



AJWS Service Programs Quick Reference Guide

	Volunteer Corps	World Partners	Volunteer Summer	Alternative Breaks
Age range	Young professionals to retirees	Recent college graduates	Ages 16-24	College students
Length of service	3-12 months	11 months	7 weeks overseas plus domestic programming	One to two weeks
Current locations	India, Thailand, Cambodia, Uganda, Kenya, Senegal	India	2011 locations: Peru, Uganda and India for college-aged participants, Ghana for high school-aged participants	Usually Central America Other locations possible
Nature of work	Individual assignments in NGO offices		Group physical labor project in community	
Educational component	Study of social justice and international development through a Jewish lens during in-country orientations (otherwise independent)	Study of social justice and international development through a Jewish lens Personal reflection, educational seminars and skills-building workshops	Study of social justice and international development through a Jewish lens Retreats and opportunities for public speaking, writing, advocacy, fundraising and volunteer service	Study of social justice and international development through a Jewish lens
Program fee	Participants pay for cost of living in-country	None but fundraising requirement	2011 fees: College-aged: \$4,500 High school-aged: \$5,900	\$550 plus airfare
Timing	Deadlines thrice per year Rolling departures unless in-country orientation provided	One or two departures per year Deadlines nine months prior	Deadline in early February Overseas component takes place late June to mid-August	Deadline once a year Rolling departures
How to apply	Apply online via the AJWS website			Hillels apply to AJWS Individuals apply directly to Hillels