

SERVE Expectations Contract

Behavioral Expectations:

As a participant on SERVE, I will...

- Participate with a positive attitude in ALL group activities before, during, and after the trip. If there is a valid academic related excuse, this guideline may be waived for certain meetings by the SERVE coordinator.
- Be prompt to all activities and meetings.
- Become an engaged and active participant in planning group events and activities prior to, during, and after the trip.
- Maintain communication with the Community Service Office and your site leaders, including responding to trip related e-mails and other notices in a timely manner.
- Fundraise for your portion of your trip and help your group plan and implement fundraising ideas.
- Respect other trip participants, your site leaders, and Community Service Office staff.
- Respect and learn from the members of the community you are serving and the agency you are working with.
- Maintain an open mind about new experiences and cultures.
- Be flexible, understanding that sites and conditions may change beyond our control.
- Abide by the University Code of Conduct (<https://studentaffairs.lehigh.edu/content/code-conduct>) during the trip and during any SERVE related activity before and after your trip.
- Abide by all federal, state, and local laws while participating on the trip.
- Represent Lehigh University in a positive manner.
- Participate meaningfully in reflection at the end of the service day.
- Be safe.

Alcohol and Drug Policy:

As a participant on SERVE, I will follow the policy below.

- Under 21:
Alcohol is absolutely not permitted. Violations of this policy will be referred to the Office of Student Conduct upon our return to Lehigh University.
- Over 21:
Students over the age of 21 may consume alcohol in moderation. Consumption that is not inconsistent with personal health and safety or that interferes with a student's ability to perform the tasks required by SERVE is not permitted and will be referred to the Lehigh University Office of Student Conduct upon our return to campus.
- Drugs are absolutely not permitted by anyone.

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As a participant on SERVE, I have read and fully understand the above stated guidelines. I agree to follow these guidelines and fully understand that as a participant on a Lehigh University program my conduct will be referred to the Lehigh University Office of Student Conduct for processing according to the University Code of Conduct. I understand that my failure to follow the above guidelines may result in my removal from the trip, from which I will assume any costs that would result from my removal including, but not limited to, expenses for being sent home while on trip, the total cost of my share of the trip, and a loss of my deposit.

Participant Signature

Date

Participant Printed Name