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## **Cost Estimate for Central African Republic Mission Trip\***

First Four (4) Documents should be obtained in the following order:

**Passport** – Must have valid passport with 6 months remaining **AFTER** end of scheduled trip \$110 + 2 photos+ postage \$20

**Airline Ticket** – We use Ron Yoder 866-668-1914 or <u>ron@mennotrav.com</u>

Estimated cost depending on your city and time of year \$2450 - \$2700

**Yellow Fever Shot** – Must have this shot which can be obtained at regional health clinic. Other shots are suggested – see the volunteer checklist for guidance. **\$150+ depending on region** 

**Visa** – Paperwork and applications must be filled out on line at <a href="www.traveldocs.com">www.traveldocs.com</a> and the paperwork submitted with a copy of iteinerary, copy of yellow fever documentation, a letter of invitation from Augustin Hibaile in Bangui (we will supply this) and your passport. All documents should be mailed to Travel Documents in Washington, D.C. They "walk" the application through the process at the Central African Embassy.

\$244 + 2 passport type photos \$20 + FedX both ways for 3 month visa \$15 \$294 + 2 passport type photos \$20 + FedX both ways for 1 year visa \$15

Travel and Evacuation Insurance – <a href="https://www.faithventrues.com/purchase/">www.faithventrues.com/purchase/</a> \$43

In country expenses pay online through Three Strands website www.three-strands.org \$400

**Malaria prophylaxis** usually doxycycline (others also available – check with your doctor)

Total Estimated Cost \$ 3452 - \$3752\*

<sup>\*</sup>Subject to change based on airline charges and dollar fluctuation