

## World Vision UK Policy Declarations (One to be completed per visitor over 18)

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The work of World Vision has a strong focus on protecting children in the communities in which we work. To ensure that all possible steps are taken to protect sponsored children, their families and communities from those who wish to exploit or abuse them, we operate a very thorough Child Protection and Safeguarding policy. We do everything possible to keep children safe.

Full Name

Supporter Number

I hereby agree to the following conditions set out by World Vision UK with regards to the proposed visit to meet my sponsored child. If I break any of these conditions, World Vision UK has the right to cancel the visit and the sponsorship:

- To the best of my knowledge, I have never been investigated, charged or convicted of crimes, for any form of abuse, violence or sex offence to a child or an adult, including abduction, human trafficking and child endangerment. Nor have I been investigated by a local authority for the mistreatment of children or vulnerable adults.
- I agree to provide a copy of my photo passport page, a Basic Disclosures from the 6 months prior to my visit or a Disclosure Barring Service (DBS) check, and to attend a Child Safeguarding assessment with a World Vision UK child protection specialist prior to travel.
- I have received, read and agree to abide by World Vision UK's Child Safeguarding Policy.
- I will arrange adequate travel and medical insurance with respect to my visit to a World Vision programme.
- I have read WVUK'S Kidnapping and Hostage taking policy and understand that in the event that I am held as hostage or a victim of kidnapping, World Vision will use every legitimate means to secure my release, but will not make any concessions nor negotiate payment of ransom for my release.
- I will read all information provided on the risks of travelling (checking FCO website); considering the potential effects of such risks on me, and will not hold World Vision responsible for any injuries or accidents that may occur during my visit.
- I consent to allowing World Vision to use any photograph taken of me during my visit for use in publications or other work activities.
- I will contact World Vision UK at least 3 months before my intended visit whether it is a first time or a repeat visit.
- I will arrange my own travel to and from the country where my sponsored child lives and understand the visit will be one day only.
- I will reimburse World Vision for the expenses incurred from my visit (our staff in-country do endeavour to keep these minimal).
- I will at no point give my personal contact details to my sponsored child nor any community members. I will only meet my sponsored child in the presence of World Vision staff, and will not be alone with them.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

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