# Peace Corps Volunteer
# 2010 Annual Volunteer Survey

# PERU

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# 2010 ANNUAL VOLUNTEER SURVEY COUNTRY REPORT

## INTRODUCTION

The Annual Volunteer Survey was conducted from June – August 2010 and 81 percent of the Volunteers (5, 239) responded, the highest number in the 35-year history of the survey. Most Volunteers (89 percent) completed the online version of the survey, and another 11 percent completed a paper version of the survey.

This report conveys the responses to the survey from Volunteers serving in one particular country. The report contains the tables and short narrative responses from the questions offering a finite set of possible responses. The results provide a picture of the activities, experiences and views of Peace Corps Volunteers in 2010, including areas where Volunteers confirm that their needs are being well met and where improvements may be needed.

A second report contains the Volunteers' extensive narrative responses to eight open-ended questions on the survey. The report, *2010 Annual Volunteer Survey Open Ended Responses,* is being distributed separately to the Regional and Country Directors.

## ORGANIZATION OF THE REPORT

The country report contains eleven sections, corresponding to the major sections of the survey questionnaire.

The tabular results are presented in the order in which the questions appeared in the 2010 AVS, which corresponds roughly to the phases of Volunteer service. Initial questions asked about preparing for Peace Corps. These were followed by questions about assignment activities and training. The final set of questions asked about extending service beyond two years.

The tables show the <u>percent</u> of post respondents that selected each choice and the <u>total number</u> of post respondents that answered the question. Most survey questions asked respondents to select one answer from a set of choices. The percentages for the "select one" responses add up to 100 percent. Questions that allowed Volunteers to "mark all that apply" result in percentages that total to more than 100 percent. This is because each percentage equals the number of respondents selecting that choice divided by the number of respondents who answered the question.

The 2010 AVS included most questions from earlier annual and biennial surveys. A dozen open-ended questions were excluded this year to reduce the reporting burden and internet connection costs to Volunteers.

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Key questions were added to gather more information about:

- Experiences with insensitive comments and behavior based on race, ethnicity, age, gender, or sexual orientation
- Observations or comments about harassment/discrimination experiences (added to the online 2010 AVS after the survey began)
- Reasons that might influence whether or not to extend Volunteer service beyond two years

A crosswalk between the 2009 and 2010 questions is posted on the OSIRP intranet under 2010 AVS Reports "Reference Documents." Earlier surveys and global, regional and post reports are also on the OSIRP Intranet.

## HOW TO USE THE INFORMATION

Posts are encouraged to share the results with staff and Volunteers. These reports are an excellent way to initiate a dialogue with staff and Volunteers at post about what is working well and areas for improvement. In the past, posts have found it useful to share the results with their Volunteers, via the VAC, monthly newsletters, summary bulletins, and presentations at PST and IST.

Please consider comparing these 2010 results with your 2006, 2008 and 2009 survey results to identify trends and changes over time. You may also want to compare your country's results with the regional and global numbers.

## A.    Basic Information

This section reports on the overall response rate and percentages of online and paper surveys completed, as well as the Volunteers' descriptions of their project and site. Results are more representative of all Volunteers at post when the response rate is above 50 percent.

The 2010 Annual Volunteer Survey response rate for PERU was 77%.

**Completed Online and Paper Surveys**

|        | Percent | Number |
|--------|---------|--------|
| Online | 100%    | 130    |
| Paper  |         |        |
| Total  | 100%    | 130    |

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**A2: How many months have you been in country?**

|  | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| 6 months or less |  |  |
| 7 to 12 months | 32% | 42 |
| 13 to 20 months | 24% | 31 |
| 21 to 27 months | 38% | 50 |
| 28 months or more | 5% | 7 |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

**A3: Please select your project.**

|  | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| Community-Based Environmental Management | 25% | 32 |
| Community Health Promotion | 18% | 23 |
| Small Business Development | 22% | 29 |
| Water and Sanitation Project | 16% | 21 |
| Youth Development | 18% | 23 |
| Other. Please specify | 2% | 2 |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

**A3. Description of "other" project**

|  | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. |  |  |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

**A4: Please choose the best description of your assigned site.**

|  | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| Rural town (pop. 2,000 + 25,000) | 47% | 61 |
| Village/rural area (pop. under 2,000) | 42% | 54 |
| City (pop. over 25,000) - not the capital | 9% | 12 |
| Capital of the country | 2% | 2 |

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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Outer island (regardless of size) | | | |
| Total | 100% | 129 | |

## B. Preparing for the Peace Corps

This section reports Volunteers' motivations in applying and accepting a Peace Corps assignment, as well as how prepared they are currently to meet the challenges of service.

**B1: What prompted you to apply to the PC? Mark all that apply.**

| | PCV Responses | % Selected This Choice | Total PCVs Responding |
|---|---|---|---|
| Personal interest in the Peace Corps | 104 | 80% | |
| Peace Corps campus or community information session | 34 | 26% | |
| Returned Peace Corps Volunteer whom you met or know personally | 34 | 26% | |
| Peace Corps website | 33 | 25% | |
| Peace Corps recruiter | 24 | 18% | |
| Article or book about the Peace Corps | 19 | 15% | |
| Family member/s who served in the Peace Corps | 15 | 12% | |
| Other:   Please specify | 11 | 8% | |
| Returned Peace Corps Volunteer who spoke to your school or group about the Peace Corps | 8 | 6% | |
| Americorps service | 3 | 2% | |
| Radio, TV, or print advertisement | 3 | 2% | |
| Peace Corps material in the mail | 1 | 1% | |
| Social media (Facebook, Twitter, etc. | | | |
| Total | | | 130 |

Percents may total to more than 100% since Volunteers were asked to "Mark all that apply."

**B1.OTHER: Description of other reasons for applying to Peace Corps**

| | PERCENT | NUMBER |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. | | |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Total | 100% | 130 |

**B2: How important were the following factors in accepting a PC assignment?**

| | Not Important | Somewhat important | Important | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Different culture | 2% | 12% | 86% | 129 |
| Work experience | 5% | 25% | 71% | 129 |
| Help others | 1% | 12% | 87% | 130 |
| International experience | 1% | 4% | 95% | 130 |
| Language | 1% | 9% | 90% | 129 |
| Personal growth | 1% | 18% | 81% | 129 |
| U. S. job market | 52% | 29% | 19% | 129 |
| Serve my country | 25% | 52% | 23% | 129 |
| Travel/adventure | 2% | 19% | 80% | 129 |
| Other:   Please specify below | 17% | 17% | 67% | 6 |

**B2.OTHER: Description of other factor/s in accepting a PC assignment**

| | PERCENT | NUMBER |
|---|---|---|
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| Total | 100% | 130 |

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**B3: How prepared do you feel today to meet the challenges of PC service?**

|     | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Total |
|-----|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|--------------|-------|
| B3  |           | 2%        | 29%       | 50%         | 19%          | 130   |

# C. Your Peace Corps Assignment

This section reports Volunteers' work on their primary assignment and their secondary activities. The term "primary assignment" refers to the Volunteers' assignment which is part of an overall project plan designed by the host country partners and in-country Peace Corps staff.

**C1: Which best describes the focus of your primary assignment/work?**

|                                                   | Percent | Number |
|---------------------------------------------------|---------|--------|
| Business education/advising                       | 16%     | 21     |
| Youth development                                 | 16%     | 21     |
| Water sanitation                                  | 15%     | 19     |
| Environmental education                           | 14%     | 18     |
| Health extension                                  | 12%     | 15     |
| Other:   Please specify                           | 8%      | 11     |
| Community development                             | 8%      | 10     |
| HIV/AIDS                                           | 4%      | 5      |
| Forestry/parks                                    | 3%      | 4      |
| Agriculture/fish/livestock                        | 3%      | 4      |
| Teacher training                                  | 1%      | 1      |
| English teaching                                  | 1%      | 1      |
| Urban & regional planning/municipal development   |         |        |
| Other education                                   |         |        |
| Math/science teaching                             |         |        |
| Agroforestry                                      |         |        |
| Information & communications technology (ICT)     |         |        |
| NGO development                                   |         |        |
| Total                                             | 100%    | 130    |

**C1.OTHER: Description of "other" primary assignment/work focus**

|     | PERCENT | NUMBER |
|-----|---------|--------|
|     |         |        |

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|---|---|---|
| Total | 100% | 130 |

**C2: Are you a Masters International student?**

| | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| No | 98% | 126 |
| Yes | 2% | 3 |
| Total | 100% | 129 |

**C3: Which of the following activities does your primary assignment/work include?**

| | PCV Responses | % Involved in Activity | Total PCVs Responding |
|---|---|---|---|
| Working with youth | 70 | 54% | |
| Environment work | 57 | 44% | |
| Working with NGO(s) | 39 | 30% | |
| Nutrition education | 36 | 28% | |
| Water and sanitation | 34 | 26% | |
| HIV/AIDS | 32 | 25% | |
| Income generation | 32 | 25% | |
| Natural resources management | 29 | 22% | |
| Girls' education | 28 | 22% | |
| Business advertising | 26 | 20% | |
| Microenterprise development | 26 | 20% | |

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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| English teaching | 25 | 19% | |
| Rural development | 25 | 19% | |
| Biodiversity conservation | 21 | 16% | |
| Arts | 17 | 13% | |
| Household food security | 17 | 13% | |
| World Wise Schools/ Correspondence Match | 15 | 12% | |
| WID/GAD | 14 | 11% | |
| Sports/fitness | 12 | 9% | |
| Urban development/municipal development | 11 | 8% | |
| Other:   Please specify | 11 | 8% | |
| Community food security (production/marketing) | 10 | 8% | |
| Literacy | 10 | 8% | |
| Child survival | 8 | 6% | |
| Information and communications technology (ICT) | 8 | 6% | |
| Library development | 8 | 6% | |
| Working with special groups (e.g., disabled, elderly, ethnic minorities, orphans) | 8 | 6% | |
| Mobilize host country nationals (HCNs) to volunteer | 7 | 5% | |
| Total | | | 130 |

Percents may total to more than 100% since Volunteers were asked to "Mark all that apply."

**C3.OTHER: Description of other primary assignment/work activities**

| | PERCENT | NUMBER |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. | | |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

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**C4: Hours Spent on Primary Assignment During Average Work Week**

|  | None | 1-10 hrs | 11-20 hrs | 21-30 hrs | 31-40 hrs | More than 40 hrs | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| C4Hrs6grp |  | 13% | 43% | 29% | 10% | 4% | 126 |

**C4: How many hours do you spend on your primary assignment during an average work week?**

|  | All Volunteers | Average | Lowest reported | Highest reported | Did not answer |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| C4 | 130 | 22.1 | 1 | 60 | 4 |

**C5: Which of the following do your secondary activities (other than your primary assignment work) include?**

|  | PCV Responses | % Involved in Activity | Total PCVs Responding |
|---|---|---|---|
| English teaching | 84 | 66% |  |
| Working with youth | 61 | 48% |  |
| World Wise Schools/ Correspondence Match | 54 | 43% |  |
| Sports/fitness | 38 | 30% |  |
| Arts | 37 | 29% |  |
| Environment work | 35 | 28% |  |
| HIV/AIDS | 34 | 27% |  |
| Working with NGO(s) | 29 | 23% |  |
| Girls' education | 24 | 19% |  |
| Nutrition education | 24 | 19% |  |
| Library development | 20 | 16% |  |
| Rural development | 18 | 14% |  |
| Income generation | 16 | 13% |  |
| WID/GAD | 15 | 12% |  |
| Water and sanitation | 13 | 10% |  |
| Literacy | 12 | 9% |  |
| Biodiversity conservation | 11 | 9% |  |
| Urban development/municipal development | 11 | 9% |  |
| Natural resources management | 9 | 7% |  |
| Information and communications technology (ICT) | 8 | 6% |  |
| Microenterprise development | 8 | 6% |  |

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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Business advertising | 6 | 5% | |
| Mobilize host country nationals (HCNs) to volunteer | 6 | 5% | |
| Working with special groups (e.g., disabled, elderly, ethnic minorities, orphans) | 6 | 5% | |
| Child survival | 5 | 4% | |
| Household food security | 5 | 4% | |
| Other:   Please specify | 5 | 4% | |
| Community food security (production/marketing) | 3 | 2% | |
| Total | | | 127 |

Percents may total to more than 100% since Volunteers were asked to "Mark all that apply."

### C5.OTHER: Description of other secondary activities

| | Column N % | Count |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. | | |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

### C5: No Secondary Activities

| | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| NA | 98% | 127 |
| No secondary activities | 2% | 3 |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

### C6: Hours Spent on Secondary Activities During Average Work Week

| | None | 1-10 hrs | 11-20 hrs | 21-30 hrs | 31-40 hrs | More than 40 hrs | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| C6Hrs6grp | | 60% | 33% | 6% | 2% | | 126 |

**C6. How many hours do you spend on secondary activities during an average work week?**

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| | All Volunteers | Average | Lowest reported | Highest reported | Did not answer |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| C6 | 130 | 12.0 | 1 | 40 | 4 |

**C7: How personally satisfying is your--?**

| | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Primary assignment | 2% | 7% | 28% | 49% | 14% | 130 |
| Secondary project activities | | 9% | 39% | 41% | 12% | 128 |

NOTE: See the Open-Ended Responses report for Volunteer comments (C8) about their satisfaction with the work they do

# D. Training for Your Peace Corps Assignment

This section reports Volunteers' assessment of the effectiveness of Pre-Service Training (PST) and In-Service Training at post. In-Service Training (IST) includes: Reconnect, Technical IST, Mid-Service and Close of Service Conferences, project management/leadership conferences, and other post-sponsored training sessions.

**D1: How many weeks of PST did you have before you were sworn in?**

| | Less than 8 weeks | 8 weeks | 9 weeks | 10 weeks | 11 weeks | 12 weeks | More than 12 weeks | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| D1GRP | | 2% | 1% | 32% | 56% | 7% | 2% | 111 |

**D2: How effective was your Pre-Service Training (PST) in preparing you to--**

| | Not effective | Poor | Adequate | Effective | Very effective |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Manage cultural differences | 2% | 5% | 28% | 48% | 18% |
| Deal with adjustment issues | 2% | 4% | 37% | 45% | 12% |
| Work with counterparts/community partners | 5% | 26% | 43% | 20% | 5% |
| Use language needed in work and social interactions | 2% | 8% | 22% | 42% | 28% |
| Perform technical aspects of your work | 6% | 23% | 32% | 28% | 11% |
| Work on your project goals and objectives | 1% | 18% | 33% | 37% | 11% |
| Conduct a participatory community needs assessment (e.g., PACA) | 2% | 14% | 36% | 31% | 16% |
| Monitor your project goals and outcomes | 5% | 33% | 32% | 25% | 5% |
| Maintain your physical health | 1% | 8% | 32% | 32% | 26% |
| Maintain your mental/emotional health | 1% | 8% | 37% | 35% | 20% |

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**D2: How effective was your Pre-Service Training (PST) in preparing you to--**

| | Not effective | Poor | Adequate | Effective | Very effective |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Manage cultural differences | 2% | 5% | 28% | 48% | 18% |
| Deal with adjustment issues | 2% | 4% | 37% | 45% | 12% |
| Work with counterparts/community partners | 5% | 26% | 43% | 20% | 5% |
| Use language needed in work and social interactions | 2% | 8% | 22% | 42% | 28% |
| Perform technical aspects of your work | 6% | 23% | 32% | 28% | 11% |
| Work on your project goals and objectives | 1% | 18% | 33% | 37% | 11% |
| Conduct a participatory community needs assessment (e.g., PACA) | 2% | 14% | 36% | 31% | 16% |
| Monitor your project goals and outcomes | 5% | 33% | 32% | 25% | 5% |
| Maintain your physical health | 1% | 8% | 32% | 32% | 26% |
| Maintain your mental/emotional health | 1% | 8% | 37% | 35% | 20% |
| Maintain your personal safety and security | 1% | 2% | 18% | 48% | 31% |

**D2: How effective was your Pre-Service Training (PST) in preparing you to--**

| | NA/No training | Total |
|---|---|---|
| Manage cultural differences | | 130 |
| Deal with adjustment issues | | 130 |
| Work with counterparts/community partners | | 129 |
| Use language needed in work and social interactions | | 130 |
| Perform technical aspects of your work | | 130 |
| Work on your project goals and objectives | 1% | 130 |
| Conduct a participatory community needs assessment (e.g., PACA) | 2% | 130 |
| Monitor your project goals and outcomes | | 130 |
| Maintain your physical health | 1% | 130 |
| Maintain your mental/emotional health | | 130 |
| Maintain your personal safety and security | | 130 |

**D2: How effective was your Pre-Service Training (PST) in preparing you to-- (excluding "NA/No training" responses)**

| | Not effective | Poor | Adequate | Effective | Very effective | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Manage cultural differences | 2% | 5% | 28% | 48% | 18% | 130 |
| Deal with adjustment issues | 2% | 4% | 37% | 45% | 12% | 130 |
| Work with counterparts/community partners | 5% | 26% | 43% | 20% | 5% | 129 |

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| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Use language needed in work and social interactions | 2% | 8% | 22% | 42% | 28% | 130 |
| Perform technical aspects of your work | 6% | 23% | 32% | 28% | 11% | 130 |
| Work on your project goals and objectives | 1% | 18% | 33% | 37% | 11% | 129 |
| Conduct a participatory community needs assessment (e.g., PACA) | 2% | 14% | 37% | 31% | 16% | 128 |
| Monitor your project goals and outcomes | 5% | 33% | 32% | 25% | 5% | 130 |
| Maintain your physical health | 1% | 9% | 32% | 33% | 26% | 129 |
| Maintain your mental/emotional health | 1% | 8% | 37% | 35% | 20% | 130 |
| Maintain your personal safety and security | 1% | 2% | 18% | 48% | 31% | 130 |

**D3: How many days of PC-sponsored training have you had since you were sworn in?**

| | None | 1-5 days | 6-10 days | 11-15 days | 16-20 days | 21-39 days | 40+ days | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| D3GRP | | 8% | 47% | 26% | 9% | 7% | 5% | 129 |

**D4: How effective was your In-Service Training (IST) in preparing you to--**

| | Not effective | Poor | Adequate | Effective | Very effective |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Manage cultural differences | 3% | 8% | 33% | 19% | 2% |
| Deal with adjustment issues | 3% | 9% | 38% | 19% | 2% |
| Build and strengthen working relationships with counterparts/community partners | 5% | 5% | 24% | 40% | 22% |
| Use language needed in work and social interactions | 3% | 9% | 29% | 26% | 7% |
| Perform technical aspects of your work | 5% | 5% | 22% | 42% | 24% |
| Work on your project goals and objectives | 3% | 1% | 28% | 44% | 22% |
| Conduct a participatory community needs assessment (e.g.,PACA) | 4% | 8% | 32% | 23% | 4% |
| Monitor project goals and outcomes | 4% | 10% | 32% | 38% | 11% |
| Maintain your physical health | 4% | 15% | 25% | 16% | 5% |
| Maintain your mental/emotional health | 3% | 15% | 26% | 21% | 3% |
| Maintain your personal safety and security | 3% | 8% | 30% | 24% | 5% |

**D4: How effective was your In-Service Training (IST) in preparing you to--**

| | NA/No training | Total |
|---|---|---|
| Manage cultural differences | 35% | 130 |
| Deal with adjustment issues | 29% | 129 |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Build and strengthen working relationships with counterparts/community partners | 4% | 130 |
| Use language needed in work and social interactions | 26% | 129 |
| Perform technical aspects of your work | 2% | 129 |
| Work on your project goals and objectives | 2% | 130 |
| Conduct a participatory community needs assessment (e.g.,PACA) | 30% | 130 |
| Monitor project goals and outcomes | 5% | 130 |
| Maintain your physical health | 36% | 130 |
| Maintain your mental/emotional health | 32% | 130 |
| Maintain your personal safety and security | 31% | 130 |

**D4: How effective was your In-Service Training (IST) in preparing you to-- (excluding "NA/No training" responses)**

| | Not effective | Poor | Adequate | Effective | Very effective | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Manage cultural differences | 5% | 13% | 51% | 29% | 2% | 85 |
| Deal with adjustment issues | 4% | 13% | 53% | 26% | 3% | 92 |
| Build and strengthen working relationships with counterparts/community partners | 5% | 6% | 25% | 42% | 23% | 125 |
| Use language needed in work and social interactions | 4% | 12% | 39% | 36% | 9% | 95 |
| Perform technical aspects of your work | 5% | 5% | 23% | 43% | 25% | 126 |
| Work on your project goals and objectives | 3% | 1% | 28% | 45% | 23% | 127 |
| Conduct a participatory community needs assessment (e.g.,PACA) | 5% | 11% | 45% | 33% | 5% | 91 |
| Monitor project goals and outcomes | 4% | 11% | 34% | 40% | 11% | 123 |
| Maintain your physical health | 6% | 23% | 39% | 25% | 7% | 83 |
| Maintain your mental/emotional health | 5% | 22% | 39% | 31% | 5% | 88 |
| Maintain your personal safety and security | 4% | 11% | 43% | 34% | 7% | 90 |

**D5: Please list other types of training you have had that were sponsored by someone other than PC**

| | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. | | |

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Open-ended results. Not responsive to request.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Total | 100% | 130 |

**D6: How well can you communicate in the language used by most local people in your community?**

| | Not at all | Poorly | Adequately | Well | Very well | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| D6 | 1% | 4% | 24% | 35% | 36% | 129 |

**Local language proficiency (D6) by Time in Country (A2)**

| | Not at all | Poorly | Adequately | Well | Very well | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 months or less | | | | | | |
| 7 to 12 months | 2% | 2% | 37% | 44% | 15% | 41 |
| 13 to 20 months | | 3% | 32% | 35% | 29% | 31 |
| 21 to 27 months | | 6% | 10% | 32% | 52% | 50 |
| 28 months or more | | | 14% | | 86% | 7 |

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**Local language proficiency (D6) by Time in Country (A2)**

|  | Not at all | Poorly | Adequately | Well | Very well | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 months or less |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 to 12 months | 2% | 2% | 37% | 44% | 15% | 41 |
| 13 to 20 months |  | 3% | 32% | 35% | 29% | 31 |
| 21 to 27 months |  | 6% | 10% | 32% | 52% | 50 |
| 28 months or more |  |  | 14% |  | 86% | 7 |
| Total | 1% | 4% | 24% | 35% | 36% | 129 |

# E. Volunteer Assignment Goals and Impact

This section reports Volunteers' self-assessments of their impact on the individuals and organizations in the communities in which they serve. The results address the extent to which Volunteers' work and other community interaction have achieved the following three goals:

Goal 1:  To help the people of interested countries in meeting their need for trained men and women by transferring skills to, and building capacity of, host country partners

Goal 2:  To help promote a better understanding of Americans on the part of the peoples served

Goal 3:  To help Americans understand the people and cultures of other countries

**E1: To what extent does your Volunteer work assignment address the following?**

|  | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Meets the objectives of the project plan |  | 4% | 25% | 49% | 21% |
| Builds local capacity for sustainability (goal 1) | 1% | 8% | 42% | 35% | 12% |
| Involves local people in planning and implementing activities |  | 5% | 32% | 42% | 19% |
| Complements other local development activities |  | 9% | 38% | 38% | 12% |
| Transfers skills to host country individuals and organizations (goal 1) |  | 6% | 37% | 42% | 14% |
| Mobilizes host country individuals to volunteer | 9% | 28% | 33% | 19% | 7% |
| Helps promote a better understanding of Americans on the part of the peoples served (goal 2) | 1% | 8% | 21% | 42% | 28% |
| Helps promote a better understanding of other peoples on the part of Americans (goal 3) | 2% | 7% | 24% | 39% | 27% |

**E1: To what extent does your Volunteer work assignment address the following?**

|  | NA | Total |
|---|---|---|
| Meets the objectives of the project plan | 1% | 130 |
| Builds local capacity for sustainability (goal 1) | 2% | 130 |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Involves local people in planning and implementing activities | 2% | 130 |
| Complements other local development activities | 2% | 130 |
| Transfers skills to host country individuals and organizations (goal 1) | 1% | 130 |
| Mobilizes host country individuals to volunteer | 5% | 129 |
| Helps promote a better understanding of Americans on the part of the peoples served (goal 2) | 1% | 130 |
| Helps promote a better understanding of other peoples on the part of Americans (goal 3) | 2% | 130 |

**E1: To what extent does your Volunteer work assignment address the following? (excluding "NA" responses)**

| | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Meets the objectives of the project plan | | 4% | 26% | 50% |
| Builds local capacity for sustainability (goal 1) | 1% | 9% | 43% | 36% |
| Involves local people in planning and implementing activities | | 5% | 33% | 43% |
| Complements other local development activities | | 9% | 39% | 39% |
| Transfers skills to host country individuals and organizations (goal 1) | | 6% | 37% | 43% |
| Mobilizes host country individuals to volunteer | 9% | 29% | 34% | 20% |
| Helps promote a better understanding of Americans on the part of the peoples served (goal 2) | 1% | 8% | 21% | 43% |
| Helps promote a better understanding of other peoples on the part of Americans (goal 3) | 2% | 7% | 24% | 40% |

**E1: To what extent does your Volunteer work assignment address the following?**

**(excluding "NA" responses)**

| | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|
| Meets the objectives of the project plan | 21% | 129 |
| Builds local capacity for sustainability (goal 1) | 12% | 128 |
| Involves local people in planning and implementing activities | 20% | 128 |
| Complements other local development activities | 13% | 127 |
| Transfers skills to host country individuals and organizations (goal 1) | 14% | 129 |
| Mobilizes host country individuals to volunteer | 7% | 123 |

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| Helps promote a better understanding of Americans on the part of the peoples served (goal 2) | 28% | 129 |
|---|---|---|
| Helps promote a better understanding of other peoples on the part of Americans (goal 3) | 27% | 128 |

**E2: How effective have you been in transferring knowledge and skills to help the following persons or groups build their capacities?**

| | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Your counterpart/community partner | 2% | 8% | 32% | 47% | 12% |
| An organization other than your host institution | 1% | 16% | 35% | 32% | 8% |
| Members of your host community | | 7% | 36% | 44% | 12% |
| Other Peace Corps Volunteers | 2% | 9% | 28% | 38% | 22% |

**E2: How effective have you been in transferring knowledge and skills to help the following persons or groups build their capacities?**

| | NA | Total |
|---|---|---|
| Your counterpart/community partner | | 130 |
| An organization other than your host institution | 8% | 130 |
| Members of your host community | 2% | 130 |
| Other Peace Corps Volunteers | 2% | 130 |

**E2: How effective have you been in transferring knowledge and skills to help the following persons or groups build their capacities? (excluding "NA" responses)**

| | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Your counterpart/community partner | 2% | 8% | 32% | 47% |
| An organization other than your host institution | 1% | 18% | 38% | 35% |
| Members of your host community | | 7% | 37% | 45% |
| Other Peace Corps Volunteers | 2% | 9% | 28% | 39% |

**E2: How effective have you been in transferring knowledge and skills to help the following persons or groups build their capacities? (excluding "NA" responses)**

| | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|
| Your counterpart/community partner | 12% | 130 |
| An organization other than your host institution | 9% | 120 |
| Members of your host community | 12% | 128 |

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**E2: How effective have you been in transferring knowledge and skills to help the following persons or groups build their capacities? (excluding "NA" responses)**

|  | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|
| Your counterpart/community partner | 12% | 130 |
| An organization other than your host institution | 9% | 120 |
| Members of your host community | 12% | 128 |
| Other Peace Corps Volunteers | 22% | 128 |

**E2.TEXT: Description of others to whom you are transferring skills to help build their capacities**

|  | Column N % | Count |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. | | |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

**E3: Based on your contact with host country nationals, to what extent have they gained a better understanding of Americans?**

|  | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Too early to tell | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| E3 | | 5% | 22% | 52% | 19% | 2% | 128 |

**E3: Based on your contact with host country nationals, to what extent have they gained a better understanding of Americans? (excluding "Too early to tell" responses)**

|  | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| E3 | | 6% | 22% | 53% | 19% | 125 |

**E4: In which of the following third goal activities have you participated during your PC service? Mark all that apply.**

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| | PCV Responses | % Doing This | Total PCVs Responding |
|---|---|---|---|
| Electronic updates | 117 | 91% | |
| Hosting American visitors | 111 | 87% | |
| Enrollment in the CWWS/CMS program | 82 | 64% | |
| Personal website or blog | 79 | 62% | |
| Hard copy/paper update | 45 | 35% | |
| While on home leave, spoke at a school or community group | 15 | 12% | |
| Pen pal program/letter exchange | 14 | 11% | |
| Podcasted/created a slide show or video posted online | 10 | 8% | |
| Other please specify | 6 | 5% | |
| Peace Corps Week activities | 3 | 2% | |
| Posted to PC Digital Library | | | |
| Total | | | 128 |

Percents may total to more than 100% since Volunteers were asked to "Mark all that apply."

**E4.TEXT: Description of "others" third goal activities**

| | Column N % | Count |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. | | |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

**E4: When asked about third goal activities, Volunteer answered "No involvement in third goal activities."**

| | NA | No third goal activities | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| No Goal 3 activities | 98% | 2% | 130 |

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**E5: Based on your contact with Americans, to what extent have they gained a better understanding of   host country nationals?**

|  | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Too early to tell | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| E5 | | 8% | 16% | 50% | 22% | 3% | 129 |

**E5: Based on your contact with Americans, to what extent have they gained a better understanding of   host country nationals? (excluding "Too early to tell" responses)**

|  | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| E5 | | 8% | 17% | 52% | 23% | 125 |

# F.   Peace Corps Support

This section reports Volunteers' satisfaction with in-country Peace Corps staff support and how the Volunteers communicate with the post.

**F1: How prepared for your arrival were the host people with whom you would be working?**

|  | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| F1 | 9% | 29% | 39% | 17% | 6% | 129 |

**F2: To what extent is your CD aware of Volunteer issues and concerns through interactions with PCVs?**

|  | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| F2 | 2% | 5% | 32% | 41% | 22% | 130 |

**F3: How satisfied are you with the health care you received from your PCMO(s)?**

|  | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Not Used | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| F3 | | 1% | 13% | 22% | 62% | 2% | 130 |

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**F3: How satisfied are you with the health care you received from your PCMO(s)?(excluding "Not used" responses)**

|  | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| F3 |  | 1% | 13% | 23% | 63% | 128 |

**F4: How satisfied are you with the following support provided by in-country PC staff?**

|  | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | NA | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Administrative/logistical |  | 18% | 28% | 42% | 12% | 1% | 130 |
| Cross-cultural | 1% | 10% | 32% | 41% | 11% | 5% | 130 |
| Emotional | 2% | 13% | 37% | 32% | 12% | 5% | 130 |
| Feedback on my work reports | 8% | 15% | 32% | 25% | 18% | 2% | 130 |
| Job assignment | 2% | 11% | 30% | 34% | 22% | 2% | 129 |
| Language learning | 2% | 8% | 33% | 33% | 24% | 1% | 130 |
| Medical |  | 1% | 10% | 25% | 63% | 1% | 130 |
| Safety and security |  | 3% | 25% | 35% | 35% | 2% | 130 |
| Site selection/preparation | 4% | 18% | 32% | 33% | 12% | 1% | 130 |
| Technical skills | 1% | 16% | 43% | 31% | 9% | 1% | 129 |

**F4: How satisfied are you with the following support provided by in-country PC staff? (excluding "NA" responses)**

|  | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Administrative/logistical |  | 18% | 28% | 43% | 12% | 129 |
| Cross-cultural | 1% | 11% | 34% | 43% | 11% | 123 |
| Emotional | 2% | 14% | 39% | 33% | 12% | 124 |
| Feedback on my work reports | 8% | 16% | 33% | 26% | 18% | 128 |
| Job assignment | 2% | 11% | 31% | 35% | 22% | 127 |
| Language learning | 2% | 8% | 33% | 33% | 24% | 129 |
| Medical |  | 1% | 10% | 26% | 64% | 129 |
| Safety and security |  | 3% | 25% | 36% | 36% | 128 |
| Site selection/preparation | 4% | 19% | 32% | 33% | 12% | 129 |
| Technical skills | 1% | 16% | 43% | 31% | 9% | 128 |

**F5: What level of PC support have you received to help cope with stress from issues such as HIV/AIDS,   food insecurity, etc. in your community? (Including PCVs w/no need for support)**

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| | No support | Minimal support | Adequate support | Considerable support | Exceptional support | NA / I have no need for support | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| F5 | 1% | 14% | 28% | 23% | 3% | 32% | 130 |

**F5: What level of PC support have you received to help cope with stress from issues such as HIV/AIDS, food insecurity, etc. in your community? (excluding "NA/No need for support" responses)**

| | No support | Minimal support | Adequate support | Considerable support | Exceptional support | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| F5 | 1% | 20% | 40% | 34% | 4% | 89 |

**F6a: How would you rate your interaction with the Country Director (CD) in terms of the following?**

| | Inadequate | Adequate | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| CD Responsiveness | 4% | 96% | 129 |
| CD Informative content | 4% | 96% | 129 |
| CD Comfort level | 9% | 91% | 129 |
| CD Site visits | 30% | 70% | 125 |

**F6b: How would you rate your interaction with the PTO in terms of --?**

| | Inadequate | Adequate | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| PTO Responsiveness | 8% | 92% | 126 |
| PTO Informative content | 10% | 90% | 126 |
| PTO Comfort level | 10% | 90% | 126 |
| PTO Site visits | 34% | 66% | 121 |

**F6c: How would you rate your interaction with the APCD/Program Manager in terms of --?**

| | Inadequate | Adequate | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| APCD/PM Responsiveness | 24% | 76% | 127 |
| APCD/PM Informative content | 17% | 83% | 126 |
| APCD/PM Comfort level | 24% | 76% | 129 |

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**F6c: How would you rate your interaction with the APCD/Program Manager in terms of --?**

|  | Inadequate | Adequate | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| APCD/PM Responsiveness | 24% | 76% | 127 |
| APCD/PM Informative content | 17% | 83% | 126 |
| APCD/PM Comfort level | 24% | 76% | 129 |
| APCD/PM Site visits | 12% | 88% | 127 |

**F6d: How would you rate your interaction with the PCMO in terms of --?**

|  | Inadequate | Adequate | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| PCMO Responsiveness | 1% | 99% | 128 |
| PCMO Informative content | 0% | 100% | 128 |
| PCMO Comfort level | 2% | 98% | 128 |
| PCMO Site visits | 23% | 77% | 124 |

**F6e: How would you rate your interaction with the Safety and Security Coordinator (SSC) in terms of --?**

|  | Inadequate | Adequate | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| SSC Responsiveness | 7% | 93% | 129 |
| SSC Informative content | 3% | 97% | 128 |
| SSC Comfort level | 8% | 92% | 130 |
| SSC Site visits | 22% | 78% | 125 |

**F6f: How would you rate your interaction with the Training Manager in terms of --?**

|  | Inadequate | Adequate | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| TrMngr Responsiveness | 5% | 95% | 128 |
| TrMngr Informative content | 9% | 91% | 127 |
| TrMngr Comfort level | 5% | 95% | 129 |
| TrMngr Site visits | 28% | 72% | 123 |

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**F6g: How would you rate your interaction with administrative staff in terms of --?**

| | Inadequate | Adequate | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| Admin Responsiveness | 13% | 88% | 128 |
| Admin Informative content | 13% | 87% | 127 |
| Admin Comfort level | 13% | 87% | 129 |
| Admin Site visits | 31% | 69% | 123 |

**F7: What is the best method for you to communicate with your Peace Corps office?**

| | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| Cell phone | 59% | 77 |
| Email | 35% | 45 |
| Text messaging (SMS) | 2% | 3 |
| In-person visits | 2% | 3 |
| Other: Please specify below | 1% | 1 |
| Telephone at residence or work | 1% | 1 |
| Telephone not at residence or work | | |
| Letters/postal service | | |
| Fax | | |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

**F7.OTHER: Description of "other" best method to communicate with post**

| | PERCENT | NUMBER |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. | | |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

**F8: In general, how do you rate the effectiveness of your communication resources for contacting your PC staff in-country?**

| | Not effective | Poor | Adequate | Effective | Very effective | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| F8 | 1% | 4% | 33% | 42% | 20% | 129 |

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# G.    Your Safety and Security

This section reports on how safe Volunteers feel.   Volunteers' experiences with various types of insensitive remarks or behaviors, harassment or discrimination, and crime are summarized, as well as whether harassment and crime events were reported to Peace Corps.

**G1: How safe do you feel...?**

|  | Not at All Safe | Often Unsafe | Adequately Safe | Usually Safe | Very Safe | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Where you live |  | 5% | 6% | 32% | 57% | 129 |
| Where you work | 1% | 2% | 7% | 27% | 63% | 129 |
| When you travel in-country |  | 8% | 33% | 51% | 8% | 129 |
| City where main Peace Corps office is located |  | 3% | 37% | 43% | 16% | 129 |

**G2: Have you encountered insensitive comments or behavior toward you based on your race, ethnicity, age, gender, or sexual orientation from any of the following sources?**

|  | Yes | No | NA | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Host/home stay family | 16% | 84% |  | 129 |
| Community members | 64% | 36% |  | 129 |
| Other Volunteers | 5% | 95% |  | 128 |
| PC in-country staff | 4% | 96% |  | 129 |
| Other | 14% | 24% | 62% | 66 |

**G2: Have you encountered insensitive comments or behavior toward you based on your race, ethnicity, age, gender, or sexual orientation from any of the following sources? (excluding "NA" responses)**

|  | Yes | No | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| Host/home stay family | 16% | 84% | 129 |
| Community members | 64% | 36% | 129 |
| Other Volunteers | 5% | 95% | 128 |
| PC in-country staff | 4% | 96% | 129 |
| Other | 36% | 64% | 25 |

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**G2.OTHER: Description of "other" sources of insensitive comments/behavior**

| | PERCENT | NUMBER |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. | | |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

NOTE: See Open-Ended Responses Report for comments Volunteers wrote in response to Question G3 to explain their harassment/discrimination answers.

**G3: Please indicate the number of times you experienced the following types of discrimination/harassment: PERCENTAGES**

| | None | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Age H/D | 96% | | 4% | | | | 92 |
| Anti-American H/D | 48% | 17% | 27% | 6% | 2% | | 102 |
| Disability H/D | 99% | | | | 1% | | 92 |
| Gender H/D | 60% | 3% | 19% | 7% | 5% | 5% | 95 |
| Racial/color H/D | 72% | 2% | 9% | 3% | 4% | 10% | 94 |
| Religious H/D | 92% | 4% | 1% | 2% | | | 92 |
| Sexual orientation H/D | 97% | | | | 1% | 2% | 93 |
| Sexual harassment (physical) | 74% | 15% | 8% | 1% | | 1% | 98 |
| Sexual harassment (verbal) | 47% | 1% | 9% | 9% | 8% | 25% | 96 |

**G3: Please indicate the number of times you experienced the following types of discrimination/harassment: NUMBERS**

| | None | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Age H/D | 88 | | 4 | | | | 92 |
| Anti-American H/D | 49 | 17 | 28 | 6 | 2 | | 102 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Disability H/D | 91 | | | | | 1 | 92 |
| Gender H/D | 57 | 3 | 18 | 7 | 5 | 5 | 95 |
| Racial/color H/D | 68 | 2 | 8 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 94 |
| Religious H/D | 85 | 4 | 1 | 2 | | | 92 |
| Sexual orientation H/D | 90 | | | | | 1 | 2 | 93 |
| Sexual harassment (physical) | 73 | 15 | 8 | 1 | | | 1 | 98 |
| Sexual harassment (verbal) | 45 | 1 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 24 | 96 |

**G3: Volunteers experiencing AGE discrimination/harassment: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Reported Age H/D | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Age H/D | Once | | | | | | | |
| | 2-5 times | 3 | | | | | | 3 |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | | | |
| | Total | 3 | | | | | | 3 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing AGE discrimination/harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Age H/D | Once | | | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | 1 | 2 | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | | 1 | 2 | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing AGE discrimination/harassment:**

**Events by Person Responsible**

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| | | Host country family member | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | Responsible | Other Responsible |
| Age H/D | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing ANTI-AMERICAN discrimination/harassment: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Reported Anti-American H/D | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Anti-American H/D | Once | 12 | 1 | | | | | 13 |
| | 2-5 times | 24 | 1 | 1 | | | | 26 |
| | 6-10 times | 5 | | | | | | 5 |
| | 11-25 times | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| | 26+ times | | | | | | | |
| | Total | 42 | 2 | 1 | | | | 45 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G3: Volunteers experiencing ANTI-AMERICAN discrimination/harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Anti-American H/D | Once | 6 | 2 | 3 | | |
| | 2-5 times | 9 | 4 | 1 | | |
| | 6-10 times | 4 | 2 | | | |
| | 11-25 times | 1 | 1 | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | 20 | 9 | 4 | | |

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**G3: Volunteers experiencing ANTI-AMERICAN discrimination/harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Anti-American H/D | Once | 6 | 2 | 3 | | |
| | 2-5 times | 9 | 4 | 1 | | |
| | 6-10 times | 4 | 2 | | | |
| | 11-25 times | 1 | 1 | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | 20 | 9 | 4 | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing ANTI-AMERICAN discrimination/harassment:**

**Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Anti-American H/D | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | 1 | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | 1 | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing DISABILITY discrimination/harassment: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Reported Disability H/D | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Disability H/D | Once | | | | | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | | | | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| | 26+ times | | | | | | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Total | 1 | | | | | 1 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G3: Volunteers experiencing DISABILITY discrimination/harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Disability H/D | Once | | | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | | | | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing DISABILITY discrimination/harassment:**

**Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Disability H/D | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing GENDER discrimination/harassment: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Reported Gender H/D | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Gender H/D | Once | 2 | 1 | | | | | 3 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 2-5 times | 12 | 1 | | | | | 13 |
| | 6-10 times | 6 | | | | | | 6 |
| | 11-25 times | 3 | 2 | | | | | 5 |
| | 26+ times | 4 | | | | | | 4 |
| | Total | 27 | 4 | | | | | 31 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G3: Volunteers experiencing GENDER discrimination/harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Gender H/D | Once | 1 | 2 | | | |
| | 2-5 times | 5 | 5 | 3 | | |
| | 6-10 times | 4 | 3 | 2 | | |
| | 11-25 times | 3 | 2 | 1 | | |
| | 26+ times | 4 | 3 | 2 | | |
| | Total PCVs | 17 | 15 | 8 | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing GENDER discrimination/harassment:**

**Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Gender H/D | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | 1 | |
| | 11-25 times | 2 | |
| | 26+ times | 1 | |
| | Total PCVs | 4 | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who
was responsible.

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**G3: Volunteers experiencing RACIAL/COLOR discrimination/harassment: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Reported Racial/color H/D | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Racial/color H/D | Once | 2 | | | | | | 2 |
| | 2-5 times | 5 | | | | | | 5 |
| | 6-10 times | 3 | | | | | | 3 |
| | 11-25 times | 4 | | | | | | 4 |
| | 26+ times | 8 | 1 | | | | | 9 |
| | Total | 22 | 1 | | | | | 23 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G3: Volunteers experiencing RACIAL/COLOR discrimination/harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Racial/color H/D | Once | | 1 | | | |
| | 2-5 times | 5 | 2 | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | 2 | | | | |
| | 26+ times | 5 | 4 | 2 | | |
| | Total PCVs | 12 | 7 | 2 | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing RACIAL/COLOR discrimination/harassment:**

**Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Racial/color H/D | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | 4 | 1 |
| | Total PCVs | 4 | 1 |

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**G3: Volunteers experiencing RACIAL/COLOR discrimination/harassment:**

**Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Racial/color H/D | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | 4 | 1 |
| | Total PCVs | 4 | 1 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing RELIGIOUS discrimination/harassment: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Reported Religious H/D | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Religious H/D | Once | 4 | | | | | | 4 |
| | 2-5 times | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| | 6-10 times | 2 | | | | | | 2 |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | | | |
| | Total | 7 | | | | | | 7 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G3: Volunteers experiencing RELIGIOUS discrimination/harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Religious H/D | Once | 2 | | 1 | | |
| | 2-5 times | | | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | |

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| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 26+ times | | | | |
| Total PCVs | 2 | | 1 | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing RELIGIOUS discrimination/harassment:**

**Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Host country family member | Other |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | Responsible | Responsible |
| Religious H/D | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who
was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing SEXUAL ORIENTATION discrimination/harassment: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Reported Sexual orientation H/D | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times |
| Sexual orientation H/D | Once | | | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | 1 | | | | |
| | 26+ times | 1 | | | | |
| | Total | 2 | | | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G3: Volunteers experiencing SEXUAL ORIENTATION discrimination/harassment:**

**Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Reported Sexual orientation H/D | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | 26+ times | Total |
| Sexual orientation H/D | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |

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|  | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | 11-25 times | | 1 |
| | 26+ times | | 1 |
| | Total | | 2 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G3: Volunteers experiencing SEXUAL ORIENTATION discrimination/harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sexual orientation H/D | Once | | | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | 1 | 1 | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | 1 | 1 | | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing SEXUAL ORIENTATION discrimination/harassment:**

**Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sexual orientation H/D | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | 1 | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | 1 | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing PHYSICAL SEXUAL harassment: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

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| | | Reported Sexual harassment (physical) | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times |
| Sexual harassment (physical) | Once | 9 | 5 | | | |
| | 2-5 times | 1 | 4 | 2 | | |
| | 6-10 times | 1 | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | 1 | | | | |
| | Total | 12 | 9 | 2 | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G3: Volunteers experiencing PHYSICAL SEXUAL harassment: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Reported Sexual harassment (physical) | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | 26+ times | Total |
| Sexual harassment (physical) | Once | | 14 |
| | 2-5 times | | 7 |
| | 6-10 times | | 1 |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | 1 |
| | Total | | 23 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G3: Volunteers experiencing PHYSICAL SEXUAL harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sexual harassment (physical) | Once | 4 | | | |
| | 2-5 times | 2 | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | |
| | 26+ times | 1 | | | |
| | Total PCVs | 7 | | | |

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**G3: Volunteers experiencing PHYSICAL SEXUAL harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Peace Corps staff Responsible | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sexual harassment (physical) | Once | | 1 | 1 |
| | 2-5 times | | 2 | |
| | 6-10 times | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | |
| | Total PCVs | | 3 | 1 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing VERBAL SEXUAL harassment: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Reported Sexual harassment (verbal) | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times |
| Sexual harassment (verbal) | Once | 1 | | | | |
| | 2-5 times | 7 | 1 | | | |
| | 6-10 times | 6 | 1 | | | |
| | 11-25 times | 5 | 1 | | | |
| | 26+ times | 16 | 1 | 4 | 1 | |
| | Total | 35 | 4 | 4 | 1 | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G3: Volunteers experiencing VERBAL SEXUAL harassment: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Reported Sexual harassment (verbal) | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | 26+ times | Total |
| Sexual harassment (verbal) | Once | | 1 |
| | 2-5 times | | 8 |
| | 6-10 times | | 7 |
| | 11-25 times | | 6 |
| | 26+ times | | 22 |
| | Total | | 44 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

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**G3: Volunteers experiencing VERBAL SEXUAL harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sexual harassment (verbal) | Once | 1 | | | |
| | 2-5 times | 3 | | | |
| | 6-10 times | 4 | 1 | | |
| | 11-25 times | 5 | 1 | 1 | |
| | 26+ times | 11 | 3 | | |
| | Total PCVs | 24 | 5 | 1 | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G3: Volunteers experiencing VERBAL SEXUAL harassment: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Peace Corps staff Responsible | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sexual harassment (verbal) | Once | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | |
| | Total PCVs | | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G4: Please indicate the number of times you experienced the following types of crimes: PERCENTAGES**

| | None | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buglary | 86% | 11% | 3% | | | | 99 |
| Theft | 38% | 39% | 21% | 1% | 1% | | 103 |
| Robbery | 84% | 15% | 1% | | | | 97 |
| Physical assault | 85% | 14% | 1% | | | | 96 |
| Aggravated assault | 92% | 6% | 1% | | | | 93 |
| Sexual assault | 91% | 7% | 2% | | | | 95 |

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**G4: Please indicate the number of times you experienced the following types of crimes: PERCENTAGES**

|  | None | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buglary | 86% | 11% | 3% | | | | 99 |
| Theft | 38% | 39% | 21% | 1% | 1% | | 103 |
| Robbery | 84% | 15% | 1% | | | | 97 |
| Physical assault | 85% | 14% | 1% | | | | 96 |
| Aggravated assault | 92% | 6% | 1% | | | | 93 |
| Sexual assault | 91% | 7% | 2% | | | | 95 |
| Rape | 96% | 3% | 1% | | | | 93 |

**G4: Please indicate the number of times you experienced the following types of crimes: NUMBERS**

|  | None | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buglary | 85 | 11 | 3 | | | | 99 |
| Theft | 39 | 40 | 22 | 1 | 1 | | 103 |
| Robbery | 81 | 15 | 1 | | | | 97 |
| Physical assault | 82 | 13 | 1 | | | | 96 |
| Aggravated assault | 86 | 6 | 1 | | | | 93 |
| Sexual assault | 86 | 7 | 2 | | | | 95 |
| Rape | 89 | 3 | 1 | | | | 93 |
| Attempted rape | 90 | 3 | | | | | 93 |

**G4: Volunteers experiencing BURGLARY: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

|  |  | Buglary Reported | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|  |  | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Buglary | Once | 4 | 7 | | | | | 11 |
|  | 2-5 times | 2 | | 1 | | | | 3 |
|  | 6-10 times | | | | | | | |
|  | 11-25 times | | | | | | | |
|  | 26+ times | | | | | | | |
|  | Total | 6 | 7 | 1 | | | | 14 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G4: Volunteers experiencing BURGLARY: Events by Person Responsible**

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| | | Stranger<br>Responsible | Someone you<br>know<br>Responsible | Counterpart,<br>supervisor,<br>co-worker<br>Responsible | Peace Corps<br>Volunteer<br>Responsible | Peace Corps staff<br>Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buglary | Once | 1 | 2 | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | 1 | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | 1 | 3 | | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing BURGLARY: Events by Person**

**Responsible**

| | | Host country family<br>member<br>Responsible | Other<br>Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Buglary | Once | 1 | |
| | 2-5 times | 2 | 1 |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | 3 | 1 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering
who was responsible.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing THEFT: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Theft Reported | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Theft | Once | 13 | 25 | | | | | 38 |
| | 2-5 times | 4 | 2 | 14 | | | | 20 |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | 1 | | 1 |
| | 26+ times | | | | | | | |
| | Total | 17 | 27 | 14 | 1 | | | 59 |

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**G4: Volunteers experiencing THEFT: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Theft Reported | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Theft | Once | 13 | 25 | | | | | 38 |
| | 2-5 times | 4 | 2 | 14 | | | | 20 |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | 1 | | 1 |
| | 26+ times | | | | | | | |
| | Total | 17 | 27 | 14 | | 1 | | 59 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing THEFT: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Theft | Once | 14 | 1 | | | |
| | 2-5 times | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | 6-10 times | 1 | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | 1 | 1 | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | 26 | 4 | | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing THEFT: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Theft | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | | |

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**G4: Volunteers experiencing THEFT: Events by Person Responsible**

|  |  | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Theft | Once |  |  |
|  | 2-5 times |  |  |
|  | 6-10 times |  |  |
|  | 11-25 times |  |  |
|  | 26+ times |  |  |
|  | Total PCVs |  |  |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing ROBBERY: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

|  |  | Robbery Reported | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|  |  | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Robbery | Once | 2 | 13 |  |  |  |  | 15 |
|  | 2-5 times |  |  | 1 |  |  |  | 1 |
|  | 6-10 times |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 11-25 times |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 26+ times |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | 2 | 13 | 1 |  |  |  | 16 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing ROBBERY: Events by Person Responsible**

|  |  | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Robbery | Once | 6 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 2-5 times |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 6-10 times |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 11-25 times |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 26+ times |  |  |  |  |  |

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|---|---|---|
| Total PCVs | 6 | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

### G4: Volunteers experiencing ROBBERY: Events by Person Responsible

| | | Host country family member | Other |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | Responsible | Responsible |
| Robbery | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

### G4: Volunteers experiencing PHYSICAL ASSAULT: Events by Number of Reports to PC

| | | Physical assault Reported | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Physical assault | Once | 4 | 9 | | | | | 13 |
| | 2-5 times | 1 | | | | | | 1 |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | | | |
| | Total | 5 | 9 | | | | | 14 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s.

### G4: Volunteers experiencing PHYSICAL ASSAULT: Events by Person Responsible

| | | Stranger | Someone you know | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker | Peace Corps Volunteer | Peace Corps staff |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Responsible | Responsible | Responsible | Responsible | Responsible |
| Physical assault | Once | 8 | | | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 2-5 times | | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | 8 | | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

### G4: Volunteers experiencing PHYSICAL ASSAULT: Events by Person Responsible

| | | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Physical assault | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

### G4: Volunteers experiencing AGGRAVATED ASSAULT: Events by Number of Reports to PC

| | | Aggravated assault Reported | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times |
| Aggravated assault | Once | 1 | 5 | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | | 1 | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total | 1 | 5 | 1 | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s.

### G4: Volunteers experiencing AGGRAVATED ASSAULT: Events by Number of Reports to PC

| | Aggravated assault Reported | |
|---|---|---|
| | 26+ times | Total |

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| Aggravated assault | Once | | 6 |
|---|---|---|---|
| | 2-5 times | | 1 |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total | | 7 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing AGGRAVATED ASSAULT: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Aggravated assault | Once | 4 | | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | 4 | | | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing AGGRAVATED ASSAULT: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Aggravated assault | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | | |

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**G4: Volunteers experiencing SEXUAL ASSAULT:   Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Sexual assault Reported | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Sexual assault | Once | 2 | 4 | | | | | 6 |
| | 2-5 times | 2 | | | | | | 2 |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | | | |
| | Total | 4 | 4 | | | | | 8 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing SEXUAL ASSAULT: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sexual assault | Once | 2 | 1 | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | 2 | 1 | | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing SEXUAL ASSAULT: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sexual assault | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |

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| | 26+ times | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Total PCVs | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

### G4: Volunteers experiencing RAPE: Events by Number of Reports to PC

| | | Rape Reported | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Rape | Once | 1 | 2 | | | | | 3 |
| | 2-5 times | | 1 | | | | | 1 |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | | | |
| | Total | 1 | 3 | | | | | 4 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

### G4: Volunteers experiencing RAPE: Events by Person Responsible

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rape | Once | | | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | | | | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing RAPE: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Host country family member Responsible | Other Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|
| Rape | Once | 1 | |

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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | 1 | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering
who was responsible.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing ATTEMPTED RAPE: Events by Number of Reports to PC**

| | | Attempted rape Reported | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Never | Once | 2-5 times | 6-10 times | 11-25 times | 26+ times | Total |
| Attempted rape | Once | | 3 | | | | | 3 |
| | 2-5 times | | | | | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | | | |
| | Total | | 3 | | | | | 3 |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering how many times they reported the event/s .

**G4: Volunteers experiencing ATTEMPTED RAPE: Events by Person Responsible**

| | | Stranger Responsible | Someone you know Responsible | Counterpart, supervisor, co-worker Responsible | Peace Corps Volunteer Responsible | Peace Corps staff Responsible |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Attempted rape | Once | 2 | | | | |
| | 2-5 times | | | | | |
| | 6-10 times | | | | | |
| | 11-25 times | | | | | |
| | 26+ times | | | | | |
| | Total PCVs | 2 | | | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

**G4: Volunteers experiencing ATTEMPTED RAPE: Events by Person**
**Responsible**

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| | | Host country family member | Other |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | Responsible | Responsible |
| Attempted rape | Once | | |
| | 2-5 times | | |
| | 6-10 times | | |
| | 11-25 times | | |
| | 26+ times | | |
| | Total PCVs | | |

NOTE: Some PCVs provided the number of events without answering who was responsible.

# H.    Volunteers Working in HIV/AIDS

This section reports Volunteers' level of involvement in HIV/AIDS work. It also reports Volunteers' assessment of their Peace Corps HIV/AIDS training and the perceived effectiveness of their HIV/AIDS work with host country individuals or groups.

**H1: Which of the following best describes your involvement in HIV/AIDS activities?**

| | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| HIV/AIDS work is my primary assignment. | 15% | 19 |
| HIV/AIDS work is part of my secondary activities. | 20% | 26 |
| My HIV/AIDS efforts are not part of primary/secondary actvities. | 28% | 35 |
| I have not been involved in any HIV/AIDS activities. | 37% | 47 |
| Total | 100% | 127 |

**H2: How effective was the PC training you received in preparing you to undertake your HIV/AIDS activities?**

| | Not effective | Poor | Adequate | Effective | Very effective | NA | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| H2 | 4% | 13% | 26% | 27% | 19% | 11% | 100 |

**H2: How effective was the PC training you received in preparing you to undertake your HIV/AIDS activities? (excluding the "NA" responses)**

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| | Not effective | Poor | Adequate | Effective | Very effective | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| H2 | 4% | 15% | 29% | 30% | 21% | 89 |

**H3: In working with HC individuals or groups, how would you rate the effectiveness of your specific HIV/AIDS activities?**

| | Seldom effective | Sometimes effective | Often effective | Almost always effective | Don't know | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| H3 | 7% | 22% | 23% | 14% | 34% | 97 |

**H3: In working with HC individuals or groups, how would you rate the effectiveness of your specific HIV/AIDS activities?   (excluding both the "NA" and the H1="No involvement in HIV/AIDS activities" responses)**

| | Seldom effective | Sometimes effective | Often effective | Almost always effective | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| H3 | 10% | 32% | 35% | 23% | 62 |

NOTE: See Open-Ended Responses Report for PCV explanations and examples of their H3 answers)

# I.    Your Life in the Peace Corps

This section reports Volunteers' descriptions of and adjustments to their living conditions, including stress factors and how Volunteers cope with stress.

**I1: Have you lived with a host country individual or family?**

| | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| No, I have never lived with a HC individual or family. | | |
| Yes, I lived with a HC individual or family only during PST. | 1% | 1 |
| Yes, in my community (not during PST). | 2% | 2 |
| Yes, both during PST and later in my community. | 98% | 126 |
| Total | 100% | 129 |

**I1: How long (in months) have you lived with a host country individual or family?**

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| | 1 month | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7-11 | 12-16 | 17-26 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| PST Only | | | 100% | | | | | | |
| Post-PST | | | | | | | 50% | | 50% |
| PST & Later | | | | | | | 34% | 22% | 34% |

**I1: How long (in months) have you lived**

**with a host country individual or family?**

| | 27+ mos | Total |
|---|---|---|
| PST Only | | 1 |
| Post-PST | | 2 |
| PST & Later | 10% | 121 |

**I2: How often do you interact with HCNs in community/family social events?**

| | Daily | Several times a week | Weekly | Several times a month | Monthly | Less than once a month | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I2 | 67% | 13% | 8% | 9% | 2% | 1% | 130 |

**I3: How integrated into your community do you feel now?**

| | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I3 | | 4% | 20% | 39% | 37% | 130 |

**I4a: Do you have the following at your worksite?**

| | Never | Sometimes | Usually | Always | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Electricity | 3% | 7% | 43% | 47% | 130 |
| Running water | 8% | 19% | 45% | 28% | 130 |

**I4b: Do you have the following at your residence?**

| | Never | Sometimes | Usually | Always | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Electricity | 2% | 2% | 43% | 54% | 127 |
| Running water | 5% | 15% | 43% | 37% | 127 |

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## I5: How often do you have access to--?

| | Not at all | Less than monthly | Monthly | Weekly | Daily | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Landline phone | 22% | 2% | 8% | 12% | 55% | 130 |
| Computer | 1% | 1% | 3% | 15% | 81% | 130 |
| Internet | | 1% | 9% | 42% | 48% | 130 |
| Cell phone (voice) | | | 8% | 6% | 86% | 129 |
| Text messaging | 1% | | 8% | 4% | 88% | 129 |
| Voice over internet, e.g., SKYPE | 5% | 2% | 36% | 26% | 30% | 130 |
| Webcam/internet video | 13% | 5% | 35% | 19% | 27% | 130 |

## I6: Where do you most frequently connect to the Internet?

| | Your residence | At work | Another person's home | Internet cafe | PC office/satellite office | Other: Please specify | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I6 | 26% | 9% | 1% | 44% | 1% | 19% | 130 |

**I6.TEXT: Description of "other" location to connect to Internet**

| | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|

Open-ended results. Not responsive to request.

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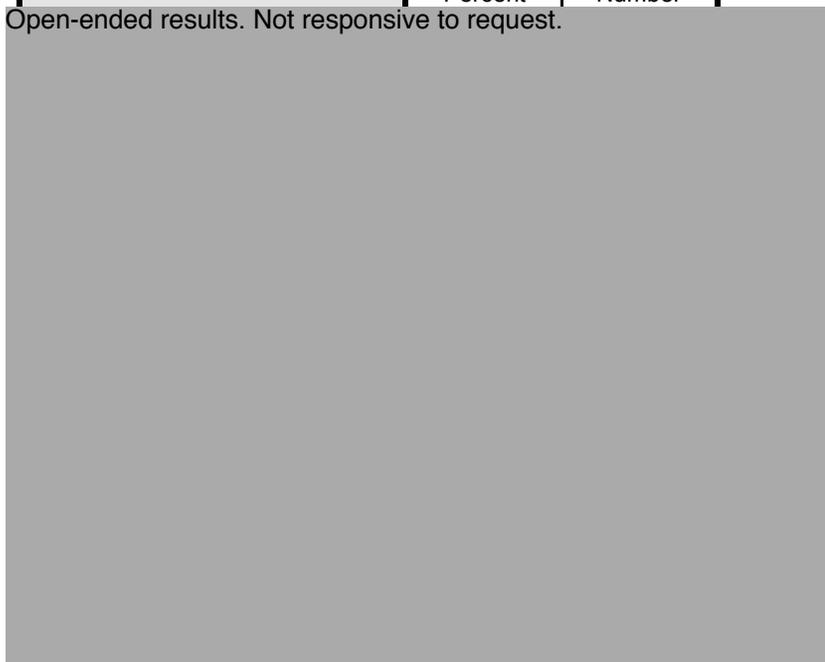
Open-ended results. Not responsive to request.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Total | 100% | 130 |

**I7: How long do you travel to access the internet using your typical transport method (one-way trip)?**

| | Less than one hour | One to two hours | From two to four hours | Four to eight hours | More than eight hours | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I7 | 74% | 13% | 9% | 3% | | 128 |

**Percent of Volunteers Traveling to/from Internet Connection in One Day (I8) by Travel Time (I7)**

| | | I8 Return same day from traveling to Internet connection? | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Yes | No | Total |
| I7 Typical time to reach Internect connection | Less than one hour | 82% | | 94 |
| | One to two hours | 13% | 9% | 16 |
| | From two to four hours | 5% | 55% | 12 |
| | Four to eight hours | | 36% | 4 |
| | More than eight hours | | | |
| | Total | 100% | 100% | 126 |

**Number of Volunteers Traveling to/from Internet Connection in One Day (I8) by Travel Time (I7)**

| | I8 Return same day from traveling to Internet connection? | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Yes | No | Total |

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| I7 Typical time to reach Internet connection | Less than one hour | 94 | | 94 |
| | One to two hours | 15 | 1 | 16 |
| | From two to four hours | 6 | 6 | 12 |
| | Four to eight hours | | 4 | 4 |
| | More than eight hours | | | |
| | Total | 115 | 11 | 126 |

**I9: Have you participated in the Coverdell World Wise Schools/Correspondence Match (CWWS/CM)?**

| | Yes - Please describe your activities/interaction withCWWS/CM | No - Please describe your reason(s) for not participating | Total |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| I9 | 63% | 37% | 130 |

NOTE: See the Open-Ended Responses Report for PCV descriptions

of participation and reasons for not participating.

**I10: To what extent do the following create stress and/or emotional health issues for you?**

| | Not at all stressful | Minimally stressful | Moderately stressful | Considerably stressful |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Cultural issues | 7% | 27% | 45% | 17% |
| Dealing with violence in country | 22% | 49% | 14% | 8% |
| Health/medical problems | 12% | 45% | 30% | 9% |
| Issues including family, friends, loved ones in U.S. | 10% | 34% | 36% | 16% |
| Isolation/loneliness | 7% | 33% | 34% | 19% |
| Local language | 18% | 35% | 23% | 19% |
| Primary assignment | 8% | 28% | 44% | 17% |
| Romantic relationships in-country | 27% | 28% | 18% | 8% |
| Interactions with other Volunteers | 48% | 38% | 10% | 3% |
| Interactions with PC Staff | 32% | 46% | 15% | 6% |
| Safety and security | 26% | 45% | 20% | 5% |
| Other:   Please specify below | 2% | 5% | 7% | 2% |

**I10: To what extent do the following create stress and/or emotional health issues for you?**

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| | Exceptionally stressful | NA | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cultural issues | 4% | | 130 |
| Dealing with violence in country | 3% | 5% | 129 |
| Health/medical problems | 4% | | 130 |
| Issues including family, friends, loved ones in U.S. | 3% | | 129 |
| Isolation/loneliness | 7% | | 129 |
| Local language | 5% | | 130 |
| Primary assignment | 3% | | 130 |
| Romantic relationships in-country | 3% | 17% | 130 |
| Interactions with other Volunteers | 1% | | 130 |
| Interactions with PC Staff | 2% | | 130 |
| Safety and security | 3% | | 129 |
| Other:   Please specify below | 7% | 77% | 43 |

**I10: To what extent do the following create stress and/or emotional health issues for you? (excluding "NA" responses)**

| | Not at all stressful | Minimally stressful | Moderately stressful | Considerably stressful |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cultural issues | 7% | 27% | 45% | 17% |
| Dealing with violence in country | 23% | 51% | 15% | 8% |
| Health/medical problems | 12% | 45% | 30% | 9% |
| Issues including family, friends, loved ones in U.S. | 10% | 34% | 36% | 16% |
| Isolation/loneliness | 7% | 33% | 34% | 19% |
| Local language | 18% | 35% | 23% | 19% |
| Primary assignment | 8% | 28% | 44% | 17% |
| Romantic relationships in-country | 32% | 33% | 21% | 9% |
| Interactions with other Volunteers | 48% | 38% | 10% | 3% |
| Interactions with PC Staff | 32% | 46% | 15% | 6% |
| Safety and security | 26% | 45% | 20% | 5% |
| Other:   Please specify below | 10% | 20% | 30% | 10% |

**I10: To what extent do the following create stress and/or emotional**

**health issues for you? (excluding "NA" responses)**

| | Exceptionally stressful | Total |
|---|---|---|
| | | |

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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cultural issues | | 4% | 130 |
| Dealing with violence in country | | 3% | 123 |
| Health/medical problems | | 4% | 130 |
| Issues including family, friends, loved ones in U.S. | | 3% | 129 |
| Isolation/loneliness | | 7% | 129 |
| Local language | | 5% | 130 |
| Primary assignment | | 3% | 130 |
| Romantic relationships in-country | | 4% | 108 |
| Interactions with other Volunteers | | 1% | 130 |
| Interactions with PC Staff | | 2% | 130 |
| Safety and security | | 3% | 129 |
| Other:   Please specify below | | 30% | 10 |

**I10.TEXT: Description of "other" stress factor**

| | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. | | |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

NOTE:   Long PCV descriptions of "other" factors may have be cut off in this table. The complete text is available upon request from OSIRP.

**I11: Please mark all of the typical ways in which you cope with stress.**

| | PCV Responses | % Using This Stress Reducer | Total PCVs Responding |
|---|---|---|---|
| Friends/family in U.S. | 109 | 84% | |
| PCVs outside my community | 105 | 81% | |
| Pursue personal hobbies/interests | 103 | 80% | |
| Participate in sports/exercise | 96 | 74% | |

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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Leave community for a time | 88 | 68% | |
| Get involved in other projects | 68 | 53% | |
| My host family | 67 | 52% | |
| Co-workers/friends (not PCVs) | 58 | 45% | |
| PCVs in my community | 53 | 41% | |
| Meditate | 33 | 26% | |
| Pray | 25 | 19% | |
| PC in-country staff | 19 | 15% | |
| Other activities | 11 | 9% | |
| Peer Support Network | 8 | 6% | |
| Others | 5 | 4% | |
| Office of Special Services | 2 | 2% | |
| Attend individual/group counseling | 2 | 2% | |
| Total | | | 129 |

*Percents total to more than 100% since Volunteers were asked to "mark all that apply."

### I11: Others I talk with to reduce stress

| | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. | | |
| Total | 100% | 130 |

### I11: Other activities to reduce stress

| | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| Open-ended results. Not responsive to request. | | |

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Open-ended results. Not responsive to request.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Total | | 100% | 130 |

**I8: When asked about ways of coping with stress, Volunteers who answered "No stress"**

| | NA | Yes, I have no stress | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| I11.NOSTRESS | 99% | 1% | 130 |

# J. Overall Assessment of Your Peace Corps Service

This section reports Volunteers' level of satisfaction with their Peace Corps service and their expectations about completing their service.

**J1: How personally rewarding do you find your--?**

| | Not at all | Minimally | Adequately | Considerably | Exceptionally | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Overall Peace Corps service | | 3% | 15% | 50% | 33% | 129 |
| Community involvement | | 5% | 23% | 47% | 25% | 129 |
| Experience with other Volunteers | | 8% | 12% | 40% | 40% | 129 |
| Work with counterparts/community partners | | 17% | 31% | 40% | 12% | 129 |
| Experience with other host country nationals | | 5% | 26% | 41% | 27% | 129 |

NOTE: See the Open-Ended Responses Report for PCV comments on J7 "What has been the best aspect of your PC service?"

**J2: Today, would you make the same decision to join the Peace Corps?**

| | No | Probably not | Possibly | Probably | Definitely | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| J2 | 2% | 1% | 5% | 15% | 78% | 129 |

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**J3: Would you recommend Peace Corps service to others you think are qualified?**

|  | No | Probably not | Possibly | Probably | Definitely | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| J3 |  |  | 7% | 16% | 77% | 129 |

**J4: Do you intend to complete your Peace Corps service?**

|  | No | Not sure | Yes | Might extend | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| J4 | 1% | 2% | 67% | 30% | 129 |

**J5: Would your host country benefit most if the Peace Corps program was---?**

|  | Discontinued | Reduced | Refocused/redesigned | Maintained as is | Expanded | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| J5 |  | 2% | 19% | 23% | 55% | 128 |

NOTE: See the Open-Ended Responses Report for PCV comments on J6 "How can the PC better address the needs of your host country?"

# K.    Demographics and Factors Affecting Extensions

This section reports on the age and gender of all respondents. It also reports on the importance Volunteers place on various factors that may influence their decision to extend or not extend their service beyond two years. Volunteers who answered that they either were considering an extension or were already serving beyond two years were asked to rate nine "motivating" factors and nine "challenging" factors. Volunteers could also write in any of their own motivating or challenging factors not included in the list.

**K1: What is your age?**

|  | 20-29 | 30-49 | 50+ | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| AGE3grp | 92% | 6% | 2% | 129 |

**K2: What is your gender?**

|  | Female | Male | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| GENDER | 60% | 40% | 128 |

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**K2: What is your gender?**

| | Female | Male | Total |
|---|---|---|---|
| GENDER | 60% | 40% | 128 |

Other demographic tables are available upon request

**K8: Are you considering a 3rd year extension?**

| | Percent | Number |
|---|---|---|
| No | 48% | 62 |
| May extend beyond my original COS date | 42% | 54 |
| I am now serving beyond my original COS date | 10% | 13 |
| Total | 100% | 129 |

**Ext Q1: Comparison of Reasons for Extending by Importance to PCVs Who May Extend Beyond COS**

| | Not Important | Somewhat important | Important | NA | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ability to partner with an NGO and/or government counterpart | 19% | 32% | 45% | 4% | 53 |
| Additional financial compensation (higher living allowance, etc.) | 32% | 32% | 34% | 2% | 53 |
| Flexibility to design my extension assignment | 13% | 21% | 62% | 4% | 52 |
| Opportunity for more substantive work | 7% | 28% | 65% | | 54 |
| Opportunity to finish or be more productive in my project | 17% | 20% | 57% | 6% | 54 |
| Opportunity to serve in a different site, country or project | 17% | 15% | 67% | 2% | 54 |
| Opportunity to take on additional responsibilities with PC at post | 22% | 24% | 54% | | 54 |
| Recognition of excellent performance | 30% | 42% | 26% | 2% | 53 |
| Support from local Peace Corps staff | 26% | 39% | 33% | 2% | 54 |
| Other:   Please specify below | | | 41% | 59% | 22 |

NOTE: This table includes only PCVs who answered K8="May extend beyond my original COS date"

**Ext Q1: Comparison of Reasons for Extending by Importance to PCVs Serving an Extension**

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| | Not Important | Somewhat important | Important | NA | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ability to partner with an NGO and/or government counterpart | 23% | 23% | 54% | | 13 |
| Additional financial compensation (higher living allowance, etc.) | 31% | 38% | 31% | | 13 |
| Flexibility to design my extension assignment | | 23% | 77% | | 13 |
| Opportunity for more substantive work | | 8% | 92% | | 13 |
| Opportunity to finish or be more productive in my project | 23% | 38% | 31% | 8% | 13 |
| Opportunity to serve in a different site, country or project | 31% | 23% | 46% | | 13 |
| Opportunity to take on additional responsibilities with PC at post | | 23% | 77% | | 13 |
| Recognition of excellent performance | 31% | 38% | 31% | | 13 |
| Support from local Peace Corps staff | 31% | 31% | 38% | | 13 |
| Other:   Please specify below | 25% | | 75% | | 4 |

NOTE: This table includes only PCVs who answered K8="Now serving beyond my original COS date"

**Ext Q1: Comparison of Reasons for Extending by Importance to PCVs Who May Extend and PCVs Serving an Extension (excluding all "NA" responses)**

| | Are you considering a 3rd year extension? | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | May extend beyond my original COS date | | | |
| | Not Important | Somewhat important | Important | Total |
| Ability to partner with an NGO and/or government counterpart | 20% | 33% | 47% | 51 |
| Additional financial compensation (higher living allowance, etc.) | 33% | 33% | 35% | 52 |
| Flexibility to design my extension assignment | 14% | 22% | 64% | 50 |
| Opportunity for more substantive work | 7% | 28% | 65% | 54 |
| Opportunity to finish or be more productive in my project | 18% | 22% | 61% | 51 |
| Opportunity to serve in a different site, country or project | 17% | 15% | 68% | 53 |
| Opportunity to take on additional responsibilities with PC at post | 22% | 24% | 54% | 54 |
| Recognition of excellent performance | 31% | 42% | 27% | 52 |

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| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Support from local Peace Corps staff | 26% | 40% | 34% | 53 |
| Other:   Please specify below | | | 100% | 9 |

NOTE: See Open-Ended Responses Report for "other" reasons for extending beyond COS

**Ext Q1: Comparison of Reasons for Extending by Importance to PCVs Who May Extend and PCVs Serving an Extension (excluding all "NA" responses)**

| | Are you considering a 3rd year extension? | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | I am now serving beyond my original COS date | | | |
| | Not Important | Somewhat important | Important | Total |
| Ability to partner with an NGO and/or government counterpart | 23% | 23% | 54% | 13 |
| Additional financial compensation (higher living allowance, etc.) | 31% | 38% | 31% | 13 |
| Flexibility to design my extension assignment | | 23% | 77% | 13 |
| Opportunity for more substantive work | | 8% | 92% | 13 |
| Opportunity to finish or be more productive in my project | 25% | 42% | 33% | 12 |
| Opportunity to serve in a different site, country or project | 31% | 23% | 46% | 13 |
| Opportunity to take on additional responsibilities with PC at post | | 23% | 77% | 13 |
| Recognition of excellent performance | 31% | 38% | 31% | 13 |
| Support from local Peace Corps staff | 31% | 31% | 38% | 13 |
| Other:   Please specify below | 25% | | 75% | 4 |

NOTE: See Open-Ended Responses Report for "other" reasons for extending beyond COS

**Ext Q2: Comparison of Reasons for Not Extending by Importance to PCVs Who May Serve Beyond COS**

| | Not Important | Somewhat important | Important | NA | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Adjustment to new country or site | 41% | 26% | 19% | 15% | 54 |
| Bureaucratic challenges related to extension process | 35% | 35% | 22% | 7% | 54 |
| Delaying the pursuit of professional/educational opportunities | 20% | 24% | 48% | 7% | 54 |
| Family and personal reasons | 24% | 17% | 52% | 7% | 54 |
| Feeling that I am ready to go home | 26% | 26% | 41% | 7% | 54 |
| Fellow Volunteers are leaving/have left | 46% | 28% | 19% | 7% | 54 |

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| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lack of information about/difficulty defining the 3rd year extension role | 39% | 31% | 17% | 13% | 54 |
| Lack of professional development opportunities | 41% | 31% | 17% | 11% | 54 |
| Lack of support from Peace Corps staff | 43% | 24% | 17% | 17% | 54 |
| Other:   Please specify below | 20% | | 10% | 70% | 20 |

NOTE: This table includes only PCVs who answered K8="May extend beyond my original COS date"

**Ext Q2: Comparison of Reasons for Not Extending by Importance to PCVs Serving Beyond COS**

| | Not Important | Somewhat important | Important | NA | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Adjustment to new country or site | 23% | 31% | 8% | 38% | 13 |
| Bureaucratic challenges related to extension process | 31% | 23% | 15% | 31% | 13 |
| Delaying the pursuit of professional/educational opportunities | 8% | 15% | 54% | 23% | 13 |
| Family and personal reasons | 8% | 31% | 38% | 23% | 13 |
| Feeling that I am ready to go home | 23% | 15% | 31% | 31% | 13 |
| Fellow Volunteers are leaving/have left | 31% | 15% | 23% | 31% | 13 |
| Lack of information about/difficulty defining the 3rd year extension role | 23% | 23% | 23% | 31% | 13 |
| Lack of professional development opportunities | 31% | | 31% | 38% | 13 |
| Lack of support from Peace Corps staff | 31% | 15% | 23% | 31% | 13 |
| Other:   Please specify below | | | | 100% | 3 |

NOTE: This table includes only PCVs who answered K8="Now serving beyond my original COS date"

**Ext Q2: Comparison of Reasons for Not Extending by Importance to PCVs Who May Extend and PCVs Serving an Extension (excluding all "NA" responses)**

| | Are you considering a 3rd year extension? | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | May extend beyond my original COS date | | | |
| | Not Important | Somewhat important | Important | Total |
| Adjustment to new country or site | 48% | 30% | 22% | 46 |
| Bureaucratic challenges related to extension process | 38% | 38% | 24% | 50 |
| Delaying the pursuit of professional/educational opportunities | 22% | 26% | 52% | 50 |

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| | Not Important | Somewhat important | Important | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Family and personal reasons | 26% | 18% | 56% | 50 |
| Feeling that I am ready to go home | 28% | 28% | 44% | 50 |
| Fellow Volunteers are leaving/have left | 50% | 30% | 20% | 50 |
| Lack of information about/difficulty defining the 3rd year extension role | 45% | 36% | 19% | 47 |
| Lack of professional development opportunities | 46% | 35% | 19% | 48 |
| Lack of support from Peace Corps staff | 51% | 29% | 20% | 45 |
| Other: Please specify below | 67% | | 33% | 6 |

NOTE: See Open-Ended Responses Report for "other" reasons for not extending beyond COS

**Ext Q2: Comparison of Reasons for Not Extending by Importance to PCVs Who May Extend and PCVs Serving an Extension (excluding all "NA" responses)**

| | Are you considering a 3rd year extension? | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | I am now serving beyond my original COS date | | | |
| | Not Important | Somewhat important | Important | Total |
| Adjustment to new country or site | 38% | 50% | 13% | 8 |
| Bureaucratic challenges related to extension process | 44% | 33% | 22% | 9 |
| Delaying the pursuit of professional/educational opportunities | 10% | 20% | 70% | 10 |
| Family and personal reasons | 10% | 40% | 50% | 10 |
| Feeling that I am ready to go home | 33% | 22% | 44% | 9 |
| Fellow Volunteers are leaving/have left | 44% | 22% | 33% | 9 |
| Lack of information about/difficulty defining the 3rd year extension role | 33% | 33% | 33% | 9 |
| Lack of professional development opportunities | 50% | | 50% | 8 |
| Lack of support from Peace Corps staff | 44% | 22% | 33% | 9 |
| Other: Please specify below | | | | |

NOTE: See Open-Ended Responses Report for "other" reasons for not extending beyond COS

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