

## **Caring Hands International Inc.**

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Most importantly, I want to thank you for your donations during the Ebola crisis in Liberia. Now that the epidemic is under control, I wish to update you on Caring Hands International.

We were able to successfully distribute 300 50lb-bags of rice to the local villages throughout Liberia. The original plan was to also distribute to the other affected neighboring countries of Sierra Lone and Guinea. Due to immigration issues, we were only able to distribute to needy villages in Liberia.

With the Ebola crisis now over, thanks to the Almighty God and the support from the world community, we are now back on track with our original plan of Caring Hands International which is to open a Health Community Clinic in Chocolate City, Gardersville, Monrovia, Liberia.

We are once more asking for your support in making this a success. We are hoping to start operation in May of this year. We would be extremely grateful for any donation to us for this important cause.

Below is breakdown of our needs and estimated costs to start Operation.

- (1) Renovation of Clinic/ Headquarter in Chocolate City, Monrovia.
  - A. Removing / replacing old asbestos roofing due to cracks in the roof.
  - B. Removing and replacing of ceiling tiles
  - C. Making partitions in the house (conversion from living quarters to clinic) Estimated cost \$5,000.00
- (2) Medical / Laboratory Equipments
  - A. Examination tables, beds, linens
  - B. Stethoscopes, Blood Pressure Cuffs, Thermometers etc,
  - C. Bio hazard Disposers Containers etc.
  - D. Blood /Urine Testing devices

Estimated cost \$5-10,000.00

- (3) Electrical Equipments
  - A. Lightnings/FixturesB. Generator /TransportationC. Computers / PrintersEstimated cost \$10,000.00
- (4) Salaries / Wages Estimated cost \$6,000.00
- (5) Air fare to and from (ext. 2 trips a year) Estimated cost \$1,200-1,500.00

Thank you all for your help and support. Together, we can make a difference, one person at a time.

Please watch our progress by visiting our website and see how we are making a difference in the lives of others. <u>www.caring-hands-international.org</u>

Sincerely,

Famatta Shaughnessy Executive Director