

SITE HEALTH AND SAFETY SHEET



Background Information:

1. Date Updated: October 2019
2. Country: Northern Ireland
3. Community: Belfast
4. Main Partners: Youthworks
5. Year Began Operating in Country: 2003

Emergency Contacts:

1. Amizade 24 Hour Line: 412-444-5166
2. Local Site Director Number: +44 7479 499345
3. Local Police: 101 (for non-emergency calls) and 999 (for emergencies)
4. US Embassy: Belfast Consulate: +44 028 9038 6100

Transportation Information:

1. Vehicles Up-to-code (y/n)?: Y
2. Driver with Proper License (y/n)?: Y
3. Notable Road Hazards: Roads are very safe in Northern Ireland. Sometimes they can be very windy, and those who get car sick easily should be aware. Buses are capped at 100kph

Housing Logistics:

1. Location of Lodging: Belfast

Lansdowne Hotel

657 Antrim Rd, Belfast BT15 4EF, United Kingdom

+44 28 9077 2999

Chimney Corner Hotel

630 Antrim Rd, Newtownabbey BT36 4RH, United Kingdom

+44 28 9084 4925

2. Notable Lodging Concerns: None

3. Emergency Evacuation Plan: Meet in lobby, wait for further direction from group and site leaders.

Health/Medical:

1. Mater Infirmorum Hospital,45-51 Crumlin Rd, Belfast BT14 6AB
2. Royal Victoria Hospital,274 Grosvenor Rd, Belfast BT12 6BA
3. Notable Local Health Concerns: None

Classroom/Admin Space:

1. Location of Classroom Space: 1) Hotel 2) Belfast Castle 3) Queen's campus 4) Youth centres
2. Notable Space Concerns: None

Technology/Communication:

1. Internet Access (Non-Existent, Unreliable, Sporadic, Reliable, Good, Excellent): Excellent
2. Ability for Video-Chat (y/n)?: Y
3. Cell Network (Non-Existent, Unreliable, Sporadic, Reliable, Good, Excellent): Excellent
4. Electrical Conversion: UK, 230 V

Country Profile:



1. US State Department Country Page:
<http://travel.state.gov/content/passports/english/country/united-kingdom.html>

2. Visa/Permit Information: N/A
3. Notable Country-wide Health, Safety, and Security Risks: Drinking alcohol is a popular activity, which can lead to challenges with volunteers, particularly young students.

Community Profile:

1. General Profile: Despite Belfast's troubled past of religious violence, it is now a very safe city.
2. Notable Health, Safety, and Security Risks: There are still occasional riots but none that are directed towards visitors. Volunteers are urged to stay away from political protests and/or demonstrations.
3. Historical Site Critical Incidents: N/A