



International  
**Medical Relief**

**2015 Annual Report**





# LETTER FROM OUR PRESIDENT



Dear Friend of IMR,

2015 was an exciting year for IMR! We traveled to more developing countries than ever and treated a record number of patients. In these countries, 1 in 20 children die before the age of five from preventable illnesses such as diarrhea and pneumonia. The medicines that our teams carry treat these diseases and, more importantly, the education that we provide in the communities we

visit prevents disease from reoccurring and empowers the people to live healthier lifestyles.

We were also able to provide disaster relief in Nepal following the 7.8 magnitude earthquake that struck in April, killing 9,000 people and injuring 23,000 others. We used the upper floor of our warehouse for the first time to stage our disaster relief efforts, sending in multiple teams with colossal amounts of supplies. Thousands of people fled to Kathmandu after mudslides covered their communities or canyon craters formed in their front yards. These victims needed medical care, food, and clothing, and we provided all three.

One team went to an extremely remote location only reachable via helicopter and trekking. Here we met a young boy whose eye had been penetrated with a crochet needle. We were able to act swiftly and airlift him out on one of our helicopters to Kathmandu where we partnered with a local ophthalmologist who was able to save his eyesight.

Another met a family whose house collapsed on them during the earthquake. The young daughter in this family was fortunate to be in the doorway of her home when the earthquake struck as her house collapsed

around her, but her legs and arm were trapped in the rubble. Her mother was in a similar situation, trapped from the waist down in cement and metal rubble. Her brother was also with them, but unfortunately, his injuries were too severe and he was unable to survive. The mother and daughter required many surgeries to recover from their injuries, and funds from IMR's Partner Program were able to help pay for their care.

2016 is going to be an extraordinary year for us, and we have very ambitious goals, including the launch of a sustainable clean water project. We already have many mission trips scheduled for 2016 and into 2017 and are looking to add more. We are working to add more students to our volunteer rosters to help them gain invaluable experience in clinical rotations and public health with IMR medical and dental teams, and we continue to have an overwhelming number of volunteer medical providers eager to offer their services to those in need.

We are grateful for the support in the form of monetary donations, medical and other supplies, and mission volunteers who enable us to continue our work.

Very humbly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Shauna King".

Shauna King

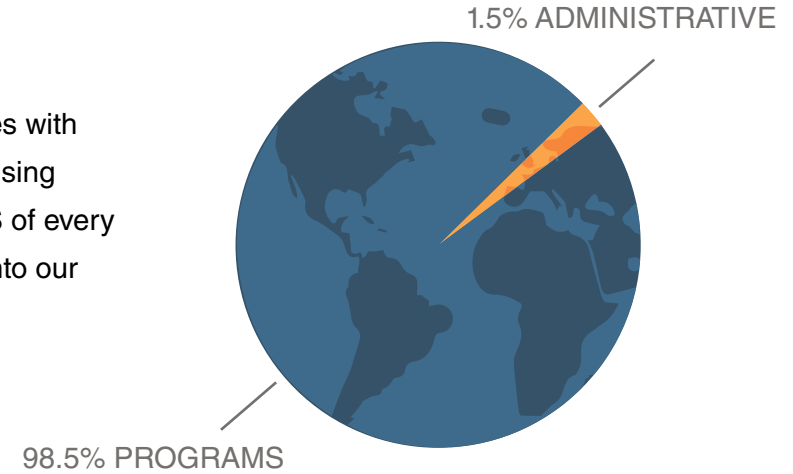


## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

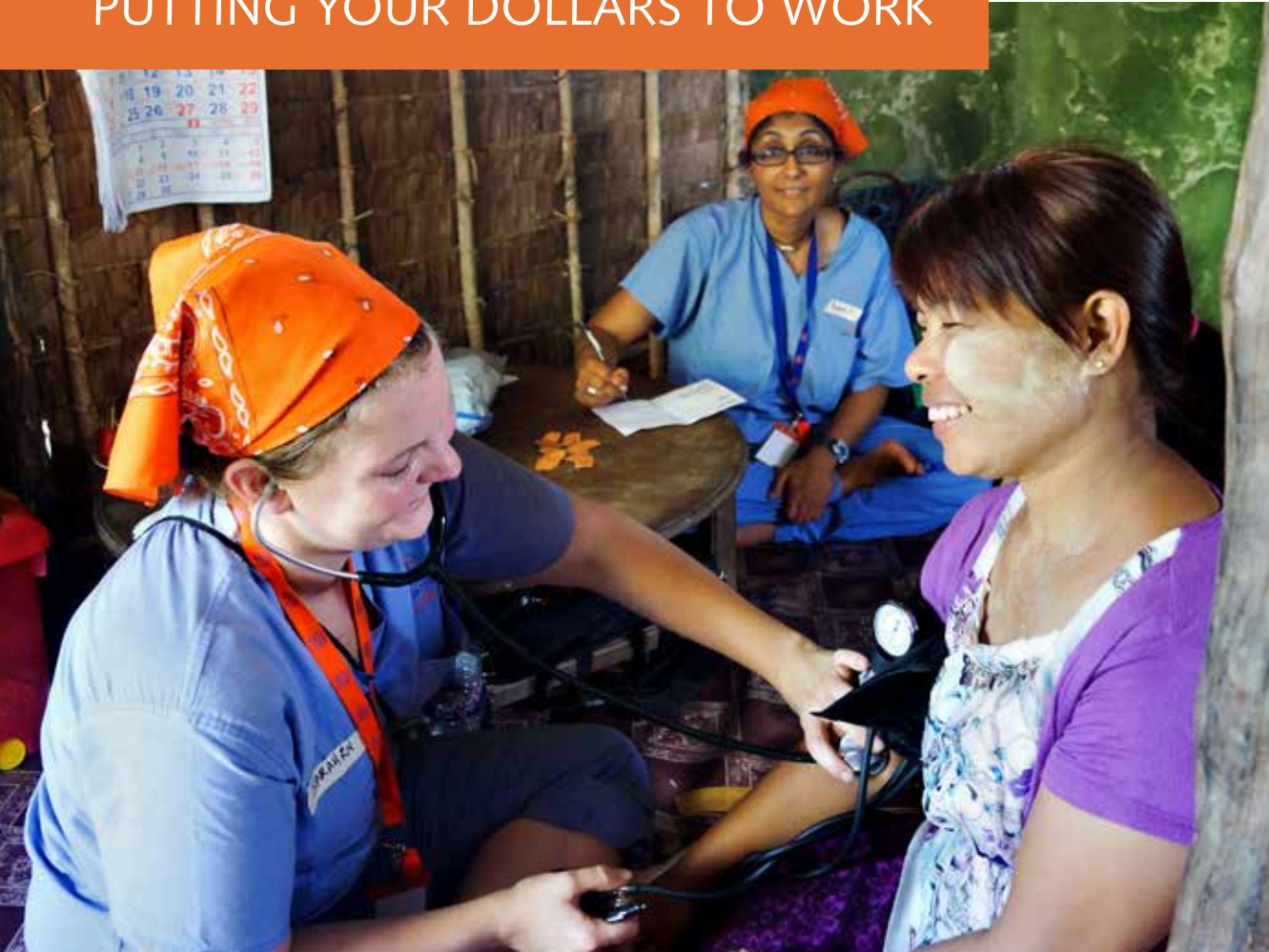
These statements present the financial position of International Medical Relief for Fiscal Year 2015, which runs from January 1 through December 31. All figures are reported in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America.

## USE OF FUNDS

International Medical Relief operates with just 1.5% administrative and fundraising costs, so that more than 98 CENTS of every dollar donated is invested directly into our programs.



## PUTTING YOUR DOLLARS TO WORK



FOR EVERY **\$1**  
DONATED TO  
INTERNATIONAL  
MEDICAL RELIEF,  
**\$17** IN MEDICINES,  
MEDICAL SUPPLIES  
AND MEDICAL  
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## ACCOUNTABILITY & TRANSPARENCY

**IN 2015 INTERNATIONAL  
MEDICAL RELIEF SERVED  
OVER 26,000 PATIENTS  
THROUGH 26 PROGRAMS  
WITH 835 VOLUNTEERS.**

International Medical Relief is a transparent, non-profit organization that provides humanitarian assistance through medical relief. We are transparent in our mission, our work, our finances, and our operations. We believe in complete financial reporting and disclosure, and board and management fiscal responsibility for our operations.

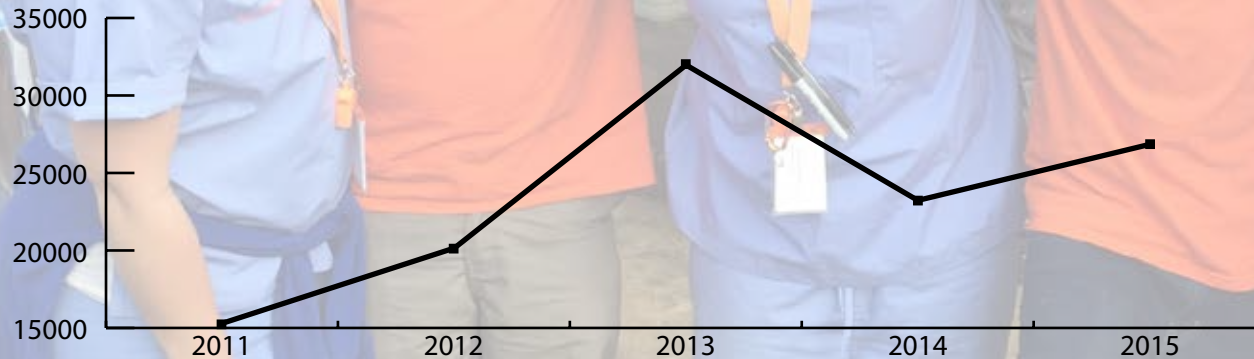
International Medical Relief is recognized as a tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Your gifts to IMR are tax-deductible in the United States to the extent allowed by law. For more information about our financial or non-profit status, you can contact us by phone 970-635-0110 or via email at [contact@imrus.org](mailto:contact@imrus.org)



PROGRAMS



PATIENTS



VOLUNTEERS



OUR ABILITY TO RESPOND TO COMMUNITIES IN NEED AROUND THE WORLD CONTINUES TO GROW.

“I have been humbled in ways I never thought possible. We easily forget just how blessed we really are and being in this position where I was able to help so many less fortunate people has truly been life changing.”

— Reem, IMR volunteer

# 2015 AT A GLANCE

**26** MISSION TRIPS    **835** VOLUNTEERS    **26,853** PATIENTS    **17** COUNTRIES

**TOTAL INCOME**                      **\$32,506,541**

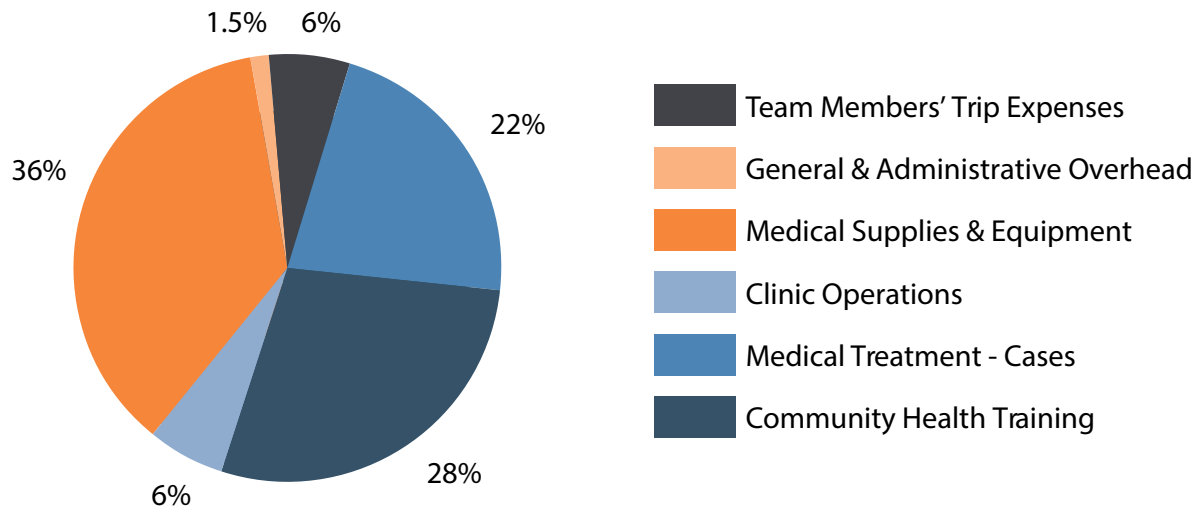
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ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES                      \$488,592

PROGRAM FIELD COSTS                      \$32,059,055

**TOTAL EXPENSES**                      **\$32,547,647**

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“I can honestly say that this has been **the best week of my life!** I feel so humbled to have worked with such an amazing group of people to help the much deserving people of Malawi, Africa.”

– Kalah, IMR volunteer





## BOARD OF DIRECTORS & MEDICAL BOARD

The governing bodies of International Medical Relief are proud to have oversight of the fiduciary responsibilities of the organization and the medical protocols and best practices for field operations. The boards regularly meet and provide guidance to the organization, as well as self-evaluation. Together, they provide sound, ethical, legal governance and financial oversight of the organization's operations and steer the activities toward continued success.

Shauna King

Ann Vanderslice

Evan Unger

Dr. William Hughes





## 2015 MISSION TRIPS

Philippines (3 missions)

Panama (2 missions)

India (2 missions)

Tanzania

Nepal (5 missions)

Brazil

Madagascar

Ethiopia

Haiti (2 missions)

Cambodia

Armenia/Russia

Nicaragua

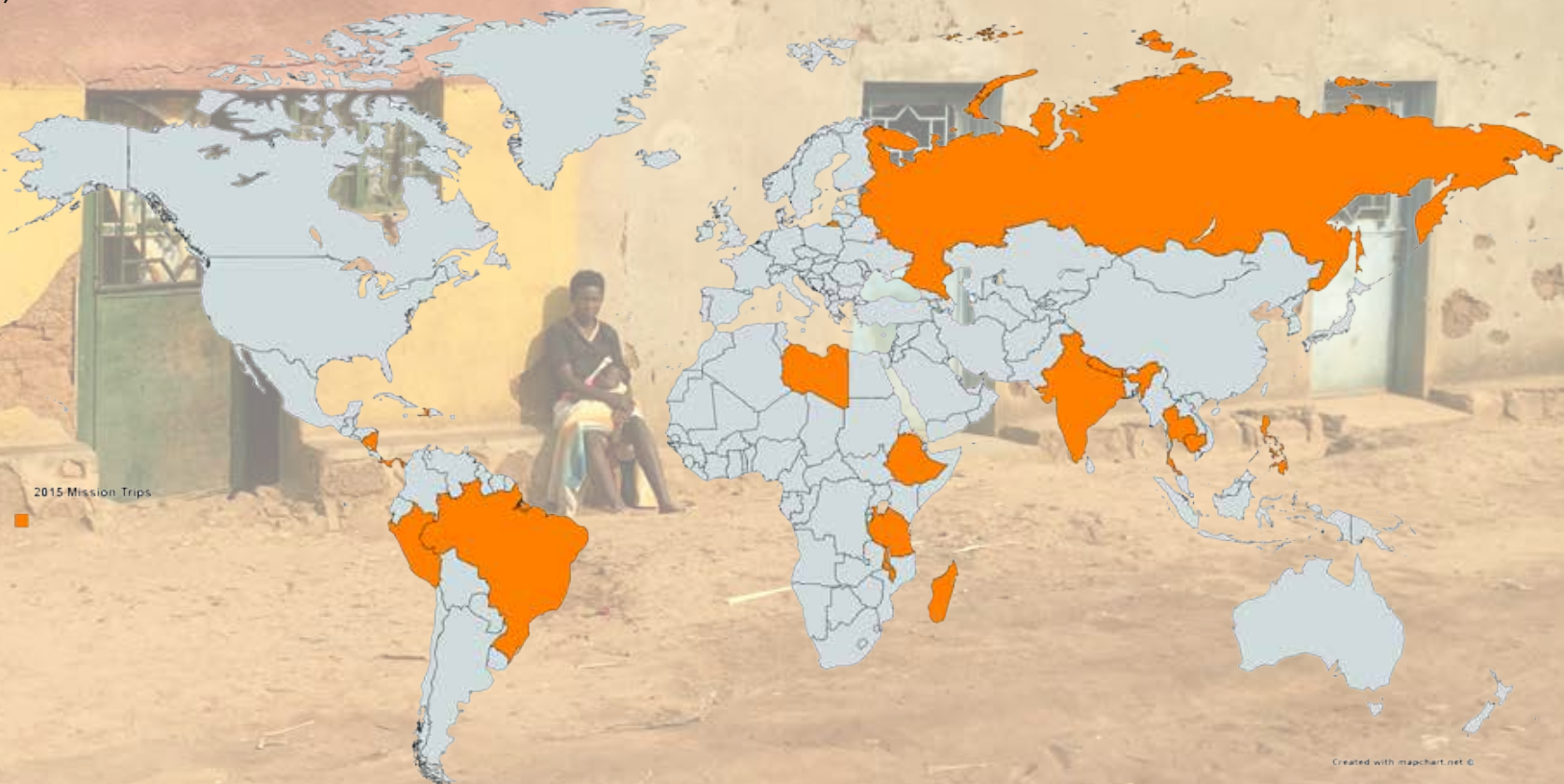
Peru

Thailand Gulf

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Malawi

Libya







# International MedicalRelief

“Whether you’re a student, nurse, or provider, I want you to remember the feeling you have of wanting to be able to do more for patients. Don’t leave that in Haiti. Take it back home with you. Do more for your patients.”

— IMR Team Leader

