

Tailored assignments

Assignment length You choose from 2 weeks to 12 months
Assignments will match your availability & experience

Assignment options Up to 250 live partner organisations

Charity Partner size Local charities and community based organisations

Locations You choose from 50+ countries³ across 3 continents

Travel Dates At a time convenient for you

The Work Part of an essential long-term programme of support coaching local staff; focussing on terms of reference created by a previous AfID volunteers, the partner, donors. Focus areas will suit your skills and experience, be it day to day accounting financial reporting, audit or strategic planning & management.

Selection process AfID will provide up to 3 options closely matching your skills, availability and passions to the current needs of our partners. Past volunteers reports will be provided along You then select your preferred option.

Costs The volunteer will cover most associated costs. In many cases the partner is able to cover costs such as accommodation, airport pickup, meals, visas and vaccinations. Assignment options will always be created to closely match your budget and information regarding all associated costs will be made available.

Structured assignments

Typically from 6 weeks¹ up to 12 months.

The minimum required commitment will be provided by the charity

On average 5 to 12 live assignment options. Check website listings²

Typically the overseas offices of larger charities and International NGOs

All current assignment location options are listed in full on the website

As listed on the website; usually within the next 2 months

Addressing specific, urgent and often unforeseen issues identified by the charity. Key deliverables will be included on the brief. You are likely to be first AfID volunteer and it is hoped that another volunteer will not be required to continue your good work.

We will arrange a convenient time for an interview with the charity⁴. A decision will typically be made by the charity within 24-48 hours.

Flights and accommodation costs will always be covered by the charity. In some cases other associated costs will be covered and an allowance provided. Check website listings for the expenses covered on each assignment.

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Accommodation Guesthouse, volunteer house or homestay⁵.
It is likely there will be multiple options. All options
All options & bookings will be organised by the partner.

AfID Fee £595 or £545 (Non-UK Residents)
Returning volunteer discount £50

Advantages Choice; the chance to personalise your experience and
a work environment close to the beneficiaries is likely

In Conclusion If you have any questions about which assignments would be best for you, please feel free to call or email, as we are very happy to help. We have placed nearly 1000 accountants with a vast array of non-profit partners in 53 countries and we are happy to share our vast experience with you.

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Guest house or rented accommodation organised by the charity.
It is likely to be limited to one option.

£995 or £945 (Non-UK Residents)
Returning volunteer discount £50

Some financial assistance, sometimes greater responsibility with clear
expected assignment deliverables.⁶

¹ Shorter assignments are occasionally available. Check website listings.

² Structured assignments are listed in full. Tailored listings are only a sample of what can be available to you. Always let us know your interest in advance.

³ Subject to availability at our partner organisations.

⁴ Latin American assignments are likely to require fluent Spanish skills.

⁵ Homestays are likely to be on African and Latin American assignments only.

⁶ An appropriate assignment may not be available.