



Bracelets For Buildings Inc. (B4B)

Standards of Conduct Agreement

While in Cambodia with Bracelets4Buildings (B4B), Ambassadors and trip participants are expected to respect the ethics and morals of the area in which they visit. Equally important to our labor in construction is our expression of love through humility and respect toward the future house recipients, the community we are working in, and each other.

As a participant in B4B projects, I agree to the following standards of behavior:

1. Our house recipients are our clients, and we strive to meet their needs to the best of our abilities.
2. B4B strives to provide paid work for local people in the construction of the houses. While we may assist at times with some tasks, we must ensure that we do not take work away from the local work team.
3. Travel in a spirit of humility and with a genuine desire to learn more about the people of Cambodia.
4. Use of illegal drugs is strictly forbidden.
5. Consumption of alcohol may be prohibited at work sites and should be moderate at all other times.
6. Use of tobacco may be offensive to others. Please be respectful of those around you.
7. Dress appropriately for the work site, including sturdy, closed-toe shoes. In general, dress comfortably, yet modestly.
8. Be on time. This is very important. B4B activities are carefully coordinated and involve multiple participants. Delays, even short ones, can be costly and harm the production schedule.
9. Do not engage in inappropriate physical contact with locals or other team members.
10. Be keenly aware of the feelings of others. Awareness of cultural differences can help to prevent unintended but offensive behavior.
11. Do not bring gifts for local individuals; well-intentioned and minor gifts can create jealousy, competition, and ill-will among the locals. (Gifts to benefit the community may be presented by the group at an appropriate time, at the discretion of our team leaders.)
12. Photographing local people and what might be considered sacred, cultural places should be done with reservation. It is respectful to ask permission before taking photos.
13. Do not make promises to people in the community unless you are certain you can carry them through. They would really appreciate photos that you have taken of them, but if you promise to send photos, make sure you do!

I understand that if my conduct does not comply with the appropriate standards of conduct as described above, I may be asked to leave the team immediately and return home at my own expense.

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____