

Global Health Ministries continues the healing ministry of Jesus Christ through support of the health care programs of Lutheran Churches in the developing world. Listed below are projects that have been submitted by these Churches and approved for solicitation and funding by the GHM board of Directors. They represent the priority needs of our partners to maintain and strengthen their capacity to provide hope and healing to the poor. We are pleased to present them to you as opportunities to be instruments of God's grace and engage in global health mission with general or specific project gifts. Remember to identify the project number and title with each contribution, and thanks for all you do to "help the hands that heal!"

CONTAINER SHIPMENTS AND OPERATIONS SUPPORT

In 2009, GHM will be making 25 shipments of medical supplies and equipment to Lutheran hospitals in seven countries. GHM volunteers will gather, sort, repair, catalog, pack and ship items ranging from needles, syringes and bandages to incubators, computers, ultra sound and operating tables as donations to 22 hospitals. The cost of sending one 8 by 8 by 20 foot container is approximately \$13,000.

These donated articles are of immeasurable assistance to Lutheran health care programs overseas, often making the difference between continuing or closing. GHM's goal for 2009 is to raise \$257,000 for shipping costs.

ELCA synods are encouraged to adopt a shipment to your companion church as part of your global mission commitment. You may designate your gifts to the country or facility of your choice or to:

99-S0000 Shipping costs "where needed."

04DU-P0001 Bangladesh: Support of Dumki Hospital **\$6,000**

04LM-P0001 Bangladesh: Support of Lamb Hospital **\$6,000**

09-S0000 Cameroon: Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$45,000**

10GA-S0000 Central African Republic: Shipping of medical supplies and equipment to the new Gallo health center. **\$16,000**

46CU-P0001 Liberia: Curran Hospital Recovery. Funds contributed will assist the re-supply and construction of the hospital now that the country is at peace. Gifts may be given in any amount.

46PH-P0001 Liberia: Phebe Hospital Recovery. GHM assists the Phebe Hospital in its recovery efforts after devastation to their facility resulting from the civil war and vandalism. Gifts may be given in any amount.

48-S0000 Madagascar: Shipping of medical supplies/equipment. **\$15,000**

57-S0000 Nigeria: Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$12,150**

60EL-S0000 Papua New Guinea. Shipping of medical supplies/equipment to ELC-PNG hospitals and dispensaries. **\$11,600**

60IM-P0001-Immanuel Lutheran (former LCMS mission) Hospital Shipping **\$13,700**

88-S0000 Zimbabwe. In collaboration with the ELCA/GM, responding to a desperate appeal from Lutheran hospitals in this troubled country, a shipment of medical supplies and equipment. **\$15,700**

Tanzania Hospitals

79BU-P0001 Tanzania: Bumbuli Hospital Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$15,412**

79DO-P0001 Tanzania: Dodoma. A multi-

year hospital development project currently supporting shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$16,500**

79PE-P0001 Tanzania: Pare Diocese Health Care. Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$15,412**

79HA-P0001 Tanzania: Haydom Hospital Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$15,412**

79IL-P0001 Tanzania: Illembula Hospital Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$15,412**

79IU-P0001 Tanzania: Ilula Hospital Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$5,158**

79LU-P0001 Tanzania: Lugala. Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$9,885**

79MA-P0001 Tanzania: Machame Hospital. Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$10,938**

79ND-P0001 Tanzania: Ndolage. Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$10,910**

79AL-S0000 Tanzania: Arusha Lutheran Medical Center. Shipping of medical supplies/equipment. **\$44,000**

OTHER SUPPORT OPPORTUNITIES

CAMEROON

09-D1040 Cameroon: Hospice Care Program. At Ngaoundere Hospital, a new program of home care for the terminally ill, including AIDS patients, responds to the increased need for such services as a Gospel witness with dignity and grace. **\$26,000**

09-P8012 Cameroon: Materials Manager. Proper management of medical supplies and equipment shipped by GHM to OSEELC, the Cameroon Lutheran Church's health system, requires a specially trained person. **\$5,000**

CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

10GA-P0001 CAR: Gallo Health Center project. The dream of the Church and community leaders for the people of a region where no other health services exists, a new primary health care center will soon be completed. We are committed to help support operating expenses for at least ten years. **\$45,000**

10-D1005 CAR: Aids Awareness Program. To provide counseling, self-care training, pastoral care and educate the community about HIV/AIDS and those living with AIDS. **\$20,000**

COLOMBIA

14-P3200 Columbia: Strengthening Communitarian Pharmacies. The Church supports refugees in this civil war-torn nation through community dispensaries **\$10,500**

EL SALVADOR

17-P0001 A new model village development project responding to needs identified by

the community for a small business loan program, school scholarships and malaria bednet distribution. **\$8,550**

ETHIOPIA

18AI-P0001 Ethiopia: Aira Hospital Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. An important initiative to fully refurbish a critically important mission hospital in a remote and poor region of central Ethiopia. **\$45,000**

GUATEMALA

20-D6015 Guatemala: Village Health Workers. Training village health workers to provide health education and local disease prevention assessments as part of the ministry of ILAG, the Lutheran Church in Guatemala, with its village congregations. **\$2,500**

INDIA

32MO-C3200 India: Mohulpahari Hospital Development and shipping. **\$7,000**

32PA-S0000 India: Parkijuli Hospital shipping. **\$11,000**

32PA-C6100 India: Parkijuli Hospital Development project. Demand for services is growing at this impressive mission hospital in the foothills of the Himalayas of Northern India. Renovations and expansion of the surgery is needed. **\$31,500**

32BE-S0000 India: Bethesda Hospital Shipping supplies and equipment. **\$6,500**

32-D9005 India: Andhra Pradesh Wells Project. The Lutheran Church (AFLC) is combining its evangelism efforts with village projects to provide clean water. **\$10,000**

32DN-G0000 India: Danish Mission Hospital. Badly needed renovations for hospital in Tirukoilur, Tamil Nadu. **\$11,000**

LIBERIA

46PH-D5010 Liberia: Phebe Hospital Malaria Prevention. Mothers and children served by Phebe Hospital will receive bednets and malaria prevention education and follow-up to evaluate measures to reduce incidence of the disease. **Goal: \$16,000**

46PH-C6150 Liberia: Phebe Materials Management Project. A new medical supplies storehouse and materials manager. **\$16,500**

MADAGASCAR

48-C6200 Madagascar: Nursing School Building Project. Now operating from leased facilities, this project will construct classrooms, labs and offices for the Lutheran nursing school. **Goal: \$84,314**

48-D6000 Madagascar: Pharmacotherapy for Mentally Ill. Local religious renewal movements have created "Tobys" which care for the mentally ill. GHM subsidizes their efforts with medications costing **\$14,951**

48-E1001 Madagascar: Continuing Education - in management and patient care for training of professional staff. **\$10,000**

48-E4001 Madagascar: Nursing Scholarships. The Malagasy Lutheran Church offers a three-year nursing training

course for 25 carefully selected students, and is establishing a new training center in Antsirabe. Goal: **\$33,000**

48-M6400 Madagascar: Medical Professional Teacher Subsidy - Provides partial subsidies for expenses incurred by medical professionals recruited by GHM in response to requests from the Malagasy Lutheran Church health care programs for training services to upgrade the skills of their medical staff. **Gifts may be given in any amount.**

48RC-P0001 Madagascar: Rural Clinic Support - Salary subsidies for the struggling clinics in the most remote areas of the country can be a virtual 'shot in the arm,' greatly assisting the clinics to become self-sufficient. Patients are very poor; financial assistance is needed to make care possible. **\$27,500**

48-Q0001 Madagascar: Medical Equipment - Funds for urgent requests for medical equipment and supplies. **\$15,750**

48-Q0020 Madagascar: Dental Surgery Instruments and Training. The director of the Church's dental program is in need of new surgical instruments, and will receive additional training from a volunteer dental surgeon on short-term mission. **\$12,600**

48IV-G0001 Madagascar: Anosy Integrated Village Development Program. An exciting new initiative in Southern Madagascar that combines efforts in primary health, sanitation and clean water, education, evangelism and small business development in one program to enhance the "health" of poor villages. **\$59,881**

48EJ-P0001 Madagascar: Ejeda Hospital. Provides subsidy for supplies, equipment and operations of this important mission hospital in an impoverished region unable to support its operating costs. **\$28,000**

NIGERIA

57HD-P0001 Nigeria Health Program Development. The church's evangelism efforts in predominantly Muslim Northeastern Nigeria includes training of health care workers to manage dispensaries, provide wells and malaria prevention through women's groups in local villages, and equip a hospital and training center. **\$45,000**

57HD-S0000 Nigeria: Shipping of medical supplies and equipment. **\$12,150**

57HD-D9001 Nigeria: Water and Wells. Lutheran Church of Christ project to bring clean water to people of the Adamawa State, including Bille Clinic, Dasha Bible School, and Pela Bible School. **\$7,500**

TANZANIA

79MD-C0001 Tanzania: Maasai Dispensary Capital Developments. A program to renovate the 14 Maasai dispensaries continues. Financial support is needed to improve the buildings and equipment. Gifts may be given in any amount.

79MD-P0001 Tanzania: Maasai Dispensary Operations. An ELCA missionary doctor is assisting in the operation of 14 dispensaries which serve the Maasai people in an area the size of the state of Iowa. **Gifts may be given in any amount.**

79MD-E1001 Tanzania: Maasai Dispensaries Continuing Education. Serving a remote and region, ELCA missionary Dr. Steve Friberg provides a training program to upgrade skills and insure continuity of medical staff. **\$11,000**

79AL-C0100 Tanzania: ALMC/Arusha Lutheran Medical Center. A new hospital is near completion adjacent to the Arusha Town Clinic. It will meet the growing needs of this expanding city and add an important

Christian witness through increased access for the poor to the highest quality medical care. **Gifts may be given in any amount.**

79AL-E1001 Tanzania: Continuing Education. Arusha Lutheran Medical Center is providing continuing education for doctors and nurses in a variety of specialty courses. **\$33,000**

79AL-P8000 Tanzania: Surgeons. Subsidizes the salaries of two Tanzanian surgeons at the Arusha Lutheran Medical Center with a grant of **\$14,000 per year.**

79AL-P3002 Tanzania: Arusha Lutheran Medical Center Orthopedic Institute. A new surgical rehabilitation program for disabled children. **\$705,000**

79AL-D7005 Tanzania: Rape and Sexual Assault Program. A new initiative addresses the all-too-common hidden trauma and injustice of officially disregarded incidents of sexual assault. Arusha Lutheran Medical Center will offer counseling and advocacy services combined with community/church education. **\$16,500**

79SL-P0001 Tanzania: Selian Hospital Funds contributed to support the on-going development of health care at Selian Hospital. **Gifts may be given in any amount.**

79SL-F001 Tanzania: Selian Hospital Poor Fund. Makes possible service to those who cannot afford to pay all or part of the cost of their health care. **Gifts may be given in any amount.**

Tanzania: Dodoma. A well-planned staff development training program to prepare Dodoma hospital for future needs:

79DO-E3003: Julius Mmassy, Lab Technician, three years \$7,261

79DO-E3004: Hadikawa Ndagala, Lab Assistant, two years \$1,208

79DO-E4501: Atukuzwe Ngowo, Nurse Midwife, two years \$1,200

79DO-E6801: Eunice Ketang'enyi, Pediatric Cardiologist, three years \$42,000

79-Q1503 Tanzania: ELCT Equipment Protection project. An investment in protection against the damaging effects of power surges to save costly medical equipment and improve patient care in all 20 hospitals of the Tanzanian Lutheran Church. **Goal: \$38,349**

79PC-S0003 Tanzania: ELCT Palliative Care Program Support. Dr. Kristopher Hartwig's program is expanding in-home hospice programs to all 20 Tanzanian Lutheran hospitals. 7000 hospice kits and nutritional food supplements will be shipped to support end-of-life care. **\$9,500**

UGANDA

82-P8050 Uganda: Punena Health Center. A collaboration between the Lutheran Church in Uganda and Child Voice International's Punena Health Center to provide outreach pastoral and health services and malaria prevention to victims of civil war, especially the children. **\$15,000**

82-D9006 Uganda: Kyabazala-Gwase Borehole. Clean water to accompany an LCMS evangelism and church-building initiative. **\$5,000**

82-D9007 Uganda: Masindi-Kigezi Borehole. Another LCMS project to bring clean water to a village where a newly planted church community is growing. **\$5,000**

CHARITY FUNDS

Your gifts assist hospitals and clinics in Africa, Madagascar, and Asia to cover the medical costs for patients who are too poor to pay. During the year 2007, you helped to contribute between \$100 to \$2,500 to each of several countries. You may designate your gifts to the country of your choice: Bangladesh, Ethiopia, Cameroon, India,

Liberia, Namibia, Madagascar, Papua New Guinea, Zimbabwe, Tanzania, or to:

99F0000 Charity General: "use where most needed."

ENDOWMENT FUND

99-30100 Endowment Fund. A managed fund providing funds in support of Global Health Ministries mission in perpetuity. Details available.

BUILDING FUND

99-42100 Building Fund. For acquisition and renovation of the new warehouse space to expand our ministry of shipping medical supplies and equipment. **Goal: \$150,000**

GENERAL

99-41010 General: to be used "where most needed" - Gifts may be given to GHM without designation.

You may also give to a country to be used "where most needed." (Country account number designation in bold.)

04 Bangladesh **54** Namibia

05 Bolivia **56** Nicaragua

09 Cameroon **57** Nigeria

10 CAR **58** Pakistan

14 Columbia **60** Papua New Guinea

18 Ethiopia **70** Senegal

19 Guyana **76** South Africa

32 India **79** Tanzania

46 Liberia **88** Zimbabwe

48 Madagascar **49** Malawi

99-D1001 General. HIV/AIDS Initiative to support overseas partner churches in combating the spread of AIDS and caring for those affected by the disease. **\$50,000**

99-D5001 General. Malaria bednets (mosquito nets). Several countries have programs to provide mosquito nets at subsidized costs to schools, hospitals and the general populace. \$6/net - Gifts may be given in any amount.

99-D9001 General. Safe Water- Impure water supplies result in many illnesses. GHM seeks to assist health care facilities and communities in developing clean water sources. Gifts may be given in any amount.

99-M5000 Travel grants for students preparing for health professions. GHM provides \$1,000 "Travel Assistance" grants to health professions students serving one quarter rotations in an overseas Lutheran Hospital. Gifts may be given in any amount.

99-M7500 Short-term Mission Volunteers. Provides partial subsidies for expenses incurred by volunteers recruited by GHM in response to requests from overseas Lutheran health care partners for short-term training, service and program development projects. Gifts may be given in any amount.

99-Q0001 - Medical equipment and supplies. - To help provide new medical equipment and needed supplies for Lutheran hospitals where requested. **Goal: \$22,000**

99-Q0020 Dental Supplies and Equipment. A project to replenish essential supplies to assure continuation of dental services for the poor. **\$10,000**

99-D1405 - Hospice Kit Support: to provide partners with grants to purchase medications needed by hospice care patients and to help cover shipping expenses.

99-S0002 - Midwife Kits Shipping: Donations to this project will help cover the costs of shipping thousands of midwife kits every year to our overseas partners in Lutheran health care.

PROJECTS FOR FUNDING



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