



The Bowery Mission

Rebuilding Lives Since 1879

Welcome!

The Bowery Mission offers Short-term Service Trip packages for between 2-6 nights for up to 24 people. Teams can bring up to twelve males and twelve females, or up to 24 of one gender.

Volunteer Quarters

Sleeping arrangements are on the 2nd and 3rd floors of our landmarked historical building at 227 Bowery, New York, NY 10002. The rooms are outfitted with bunk beds, bathrooms, a kitchenette, and a lounge area for debriefing as a team.

Activities

Service trip groups become an integral part of our daily operations serving people experiencing hunger and homelessness in New York City. Tasks include but are not limited to: helping prepare and serve meals, organizing and distributing clothing, cleaning and maintaining our shelter facilities, etc. In addition to daily tasks, the trip can include optional tours of our sites and special projects suited to your team's skills. The schedule is from 6am-4pm, with free evenings.

Please be advised: Some of these activities will involve physical exertion, including potentially: long periods of time standing, climbing and descending stairs (there is no elevator at The Bowery Mission), and lifting heavy objects. Travel between sites (walking or taking a train) is also included. Please consider physical health when booking.

Cost & Deposit

\$45 per Person per Night. A \$500 deposit is due to secure your reservation on the calendar, and the remainder should be fulfilled one month ahead of your stay.

Online Credit Card Payment:

www.bowery.org/missionsdonations

Mail by Check: *

The Bowery Mission
Attn: Volunteer Central
432 Park Ave South Floor 3
New York, NY 10016

*Please include "Service Trip" and the dates of your stay in the memo line of a check.

Cancellation Policy

We understand that unexpected situations sometimes prevent you from taking a trip you've already planned. If you're unable to change the dates of your trip and need to cancel, it's important to do so as soon as possible. In order to adequately budget for the year and plan our kitchen schedule, we've developed a cancellation policy.

- Cancellation with 3+ months' notice: full refund
- Cancellation with 2-3 months' notice: 50% refund of total trip amount
- Cancellation with less than 30 days' notice: no refund
- If the group arrives and decides to leave early, the trip is not refunded and there is no partial refund.