

## MEDICAL MISSION CROWDFUNDING TERMS & CONDITIONS

## **EFFECTIVE DATE: MARCH 1, 2023**

**OVERVIEW:** PWH operates international medical volunteering programs ("medical missions") in the developing world to improve access to quality healthcare. Programs aim to equally educate local healthcare workers on gaps in their own training (i.e. strengthening healthcare systems) and provide direct patient care to those in under-resourced communities.

Participants make a donation to PWH in the amount of the total cost for participating in the medical mission, including all roundtrip and in-country travel, accommodations and meals, interpreters, etc. Medical mission programs range in price from \$2,500 to \$3,500 given location and duration.

PWH offers a crowdfunding tool with the intent of reducing the financial burden on the program participant. The terms & conditions of the platform are listed below.

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## Crowdfunding Option on PWH Sponsored Platform

Partners for World Health offers the service of an online fundraising platform (Classy) to its prospective medical mission participants at no additional cost. Any money raised on the PWH Classy platform is owned by PWH; it will be reserved and allocated according to the following:

- 1. PWH maintains the 'main page' for each medical mission program;
  - a. All program-specific content on the individual pages is dictated by PWH.
  - b. Prospective participants create their own individual fundraising page under the umbrella of the main page within the template provided.
  - c. PWH reserves the right to edit the content of individual fundraising pages to ensure PWH is accurately represented.
- 2. Individual participants may begin fundraising up to 12 months in advance of the program start date, after **acceptance** to the program.
- 3. Funding is designated for the sole use of the participant for the selected medical mission program to which the participant is **accepted**, unless
  - a. **PWH cancels or postpones** the selected program at its own discretion
    - i. Funding can be deferred to a future program at the selection of the participant within **12 months** of original program
    - ii. If participant elects *not* to defer their participation, participant may elect to reimburse individual donors OR revert all funding to the general Medical Mission support fund

- b. Participant decides to change their program within a future 12 month period
  - i. All money raised will transferred to that program's cost
  - ii. If 12 month period expires under normal circumstances and individual has
     not participated in a program, all money raised will revert to the general PWH
     Medical Mission support fund
- c. **Participant is unable to participate** in program for extraneous reason and is unable to defer participation within a 12 month period
  - i. At the discretion of PWH, participant may elect to reimburse individual donors OR revert all funding to the general Medical Mission support fund up to the non-refundable deposit amount if deposit has been applied to that individual's participation (i.e. airfare, accommodations purchased)
- d. **Participant cancels** participation and chooses not to defer under normal circumstances
  - i. PWH reserves the right to retain any money raised; funding will revert to general Medical Mission support fund
- e. Participant Fundraising exceeds total program costs
  - i. At PWH's discretion, participant may elect to redirect excess funds within the same medical mission program (i.e. further subsidize participant costs on-program) **or** to the general medical mission fund