



Mission Moldova – Summary of Mission Team Work

***The following is an example of a mission team experience in Moldova. Your team may adjust this schedule to meet the mission strategy of your church and the church or planter in Moldova.**

Available Dates: The primary dates for mission team engagement in the 33 district evangelism events will be late August, September, October, late April, May, and early June. Summer dates are available for other ministries throughout the country working with strategic projects identified by our IMB missionaries.

Typical Schedule: Teams will arrive preferably on a Saturday or Sunday in Chisinau, Moldova. The teams will begin their ministry in one of the 33 districts working with either an existing church or church planter beginning on Monday. The ministry will lead up to an evangelistic outreach on Friday and Saturday nights in the main town or village in the district. The team will attend church in country on Sunday and depart either Sunday afternoon or Monday. This schedule may vary based on the team and the strategy worked out in advance with the host church or planter.



Strategic Mission: Teams will have the option to participate in different ministry opportunities to open doors for the Gospel to be shared during the week and to invite people to the evangelistic outreach events on the weekend. Teams can facilitate day camps in order to teach the Bible, sports, and other children’s activities. Teams can partner with the Evangelical Medical Mission to host a medical clinic in a town or village. Teams can be involved in a ministry to senior adults who are often left to live in poverty in Moldova. All teams will participate in a weekend evangelistic event to share the Gospel in one of the 33 districts of Moldova. North Carolina pastors are strongly encouraged to be the ones preaching the sermons at the events.



Mission Costs: The cost of the trip is outlined on the back of this form. Costs will vary based on the current airfare to Moldova. The costs of the evangelistic events will be supplemented by the Baptist Union of Moldova, the Baptist State Convention of NC, and your mission team as noted on the following page.

Sign-up: Dates are flexible and more than one team can be in Moldova at a time to maximize the number of teams impacting Moldova with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Please contact Mike Sowers, msowers@ncbaptist.org or 800.395.5102 ext. 5654 for more information or to sign-up your team.



Mission Moldova – Estimate of Team Travel Costs

***Expenses in red are estimates based on current expense costs. Expenses in black are fixed costs.**

Meals, Lodging and in Country Expenses:

- Lodging and meals for teams. **(\$35 per day per person)**
 - Teams working in the North and Central will stay at one of two IMB Mission Houses
 - Cost per night \$35 per person – includes breakfast and supper. (Lunch will be with the local church near the village your team will be working.)
 - Teams working in the South will stay at the Azalia Hotel in Cahul.
 - Cost per night is approximately **\$50-\$55** per room (room sleeps 2) – includes breakfast. (Lunch will be with the local church near the village your team will be working and supper will be at the hotel.)

Transportation in Country

- Rental vans for teams. **(\$120 per team per day)**
 - \$80-\$90 per day plus fuel. (**Total** cost should not exceed \$120 per day at current prices)
 - Rental van will be arranged by the IMB mission house at the time you reserve the lodging.

Mission Trip Insurance

- Mission trip insurance for teams. **(\$3.30 per person per day)**

Team Cost

- Mission Team Costs. **(\$6000 per team for the trip)**
 - The mission team cost includes all expenses for the evangelism rallies, ministry supplies and translators.
 - The total cost for the ministry of the team is \$9,500 per team. The Baptist Union of Moldova is covering \$950 of the cost and the Baptist State Convention of NC is covering \$2550. This brings the team costs to \$6000.

Airfare

- Average Airfare Rates from North Carolina to Chisinau, Moldova **(\$1100-\$1450)**
 - The Great Commission Partnership office will help connect you with a qualified travel agent to book your tickets to Moldova if you need assistance with tickets.

Sample Total Cost per Person Based on a Saturday to Monday Trip with 12 team members (8 days in country)

*(Teams are free to make their trip longer or shorter as it fits within their strategy. Costs will either increase or decrease according to the per day costs if trip length is increased or decreased or if team members increase or decrease)

Item	Per Day / Per Person Cost	Total
Meals and lodging	\$35	\$280
Rental Van	\$10	\$80
Mission Trip Insurance	\$3.30 (includes 10 days)	\$33
Team Costs	Total ->	\$500
Airfare	Total - >	\$1100-\$1450
Est. Total Per Person	Based on 12 Team Members	\$1993-\$2343