

# PARAGUAY



**Why we build:** Habitat for Humanity Paraguay seeks to improve the housing conditions of a family through the construction of a home, so they can thrive living with dignity, security, and resilience.

**Project description:** Habitat Paraguay offers partner families the option to build a traditional, complete home or a smaller progressive home and then build additions when they're financially able. The house dimension is 34.5 square meters or 371.35 square feet with 2 bedrooms, an indoor bathroom, kitchen and small front porch. Volunteers assist families as they build new brick homes.

Typical tasks may include:

- mixing mortar and concrete,
- moving sand, bricks, and mortar,
- digging septic pits,
- laying bricks and
- preparing the floor.

**What to expect:** Volunteers arrive in Asuncion and are taken to a local hotel where they will stay for the build. Each day, teams drive 30-60 minutes by bus to the worksite. During the week, teams are taken to our project sites and interact with the communities.

**Highlights:** Volunteers have the opportunity to experience an international location with a familiar feel and minimal time zone change from other parts of North America!

**Team size:** 10-20 volunteers

