



Rubric for Judging

Written Report (55%)

- Clear, concise description of main objectives (15%)
- Goals with accurate target dates, budgeting, and fundraising (10%)
- Detailed descriptions of reasoning behind timeline (10%)
- Realistic goals and expectations (10%)
- Innovation (10%)

Presentation (40%)

- Main objectives clearly stated and defended (20%)
- Well-organized, including usage of all available information and media (15%)
- Member participation (5%)

Team Enthusiasm and Spirit (5%)

- Demonstration of concerted effort to perform at highest level possible
- Active engagement in all of the days activities and application of acquired knowledge towards the task at hand

The driving goal of this competition is to innovate about development work with practicality and plausibility. Participants should make a concerted effort to base their response plans on what they have read in this packet of information as well as on their own volunteer experiences, with MEDLIFE or otherwise. The reality of the world dictates that projects are not executed with the perfect amount of resources by perfect people and perfect timing, but with proper planning and logistical preparation, imperfect people can collaborate to execute near-perfect projects. The more detail the better. The more thought put into troubleshooting the better. Participants should also seriously consider the financial realities and understand that funding is often the crux of every developmental program. These considerations should be the guiding principles behind the judgment of the plans that are presented.