

**Hogar de Talita Cumi  
Santa Cruz, Bolivia**

**Short-Term Missions Program Application**

This form is an application for a self-funded short-term mission with the children's home, Talita Cumi. This application will not be used for employment purposes nor is it an implied contract with Talita Cumi.

Dr. [ ] Mr. [ ] Mrs. [ ] Ms. [ ]

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address if different from above:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

[ ] Single [ ] Married: Spouse:

**Emergency Contact:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATIONAL PROFILE:**

School Major \_\_\_\_\_ Degree \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

**Vocational skills (computer, plumbing, automotive, etc)** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Language skills** \_\_\_\_\_

**Christian Commitment:**

**Do you agree with Talita Cumi's doctrinal statement? (See last page):** [ ] Yes [ ] No



**Employment Record:** List former employers below beginning with your present position:

From:            To:  
Month/Year    Month/Year

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Position Held: \_\_\_\_\_

From:            To:  
Month/Year    Month/Year

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Position Held: \_\_\_\_\_

**Describe any special skills or certification:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Mission Interest:**

**For how long are you available:** \_\_\_\_\_

**When is a good time for you to come?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you have experience working with children (please describe)?** \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

**Please share why you are interested in Talita Cumi's short-term missions program:**

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\_\_\_\_\_

Briefly describe previous mission training, involvement or cross-cultural experiences:

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\_\_\_\_\_

**Medical Information**

Do you have any health problems or disabilities that may affect your work in remote, frequently stressful conditions, with limited access to health care? If yes, please explain:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Please describe any special dietary needs: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Date of last physical exam: \_\_\_\_\_

**List two references that can be reached by telephone or e-mail.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Church \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Church \_\_\_\_\_

All information on this questionnaire **must be** completed in order for this application to be considered.

I confirm that all of the information given is true and accurate. I hereby authorize the release of all personal information relevant to the mission.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Short-term Missions Program

**OBJECTIVE:** Short-term missions provide opportunities for people to use their skills and abilities in Christian service. To be considered for service, participants must support the following mission statements and agree with the doctrinal statement.

### MISSION STATEMENTS:

Talita Cumi's mission is to reach boys and girls who have been abandoned by their families or who are in risk situations within their family circle due to violence or neglect on the part of their parents or guardians.

We wish to give to shelter and basic provisions to these children for their healthy development. We also wish to present to them Christ as life model to follow, since in their homes the father figure has been, in many cases, disfigured. And of course, inasmuch as it is possible, we wish to return them to the family circles they left or put them into a new one.

### DOCTRINAL STATEMENT:

1. We believe in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testament as verbally inspired by God, and inerrant in the original writings, and that they are of supreme and final authority in faith and life.
2. We believe in God, eternally existing in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
3. We believe that Jesus Christ was begotten by the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary, and is true God and true man.
4. We believe that man was created in the image of God; that he sinned, and thereby incurred, not only physical death, but also that spiritual death which is separation from God; and that all human beings are born with a sinful nature.
5. We believe that the Lord Jesus Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, as a representative and substitutionary sacrifice; and all that truly repent of their sins and believe in Him are justified on the grounds of His shed blood.
6. We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a Godly life.
7. We believe in the resurrection of the crucified body of our Lord, and His ascension into heaven and in His present life there for us, as High Priest and Advocate.
8. We believe in that blessed hope, the personal, bodily return of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

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Print out this document and complete the form. You may submit this application in either of two ways:

1. Scan the completed document and send it via e-mail to any of the board members listed on the web page.
2. Mail it to the following address:

Talita Cumi  
Short Term Missions Application  
Casilla 3681  
Santa Cruz, Bolivia  
SOUTH AMERICA