



Privacy Policy – Build Church Africa (BCA)

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Build Church Africa (“BCA,” “we,” “our,” or “us”) respects your privacy and is committed to protecting your personal information. This Privacy Policy explains how we collect, use, store, and protect the information you share with us.

1. Information We Collect

We may collect the following types of information:

- **Personal information:** such as your name, address, email, phone number, and date of birth when you register for mission trips, events, or newsletters.
- **Travel and health information:** required for mission trips, including passport details, emergency contacts, and any relevant medical information (only if necessary).
- **Financial information:** when you make donations or payments, we may collect payment details through secure third-party providers.
- **Usage information:** when you visit our website, we may collect data such as your IP address, browser type, and browsing activity through cookies.

2. How We Use Your Information

We use your information for the following purposes:

- To process mission trip applications and registrations.
- To communicate with you about BCA activities, events, and updates.
- To process donations and issue receipts.
- To ensure the safety and well-being of participants during mission trips.
- To comply with legal obligations.

3. Sharing of Information

We do not sell or rent your personal information to third parties.

We may share your information only with:

- **Trusted service providers** (such as payment processors, travel agencies, or medical services) who help us run our programs.

- **Local partners in Uganda** if necessary for mission logistics (e.g., accommodation, transportation, or church hosting).
- **Legal authorities** if required by law.

4. Data Storage and Security

- We store your personal data securely and take appropriate measures to prevent unauthorized access, disclosure, or loss.
- Only authorized BCA staff and volunteers have access to sensitive information.
- Financial information is processed through secure, encrypted third-party platforms (e.g., PayPal, Stripe, or bank transfer).

5. Cookies and Website Use

Our website may use cookies to improve user experience, analyze site traffic, and personalize content. You can disable cookies in your browser settings if you prefer.

6. Your Rights

You have the right to:

- Access the personal information we hold about you.
- Request corrections to your information if it is inaccurate.
- Request deletion of your information, where applicable.
- Withdraw consent for communication at any time (unsubscribe from newsletters).

To exercise these rights, contact us at: buildachurchafrica@gmail.com

7. Data Retention

We will keep your personal information only for as long as necessary for the purposes described in this Privacy Policy or as required by law (e.g., financial records for donations).

8. International Data Transfer

Since BCA operates in Uganda and other countries, your personal information may be transferred and processed outside your home country. We ensure that data is handled with appropriate protection wherever it is processed.

9. Updates to this Policy

We may update this Privacy Policy from time to time. Any changes will be posted on our website with a revised “last updated” date.

10. Contact Us

If you have questions about this Privacy Policy or how your data is handled, please contact us at: buildachurchafrica@gmail.com

www.buildchurhafrica.org

“We believe that no Christians should be forced to pray outside, or in a dangerous environment. With access to a good church, Christians can focus on their faith and future.”