

OUHSC AUDIOLOGY MEDICAL MISSION TRIP

PROJECT YUCATÁN

12 students from the Student Academy of Audiology attend a medical mission trip in Mérida, Mexico, each year. Please consider donating to offset the cost of supplies and travel for these generous students.

1 One week



3 cities



Over 1400 patients served each year!

March 3 - 10



INTRODUCTION

Each year, students from the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center and the University of Florida partner with Asociación Yucateca Pro-Deficiente Auditivo (AYPRODA), a medical organization based in Merida, Mexico, to provide hearing healthcare to the Yucatán population, who normally would not receive services.

WHY WE DO IT...

Our partnership with AYPRODA allows our students and faculty to travel through several rural communities in the Yucatán Peninsula of Mexico providing hearing healthcare services such as hearing screenings, hearing evaluations, dispensing of hearing aids, wax removal, middle ear assessments and vestibular assessments. The communities we serve are in great need of healthcare, with some families spending a month's salary to travel to their clinic for treatment.



\$150 for supplies and toys for the children



\$150 for food



\$400 - 500 for travel and lodging

In the past, the Project Yucatán committee (part of the Student Academy of Audiology) has hosted bake sales, fundraisers and benefit nights at restaurants to fund the trip, but students have still had substantial out-of-pocket expenses.

ON AVERAGE

**STUDENTS
PAY OUT OF
POCKET**

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\$800



Donation Site can be found here!



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