Emory University
Pre-departure Training

Welcome
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This training is a collaborative effort of Rollins School of Public Health, Emory Global Health Initiatives and Emory Global Strategy and Initiatives.

Highlights:

- Small group discussions
- Guest speakers
- Travel logistics
- Safety
- Sustaining Well-being
- Cultural Humility
- Ethics of Photography and Ethics of Fieldwork
- Lunch discussion groups by region
Following this training you will find many resource slides posted online

- Personal Safety and Security Awareness
- Sexual Harassment, Assault and Violence
- Travel Policies and ISOS
- Physical and Emotional Health
- Student Health Services Travel Consult Information
- Mental Health and Emotional Resilience
- Other guest presentations from today
Expectations

For your safety and to maintain Emory’s relationships with global partners:

Students should:

- Follow the laws, rules and regulations of the country
- Respect the political and cultural rules and regulations of the partner and community
- Wear contextually and culturally appropriate clothing
- Show up in your capacity as an Emory student; however, you do not speak for the university
Motivations for global health practice:

What motivations do we want to **suppress**?

- Neo-colonialism “we know better”
- Wanting to travel on Emory’s “dime”
- Desire to leave, run away
- Frustrated with inability to effect change locally

What motivations do we want to **tolerate**?

- Resume building
- Becoming a better researcher by being in the setting/self-serving
- Professional skill building (at who’s expense?)
- Feeling connected to another place/context (who do we speak for?)
- Wanting to go home

What motivations do we **aspire** to?