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CIF-FRANCE

**Association pour le développement des échanges
Internationaux des professionnels du champ social**

**INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAM
IN FRANCE FOR INDIVIDUALS
IN THE HUMAN SERVICE FIELDS
from September 24th to October 19th 2024**

REQUIREMENTS:

- ◆ Participants should be professional human services workers or volunteers with basic training and a minimum of two years of professional experience in social field;
- ◆ Recommended by National Branches, Person contact in their country
- ◆ Knowledge of **French**

FINANCIAL CONDITIONS:

- ◆ Participants pay their travel expenses from their country to Paris and back;
- ◆ Participants are required to apply in their country for a personal insurance covering medical and emergency expenses before their arrival in France;
- ◆ CIF France pays the domestic travels when related to the program, and is responsible for securing room and board;
- ◆ Cost of the program: **No fee**

DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 24 days

- ◆ 4 days of orientation: seminars in PARIS
- ◆ 17 days of professional field experience (mostly out of Paris);
- ◆ 3 days of evaluation out of Paris

**1 application for each candidate should be sent to CIF FRANCE with photo validation by National CIF Branch, person contact, to contact@cif-france.org .
Deadline January 15th 2023**

CALENDAR FOR NEXT YEAR:

January 15th 2024: Deadline for the applications
February 15th 2024 : Selection by CIF France
September 24th - October 19th 2024 CIF France programme

ADDRESS OF CIF FRANCE:

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CIF FRANCE program is a rich experience: come and join us.

Objectives of the International Program:

- To social worker, youth leaders, educators to current trends in professional social work practices in FRANCE and to acquaint those issues in social work.
- To give an experience of French life and families in different part of France.
- To promote understanding by encounters, sharing and learning each other.
- To understanding the different cultures of the world in peace
- Real French experience.

Orientation program:

- An approach of French society
- Presentation of the framework of social, economic and cultural values in France
- International exchange with participants

Agency visits and agency placements:

- Visits of agency in the field of social work, cultural sites with presentation of the organization.
- Participants are placed in agencies of their own specialized field to observe and exchange professional experience

Presentation:

- Participants
- Have to present their experience in their country.
- Discuss and exchange their methods and strategies in their country
- Exchange cultural

Host family living:

- The opportunity to share life, culture, food between French Family and participants
- To discover each other and have a better knowledge of the French way of life
- Families are selected and they are volunteers, they provide dinner, bed and breakfast and organize with you cultural program in the region.
- They are familiar to have persons from different countries.

Validation:

- We organize the evaluation and give a certificate

We believe in your interest in our program and your involvement will contribute in the success.

We wait for you and we shall have the pleasure to share with you this rich experience

We are volunteers and we prepare with our heart and own possibilities this program.