

Backyard Mission Trip – Frequently Asked Questions

How has BMT helped our community?

Since 2010, BMT has assisted approximately 200 families per year (except COVID years) with tasks ranging from yard work to landscaping to minor home repairs.

How many people has BMT helped?

BMT helped over 150 families in 2019 when there were 268 requests. A few years ago BMT had over 1500 volunteers who served more than 250 families.

How many people volunteer for BMT?

Of course, COVID canceled BMT in 2020 and greatly affected 2021. In 2019, 641 volunteers, 33 churches plus 4 other organizations. We always have more work requested than the volunteers can complete.

What skills are needed?

All skill levels can be utilized from basic yard work to professional building trades. Leaders are needed to recruit and organize teams of volunteers. We also need persons who are willing to pray for the projects, interact with the homeowner, and persons who can help with food.

How do I volunteer to help on the BMT?

Go to <u>https://findlaybmt.com/</u>, scroll down to Click Here to Volunteer, create a new account, or update your account from previous years.

Can my children participate?

Yes, children are welcomed and encouraged, but if they are under 18, a parent needs to sign a release form, and they must be accompanied by an adult.

How can I request help?

Go to <u>https://findlaybmt.com/</u>, scroll down to Click Here to Register Project, complete the form and submit it online. Paper applications are available at various public locations around Findlay. Completed paper applications can be left at the city building.