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Subject: Less than One month mission: Application Process

The application process moves an interested person from inquirer to deployed missionary while training and preparing the applicant for the mission field, as well as allowing mutual evaluation by ECMI-USA, the sending church, the leadership of the chosen country of service, and the applicant.

The major steps are:

- 1. Fill out Get Started form (10 min)
- 2. Interview within one week with follow up discussions of placement, time frame, and the financial process as needed
- 3. Fill out application with references (2 hrs)
- 4. Get feedback from references, sending church, and Field Leader (up to 3 weeks)
- 5. Team training (normally virtual)
- 6. Raise support (nominally less than one month)
- 7. Complete all administration and legal forms
- 8. Be commissioned by sending church
- 9. Depart for country of service when support level is 100%