Michelle Larson works at Genesis Dental Care in Ilkley, West Yorkshire and hopes to raise £1750 to help fund her trip with UK dental and community charity, Bridge2Aid to Tanzania in Africa.

Bridge2Aid work in Tanzania, providing access to emergency dentistry – the largest but most under-resourced healthcare need – in the rural area's and work with the disabled and people affected by leprosy at Bukumbi Care Centre.

The four key aspects of Bridge2Aid's vision are:

- To provide primary dental care and oral health education to communities in Tanzania
- To equip and further train local health personnel to provide emergency dentistry to rural communities
- To care for and empower the poor and marginalised in Tanzanian society
- To provide opportunities for UK dental professionals and others to use their skills to serve Tanzania, as locums or participants on the Dental Volunteer Programme (DVP).

They achieve these aims in the following ways:

B2A provides training in emergency dentistry utilising UK volunteers which affects up to half a million people each year.

B2A's community development programme works with the disabled and people affected by leprosy. We use profits from Hope Dental Centre as well as funds raised in the UK and Tanzania to deliver a long term programme which includes health, education, agriculture and infrastructure projects with the aim of involving the community themselves in the process of transformation.

B2A's clinic - Hope Dental Centre - provides much needed dental services in the city of Mwanza. It operates on a unique self funding basis which generates income for the charity as well as enabling B2A to offer free treatment to those in need.