

For Distribution Partners



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Customs Information

Flying with The Shoe That Grows!

- Thank you for being willing to bring The Shoe That Grows with you on your international trip! We find that this is not only the most effective way to get shoes distributed, but it also is dramatically less expensive than shipping the shoes internationally.
- We encourage you to reach out to the customer service of the airline you are flying with and ask if there are any discounts or fees that can be waived on the bags of shoes. Some of our distribution partners have had success with this.
- When you prepare to land, you'll receive a customs declaration form from the airline. Each country's form may look a little different. It will be up to you to fill it out to the best of your ability.

Entering another Country with The Shoes:

- Customs agencies in most countries require payments of taxes/duties for products that enter their borders. Typically, these taxes/duties target commercial goods that are meant to be sold. Our shoes are meant for humanitarian aid, are for donation only, and are not for resale, so most countries will reduce/eliminate taxes and fees on the shoes. Have the Customs Letter at hand to help explain the shoes.
- Although the majority of our distribution partners that bring shoes internationally do not have to pay any import duties/taxes, there may be some cases that they are asked to do so. It may be worth researching the laws and regulations for importing donated goods into your destination country.

Let us know about your experience!

- It is our goal to build out a comprehensive database with all of the information we have on specifically bringing shoes into other countries. In order to do that, we need your feedback!
- Please follow up with us about how your experience was traveling internationally with our shoes, so that we can make future distributions even better!

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