

MISSIONARY CARE

40 MISSIONARY FAMILIES
ACROSS 11 COUNTRIES



The Why: Missionary Care

The goals of the care team are many – but boil down to one primary goal: a **healthy** missionary unit (single, couple, family) in order that they may serve God and His people in their respective roles and fields for an extended period. In their service, LCMS missionaries seek to spread the Gospel, plant Lutheran churches and show mercy.

The How: Missionary Care

Care is provided and accomplished through both preventative and reactive (responsive) ways, based on the situation. Care is not provided by one individual, the human care team is made up of 2 deaconess nurses, 2 pastoral chaplains, the Regional Business Manager and the Regional Director

Holistic: Missionary Care

Missionary Care is focused on supporting the whole family unit and the whole person. **We care for the person in mind, body and soul.**

This is done by logistical support: housing, car, children's schooling, visa application, support during medical issues, providing a variety of resources etc.

Spiritual care: field visits by chaplains, ongoing bible studies, pastoral care, etc.

Resource providing: Health insurance, counseling, debriefs, language learning, etc.

Missionary Care

Just as in Exodus 17 where Aaron and Hur support Moses on top of the mountain, we in missionary care seek to do the same. We aim to walk alongside of our missionaries, holding them up when needed, to ensure they are well and healthy and can ultimately carry out the great commission.