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**WPA Volunteer Programme Application for becoming a WPA volunteer in supporting other WPA member societies**

1. Name:
2. Gender:
3. Age:
4. Qualifications :
5. Country of residence:
6. Official capacity of any WPA member society (e.g. member, fellow, office bearer):
7. Current work position and name of work organization:
8. Areas of expertise (e.g. general psychiatry, child and adolescent mental health etc.):
9. Languages spoken and preferred language of instruction:
10. Areas of contribution that you will prefer in volunteering (e.g. training in use of mhGAP intervention guides for general adult mental health problems, setting up research collaboration and projects with the local mental health team etc.):

11. Past experience of volunteering in other countries. Please provide dates and the types of volunteering experience (please state them in a separate sheet if necessary):
  
12. Preferred regions or countries of volunteering (e.g. South India, Ethiopia etc.):
  
13. Preferred month and year of providing volunteering work (mm/yy):
  
14. Does your own WPA member society provide any sponsorship or financial support for possible volunteering work? (Yes/No; please circle the appropriate one). Please note that your application will also be known to the WPA member society of the country or region to which you belong for exploring possible ways of supporting your volunteering work.
  
15. If the answer to Q11 is yes, please state the types of sponsorships (e.g. airfare, travel insurance, daily subsistence allowance etc.). WPA will also contact with the relevant counterparts to see how the two organizations can collaborate to facilitate the volunteering project:
  
16. Would you be willing to provide volunteering service to the preferred countries or regions if financial sponsorship in any form is not available to you? (Yes/No; please circle the appropriate answer)
  
17. If the answer to Q13 is no, what will be the minimum type of sponsorships that you will need in order to facilitate your volunteering work (e.g. airfare, daily subsistence allowance, accommodation in the host country)?
  
18. Would you prefer having an early career psychiatrist to act as your volunteer buddy to provide volunteering service with you? (Yes/No; please circle as appropriate).
  
19. If your answer to Q15 is yes, would you have any preference about the country of origin and/or stage of training of the early career psychiatrist volunteering with you in the same host country?

20. Upon completion of the volunteering programme, you will be expected to provide a 1000-word brief report of your experience of the volunteer programme with training or learning outcomes agreed between you and the host WPA member society. Your host WPA member society will also provide a report of similar length to WPA volunteer programme work force as well. Please note that your own WPA member society involved in this volunteering programme in the form of logistic or financial support will automatically receive a copy of both reports for their reference and recording purpose.

- a. Do you agree to the disclosure of your report to the host society? (Yes/No; please circle as appropriate).
  
- b. Would you like to have a copy of the report of the host society subject to the society agreement to this? (Yes/No)

Please send this to the WPA Secretariat with attention to the WPA Secretary for Education together with your curriculum vitae and your past experience records of volunteering (if any).