

# Long Term Volunteering

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



## Tose Respite Care Home

*in Zimbabwe, hosted by ZWA Zimbabwe*

<b>Theme:</b>	North-South solidarity
<b>Location</b>	Harare
<b>Duration:</b>	Minimum 1 month up to 12 months.
<b>Application:</b>	The volunteer will get a decision within 2 weeks upon receipt of application form.
<b>Vacancies</b>	2
<b>Languages:</b>	
↔ <b>Project:</b>	English
↔ <b>Local:</b>	English,Other

*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:**

Tose is a center for children with multiple and severe disabilities. The centre provides respite care rehabilitation and training for caregivers. Tose is a Shona word that means together. We Together Overcome disabilities and Problems, share success and sorrows and Encourage each other. Respite means rest. The home is unique in the sense that it offers relief to parents and guardians of the physical challenged as well as offering basic survival skills to the disabled. Most of them regarded by the society, institutions and hospitals as lost hope.

**Notice:** *This is an Africa WG project. Please contact the SCI branch or partner organisation in your country for further information.*

**Work:** Tose is home for people with severe and multiple disabilities. It provides respite care, rehabilitation and training for caregivers. The volunteers will work with the staff members at Tose to provide respite care as well as rehabilitation for the disadvantaged. The volunteers will also help in the garden, kitchen laundry and any specific request from administration at Tose.

**Requirements:** Tose is looking for volunteers with the following expertise, Physiotherapist, Occupational Therapist, Speech Therapist, IT Specialist, Fundraising Strategist

**Food:** Basic meals will be provided from what is locally available in the local community. Volunteers are therefore advised to be flexible and open minded. This will make it easy for them to negotiate their entry in to the community.

**Accommodation:** Volunteers will be accommodated at Tose. Rooms will be available to individual volunteers. Volunteers with special needs like seniors/ aged, families and physically challenged will have special arrangements for their accommodations

**Pocket money:** None

**Insurance:** Not provided. Volunteer has to have his/her own insurance.

**Fees:** 250 EUR per month. Orientation, evaluation, monitoring, project set up, administrative expenses, supporting small community projects during the project, certificate of participation, accommodation, feeding and communication prior to, during and after the project.

**Visa:** Volunteers will arrange for the visa themselves.

**Others:** The participation fee does not include internal travels to and from the project station, refreshment outside the project air ticket, excursions, visa and insurance, ocal travel and personal effects. Volunteers are advised to reserve EUR50 for airport transfers, transport to and from the project venue.