

International Medical Health Organization (IMHO)

IMHO Year End Progress Update -2015

Dear Donors and Well-wishers,

The IMHO Board of Directors would like to take a moment to reflect on how far we have come together over the past year, and express our sincere gratitude for your thoughtful support of our mission and efforts.

IMHO has supported relief efforts over the past twelve years. IMHO responds in times of crises and also works to strengthen health systems in underserved communities. Our efforts over the past decade have resulted in over \$4.0 million since inception in financial and material support to dozens of local partner organizations and institutions. The vast majority of these funds have benefitted communities deeply affected by chronic poverty and kidney disease, malnutrition and other health issues, educational needs in remote areas, natural disaster, and other hardship across Sri Lanka. Over \$300,000 has been spent on program service expenses from January through November 30, 2015.

IMHO has also been at the forefront of raising awareness and improving care in the fields of mental health and chronic diseases like diabetes and heart disease. We have spearheaded the initiative to establish the first Center for Neuro-Developmental Disorders in the northern province of Sri Lanka. We are in the process of establishing palliative care (Home Hospice) in Sri Lanka.

The number of requests coming from trusted local care givers and nonprofit partner organizations in Sri Lanka has grown steadily in recent months. We will continue to need your support going forward in order to match the growing requests for these services. IMHO has also supported efforts in 14 other countries, which includes an ongoing project in Ethiopia to help deaf children. We also responded to the Nepal earthquake (\$5,000), Pacific Islands of Vanuatu Cyclone Pam, (2,000), and are currently processing the recent request for the South Indian flood relief efforts (2,500). IMHO has always been willing to lend a helping hand wherever there is a need. Due to our vast network of reliable local partners, we can be assured that aid and assistance is being provided both efficiently and effectively. We also believe in providing a holistic set of services and support to help pull marginalized and struggling communities out of poverty to ensure that all people have the ability to lead a healthy and fulfilled life.

Our work is only possible through your support and generous contributions. As we begin a new year, please consider making a tax deductible donation or gifts of appreciated property per consultation with your tax advisor. Your contribution to IMHO today will help create a new beginning for others in need.

We take this opportunity to thank you again and wish you all a happy holiday season.

Best regards, Team IMHO Be the Difference. Save a Life with just \$1/day!

With just \$1/day (or \$30/month) you can help save and improve the lives of persons in need in Sri Lanka and elsewhere around the globe. Please consider making a donation to IMHO today. You can donate online via PayPal as a one-time or recurring donation (the amount & frequency of which are up to you).

DONATE TODAY!

You can also donate via mail by sending a check made out to "IMHO" to the following address:

IMHO Treasurer P.O. Box 341466 Columbus, OH 43234 U.S.A.

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