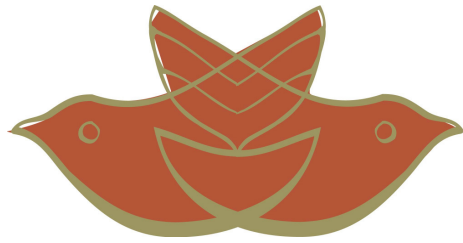


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Annual Report 2009-2010

This year Curamericas Global had the humble task of continuing our maternal and child health projects in Liberia and Guatemala as well as our HIV prevention project in Haiti. Our successful results helped pave the way to receive further funding to strengthen our projects in the fields of water and sanitation and HIV/AIDS. Curamericas Global continues to support the mission of our partner in Bolivia, where incredible improvements in health care have empowered local communities.





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Liberia

Child and Maternal Health

The Nehnwaa Child Survival Project completed its second year in partnership with Ganta United Hospital. Our work to reduce mortality rates and improve health saw great results and provided many needed services. The child mortality rate decreased from our first year and is already much lower than the national average.

Zero maternal deaths were recorded which is a true testament to our work in a country with one of the highest maternal mortality rates in the world.



Services Provided:

- Prenatal and postnatal care
- Health education on: diarrhea, malaria (the indirect leading cause of obstetric emergencies), hygiene, exclusive breastfeeding, and pregnancy danger signs
- Mosquito nets provided to all pregnant women and children under age five
- Train traditional midwives on home-based life-saving skills
- Refer patients to local health facilities for best care
- HIV counseling and testing of pregnant women; our project is the first to do HIV testing in the region
- Community transport for emergency health services
- Vaccinations: measles and tetanus

60 Communities Served
22,627 Liberians Served

Water and Sanitation

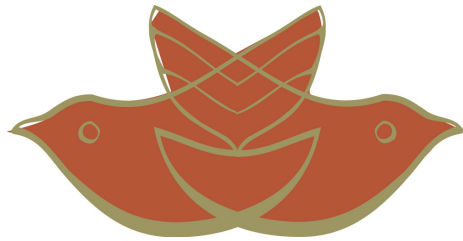
Services Provided:

- Training is provided to designated Pump Mechanics and Water and Sanitation Committee Members in each community to maintain the wells and latrines for their longevity
- Education on proper water storage, water treatment, waste disposal, and hand washing techniques

Fiscal Year 2010 Results:

- 7** Wells Built
- 17** Wells Rehabilitated
- 22** Latrines Built
- 17** Latrines Rehabilitated





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Guatemala

Child and Maternal Health

The Calhuitz Casa Materna, or *Maternity Center*, functions as a community-based, culturally-sensitive center where women can receive prenatal care and safely give birth attended by skilled health personnel. The Casa Materna has become an icon of health and women travel to our project area from surrounding areas to receive the quality life-saving care the Casa Materna staff provides.



A Casa Materna Health Associate was hired in early 2010. This important role is that of an apprentice under the head nurses of the Casa Materna. The Health Associate assists with deliveries in the Casa Materna, health education talks, and community outreach, providing a valuable connection to the patients as a native of Calhuitz.

84 births took place in the Casa Materna out of 187 in the project region, meeting our goal of 45% after only two years of operation

Services Provided:

- Basic maternal and child health care
- Prenatal and postnatal care
- Growth monitoring
- Vitamins
- Vaccinations
- Refer patients to local health facilities for best care
- Community transport for emergency health services
- Health education on: diarrhea, hygiene, exclusive breastfeeding, proper hand-washing, HIV, and pregnancy danger signs



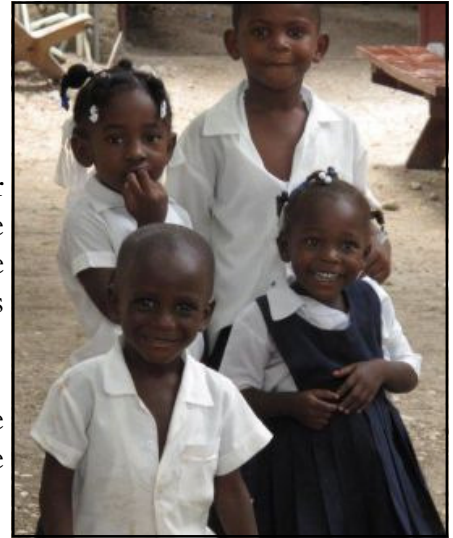


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Haiti

HIV Prevention and Services

Curamericas Global has just completed the second year of our HIV Education and Prevention Project in Haiti. We provide HIV testing for both men and women; but education is a large component of the project, reaching out to adults as well as teens and preteens. The devastating earthquake in January 2010 was catastrophic to the country, so that the project population became primarily women who are or were living in one of the many tent cities formed after hundreds of thousands of people lost their homes and loved ones.



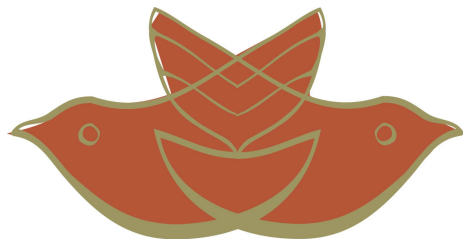
Services Provided:

- HIV counseling and testing for men and women, including pregnant women
- Testing for sexually transmitted infections
- Health education on ways to prevent transmission of HIV and encouraging teens and preteens to participate in events that promote HIV prevention through abstinence
- Referring patients to local health facilities for best care

Fiscal Year 2010 Results:

- 12** HIV positive pregnant women received antiretrovirals and prevention of mother-to-child transmission services
- 3,613** Pregnant women were tested for HIV
- 5,375** Women and girls ages 10-14 were exposed to messages that promote prevention of transmission of HIV through abstinence
- 6,614** Women received appropriate treatment for sexually transmitted infections
- 11,111** Women ages 15-49 were exposed to culturally-appropriate messages that correctly identify ways of preventing sexual transmission of HIV
- 12,974** Sexually active women who have been tested for HIV at least once
- 36,003** Women enrolled in Managed Care Program
- 61,523** Men and women who have regular access to condoms





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Volunteers

Project Support

Volunteers improve our projects by providing training and labor to local staff and community members.

Volunteers play a critical role in helping us provide safe, equitable, and accessible health care to those in need.

Thank you to all of our volunteers!



Liberia

Volunteers helped support our new water and sanitation project in Liberia by visiting well-digging projects and working alongside community members to correctly operate the new hand pumps. Capacity building is another important focus for volunteers, and in Liberia they worked with the Primary Health Care Teams in the field assisting nurses, distributing medicines, and providing quality control of project activities. Volunteers also provided computer training to the Nehnwaa staff and assisted with rotations in Ganta United Methodist Hospital.

Total 2009-2010 Volunteers

International Volunteers: 56
Interns and Office Volunteers: 12

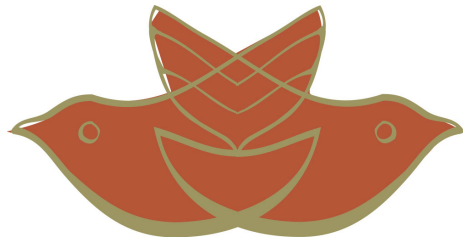


Guatemala

A group of university volunteers built the walls of the third floor of the Multi-Purpose Health Facility in our project town of Calhuitz. The building holds a pharmacy, a training center for health staff, midwives, and health educators, as well as lodging for patient's families. Other student volunteers used their expertise to focus on adaptive technologies to improve the lives of local Guatemalans.

Bolivia

Volunteers worked at our partner organization, CSRA, in Montero, expanding the laundry room and kitchen in the Maternity Wing of the Red Cross Clinic. Volunteers also continued to develop programs focusing on women's health, assisted nurses on medical visits in the field, went on rounds with local doctors, and assisted medical visits to a local prison.



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Finances



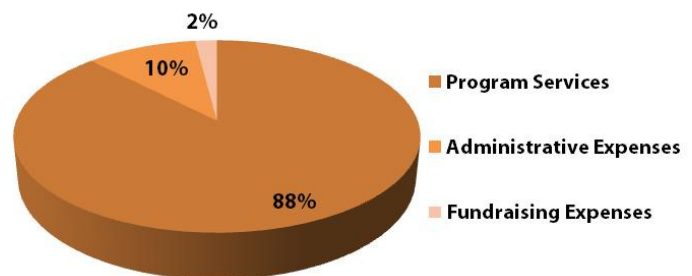
Government and Foundation Funding:

- United States Agency for International Development
- U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
- Ronald McDonald House Charities
- Cumberland Community Foundation
- North Carolina Community Foundation
- Florida United Methodist Foundation
- Apple Lane Foundation
- Bright Seed Foundation, Inc.
- Robert A. & Barbara L. Appel Family Private Foundation
- Ron and Sharon Matthews Family Foundation
- Walter G. Canipe Foundation, Inc.

Support and Revenue*

Donations	614,263
Federal Grants	1,104,374
Other Grants	77,495
Service Fees	10,121
In-Kind Services & Materials	182,200
Other Revenue	1,147
Total Support and Revenue	1,989,600

Curamericas Global Expense Allocation FY 2010

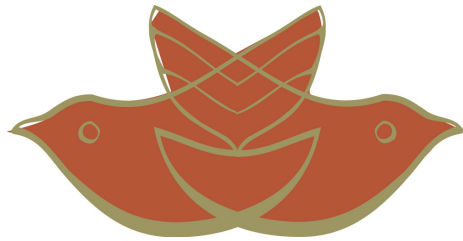


Expenses

Program Expenses	1,630,730
Support Services	
Management & General	192,384
Fundraising	37,386
Total Expenses	1,860,500



*Statement of Activities, Annual Audit



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Curamericas Global is thankful first and foremost to the in-country staff who work tirelessly to achieve results and save lives in our project areas. They make the sacrifices to make the difference in their communities.

Curamericas Global also thanks our donors for their contributions and support. Without our donors, we could not have provided health services to women and children across the world for more than 28 years.

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