break, you will have an opportunity to serve an area that was battered by multiple hurricanes. One was a Category 4 hurricane that became the second-most damaging and intense hurricane to make landfall in Louisiana on record. It caused catastrophic flooding and with sustained winds of 150 mph, it did incredible amounts of damage to buildings and structures. There are many people who cannot afford to have their homes repaired or rebuilt. Apply today and bring the hope of Christ to this devastated area!

This week will include:

- 5 days of Hurricane Relief Projects
- Construction, repairs, and massive cleanup
- Encouraging local families who are hurting
- Partnering with local churches and agencies
- Enjoy an adventure day exploring the colorful culture of Louisiana

# Fundraising Goal Range: \*will be finalized once the trip is greenlighted

- Beaverton Campus: \$1595-1795 \*Launch city is Portland, OR
- Valor Global Online: \$995 \*Starting in Louisiana

### How to Go:

#### At realimpact.com/valor

- Choose your trip location, "Louisiana"
- On the Louisiana page, submit online Application (includes medical info)
- Select your campus location and list your top 2 choices for your ministry location
- Submit \$95 non-refundable deposit due with Application

Trip Cost Information:

- **Includes** all ground transportation, on-location meals, lodging, leadership cost, ministry training, adventure day, and ministry supplies.
- Does not include domestic travel or airfare, souvenirs, Visa/passport fees, baggage fees, and airport meals
- **Donations to RIM are tax-deductible because RIM is a registered 501(c)3 organization.** All funds raised toward the project are non-refundable and non-transferable.

### Fundraising Deadlines

- \$95 non-refundable deposit due with application
- 1/3 of fundraising goal by Nov 15
- 2/3 of fundraising goal by Dec 15
- 100% raised by Feb 15

#### Forms

#### \*All forms can be found at realimpact.com/valorlouisiana

- Online Application Form open on September 30<sup>th</sup>
- Domestic Travel Info Form due on Dec 15<sup>th</sup> (RIM can provide guidance if needed)
- RIM Notarized Consent Form due on Feb 15<sup>th</sup>

#### Covid Donation Protection plan

At RIM we commit to stewarding each donation with kingdom responsibility. We understand the challenges and questions that come from fundraising in the Covid era, so we have worked to implement this Covid Donation Protection plan that will allow for as much flexibility as possible.

- Trip cancellations or postponements qualify for transfer of all funds that have not been expended, toward another location that year or for a future RIM trip.
- If an individual is unable to participate due to COVID-19 related issues, they also qualify for this donation protection. The funds he or she has raised that have not been expended, can go towards a future project, if done 30 days prior to the trip.

#### Immunizations Needed:

- Up-to-date childhood immunizations (required)\*
- Up-to-date Tetanus (required no exceptions)

\*Call RIM with questions.

#### RIM Contact Information

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