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## **U.S. VOLUNTEERS SET UP DENTAL CLINICS IN JAMAICA THOUSANDS TO RECEIVE FREE DENTAL CARE**

Great Shape! Inc. Volunteers are on their way back to Jamaica. This is your chance to access free, dental care. For the fifth year in a row, Great Shape plans to care for 9,000 Jamaicans in temporary dental clinics and schools. Dental professionals and their assistants will provide teeth cleanings, extractions and sealants. Volunteers will serve adults and children. Teams will first set up in the Ocho Rios area and then move on to the Negril parishes.

Great Shape! Inc. is a non-profit based in the United States. Our volunteers have provided humanitarian work in Jamaica for nearly twenty years. We've built schools, community centers and roads. **Great Shape couldn't achieve any of its work without our great partnerships with *International Smile Power*, *Sandals Resorts International* and the *Jamaican Ministry of Health*.**

International Smile Power is based in the U.S. and leads humanitarian dental trips around the world. Sandals Resorts International provides support and accommodations so our volunteers have somewhere to rest their heads at night. The Jamaican Ministry of Health provides the safety and infrastructure for our volunteer work.

Executive Director, Joe Wright and Dr. Sherwin Shinn are already in Jamaica, setting up the clinics. Joe has lived in Jamaica on and off over the past fifteen years. He now lives in San Francisco and works as Great Shape's fearless leader. Joe speaks Patois and his heart remains in the Jamaican yard even after he returns to the States. Dr. Shin is about empowering people around the world through dental care.

Great Shape! Inc. would appreciate preview stories to spread the word that our crews are arriving to serve Jamaica. Joe and "Doc" are available for interviews in studio or in the field as they unpack equipment and set up the clinics.

**Please call Joe directly on his Jamaican cell number: 876-507-2074.** If you have any trouble reaching him, email [Lucinda@lucindakay.com](mailto:Lucinda@lucindakay.com) or call the U.S. at (509) 325-3623.

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