

All doctors, dentists, dental hygienists, dental technicians, pharmacists, nurses, dietitians, radiographers, medical technologists, speech, occupational and physical therapists must be registered with their profession in Jamaica, even if only for a day. No council will give this "special" recognition unless they are confident that the period of volunteer service is recommended by both the local authority and the representative Head of the Department at the Ministry of Health. The whole process will be facilitated if the form below is filled out and signed (by applicant or sponsor for him/her, local and head authorities) and sent with credentials and application form to the respective council as above. A small registration or processing fee is charged.

Supervised students in above fields also need permission to work. The local health authority is a medical Officer (Health). Prior dialogue facilitates patient flow, appropriate drug regimes, referrals, follow-up, and better integration with our health system. Dialogue ideally should begin before final dates are set.

SHORT TERM VOLUNTEER

REGISTRAR

DATE _____

MEDICAL COUNCIL OF JAMAICA

I _____ apply for special registration as a
_____ in order to volunteer my service for the period
_____ Profession
_____ at _____ in the (civil) Parish
_____ Dates (specific) Facility / Location
of _____.

Local contact person or sponsor is:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Sponsor's Signature

Authorization by Health Authorities (Local signature must be procured first)

I recommend the above

Signature Position Local Health Authority Date

Signature Position Head Office, Ministry of Health Date

PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION FOR SHORT TERM VOLUNTEERS