

WORLD MINISTRIES CREDIT GUIDELINES

The purpose of the enclosed form is for you to list giving, both cash and non-cash, to projects or ministries, domestic and foreign. You do not need to return the form or list contributions given directly to AGWM in Springfield. They will automatically credit that giving to you. If something is part of your missions or local compassion/benevolence or outreach budget, they are usually approved by the NWMN. There are some restrictions from AGWM's point of view.

WHAT CANNOT BE APPROVED:

- Non-Assemblies of God Ministries unless approved by the NWMN – and we automatically approve most local church missions/compassion/outreach. If you have a question call the NWMN office.
- Personal ministries of Assemblies of God credentialed ministers
- Donated time and labor
- Registration fees for district sponsored events and camps
- Local church operational expenses including lodging, travel, and food expenses for staff enrichment conferences, General Council Convention, and Fine Arts Festivals
- Local church normal evangelism ministries such as revival meetings, special speakers, bus ministry, radio-TV ministry, extension Sunday Schools, Christian schools, housing, or church construction/remodeling costs.
- Giving to non-ministry non-profits; i.e. Boy Scouts, Chamber of Commerce, etc.
- Trips that are not ministry related.
- Giving to a General Council Church

WHAT CAN BE APPROVED:

- Funds or non-cash giving to any Network Affiliated Church
- Cash or non-cash giving to a Network approved ministry or project
- Actual cost for domestic outreach trips to related AG ministries
- Benevolence outreach ministries in your community: ie. Rescue Mission, Jail Ministry, Food Banks, Feeding programs, Crisis Pregnancy Care Outreach, etc.
- National or International Para-church Ministries that have relationship with the National or Network office; i.e. World Vision, NAE, Wycliffe, Translators, American Bible Society, etc.
- Any NWMN Recognized, Approved or Affiliated Ministry.
- NWMN Departmental projects
- Direct giving to Chi Alpha
- Churches that make their facilities available for ethnic congregations **at no charge** may receive District Ministries Credit according to the following scale (The ethnic congregation may not be a part of the church and does not have to be an official Assemblies of God church)

<u>SEATING</u>	<u>AGTS CREDIT PER SERVICE</u>
200 or less	\$150.00
201-500	\$350.00
501-1000	\$750.00
1,001 and over	\$1,000.00

If you have any questions regarding whether your gift can receive World Ministries Credit, do not hesitate to call the NWMN Treasurer's office. We will work with you within the parameters established by Assemblies of God World Missions and our office.