



Churches and International Workers
experiencing the joy of
working together for Christ and His Kingdom

KEY ELEMENTS OF A SEAMLESS LINK ▼



LOCAL CHURCH

SHARING THE
VISION

INTERNATIONAL
WORKERS

PRAY

Philippians 1:19

A plan for International Workers and your church to keep praying for the vision and ministry, and for each other.

FUND

Philippians 4:15

A plan to give to the Global Advance Fund and to consider committing to a portion of the overseas ministry costs that help engage with an unreached people group.

To learn more about funding, see the Financial Background sheet.

COMMUNICATE

Philippians 1:1

A plan to keep communication consistent in a way that will work best for the International Worker and for your church.

VISIT

Philippians 2:25

a) The IW's commitment to visiting and reporting to your church on Home Assignment,
b) A plan, discussed with the International Worker, to consider visiting or working with the IW on-site.

The Seamless link Covenant is celebrated like a commissioning service; the International Worker may be present in person or virtually.

The covenant is a living document that can be changed with the consent of both the IW and the local church. It is set up for a time period of two to four years, depending on the length of the IW's term .

GLOSSARY OF TERMS ▼

- **IW:** International Worker (Missionary)
- **Global Ministries:** The C&MA in Canada's international team of people whose purpose is to plant locally led, reproducing churches among least-reached people groups.
- **Global Advance Fund:** C&MA churches in Canada support their International Workers by pooling their resources to this fund.