

# Long Term Volunteering

*Those who say it cannot be done should not interrupt the people doing it.*  
(Chinese proverb)



## Dismas Burlington VFP-MTV01

*in USA, hosted by Volunteers For Peace USA*

<b>Theme:</b>	Socially disadvantaged
<b>Location</b>	Burlington VT
<b>Duration:</b>	Minimum 12 weeks, maximum 6 months.
<b>Application:</b>	VFP Motivation Form and interview required.
<b>Vacancies</b>	1
<b>Languages:</b>	
↔ <b>Project:</b>	English
↔ <b>Local:</b>	English

*If you are interested in taking part in this project, or if you would like to get more information about becoming a long term volunteer, please contact your local SCI organisation. You can search for the contact information here: <http://www.sciint.org/contact-us/local-sci-branch-or-partner>*

### **Project Description:**

The Dismas House provides housing and opportunities to men and women getting out of prison so that they can successfully transition back into the community.

**Work:** Volunteers will be working as a Resident Advisor as well as on administrative tasks in small office. Volunteers are also expected to support the residential community by participating in group activities.

**Requirements:** Volunteers must be 21+, female only, speak fluent English and have basic computer skills. Absolutely NO alcohol or drug use permitted during the stay. Dismas offers emergency and liability insurance only. Only one international volunteer serves at any time. This is an ongoing project with flexible dates. Minimum 12 weeks, maximum 6 months.

**Food:** Meals provided.

**Accommodation:** Shared room in a house & laundry provided. Access to Wi-Fi also available.

**Pocket money:** None

**Insurance:** Volunteers must obtain health and accident insurance for the duration of your travel and stay in the United States. This insurance must cover you for all medical eventualities. You must bring all necessary documents, contact numbers, etc with you.

**Fees:** None

**Visa:** –

**Others:** LEISURE ACTIVITIES: Recreation includes house activities and many festivals and events in area. Volunteers will participate in house outings including baseball games, hikes, camping. Time off for travel may be approved.