



# REAL HOPE FOR HAITI

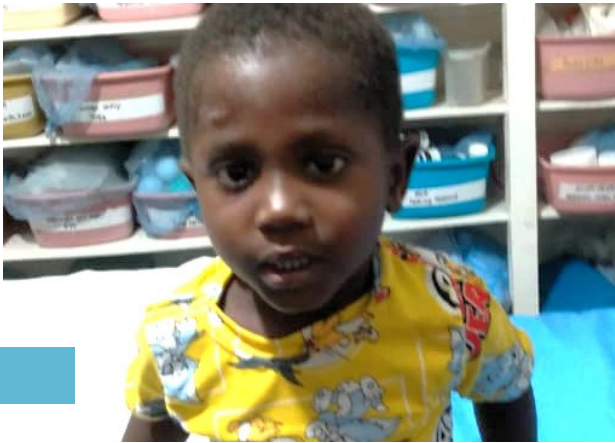
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**MISSION: TO DELIVER HOPE FOR THIS LIFE AND THE LIFE TO COME THROUGH COMPASSIONATE MEDICAL CARE, QUALITY HEALTH EDUCATION, INTENSIVE MALNUTRITION INTERVENTIONS, ACTIVE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, AND GOSPEL FOCUSED OUTREACH, ALL IN THE LOVE AND NAME OF JESUS.**



Living with my four children, I wanted to ensure that my fifth pregnancy was as safe and healthy as possible. To achieve this, I visited the clinic every month for check-ups on both myself and the baby. Unfortunately, towards the end of my pregnancy, my blood pressure began to rise. The clinic immediately gave me medications and referred me to a hospital. By the Grace of God and their prompt action, I was able to deliver my baby via C-section without any complications. I am grateful for the advice and care I received from the clinic, and now have a healthy and happy baby.

Sandely lives with his mom and two siblings in Cazale. He cut his forehead on a piece of metal and came to the clinic for sutures and dressing changes. His mother says, "Thank you because you took care of my son and he quickly healed. In our prayers, we ask God to take care of you in everything you do. Thank you!"



We are grateful for the supplies you have sent, especially the oximeter. When oxygen levels are low, we quickly provide medications and oxygen to ensure their health improves. One of our patients, G.S., lives a 45-minute walk away from our clinic with her parents and two sisters. Their livelihood relies heavily on farming corn, millet, and beans. When G.S. became ill with a cold and fever, her mother brought her to the clinic for a check-up, and thanks to the oximeter, we were able to detect low oxygen levels and provide the necessary care to save her life.

I'm very appreciative of the donated layette and it will certainly be helpful for my baby. As a vendor selling carrots, onions, and other vegetables in local open-air markets, I don't make a lot of profit, so this gift will be a real help to us. I wasn't expecting this unexpected blessing today, so it truly made me happy.

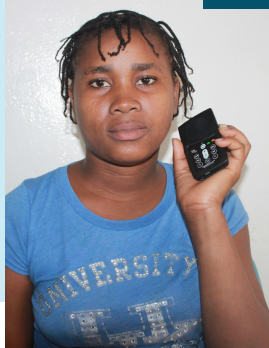


**VISION:** Physically, relationally, and spiritually healthy people contributing to thriving families and strong communities as God designed and desires.

A.J. is a 10 year old boy who became ill with diarrhea and vomiting this past January. He lives about a 30 minute drive to the clinic with his parents and 3 siblings in a two room cinderblock home. His mother sells things in the local open air market to make a living to care for the family. When he arrived at the cholera center, an IV was placed and medications were given. He was feeling better within 3 days and returned home. His mother says, "I'm happy about the way my son healed quickly. When I came, he couldn't even talk. Now, he is so much better. I think God that He put this center here available for many people. I pray God blesses you all so you can continue to give good health care. Thank you!"



In my home, I live with my husband, parents and our son. One day, my son became gravely ill and malnourished. Many people suggested that my son was cursed and would eventually die. I went to the clinic and they advised me to stay with my son in the center until he was well again. Agreeing to their proposal, I spent several weeks in the center and learned much about how to care for my son. I discovered that it wasn't a curse after all, but simply a matter of improving his nutrition and care. After my son achieved his goal weight and regained his health, it was finally time for us to leave. Before we departed, the chaplain came to spend some time with me. It was then that I decided to rededicate my life to Christ. The center provided me with the courage to make this decision, and I am grateful for the audio Bible that they provided for my family. It is truly a blessing for us.



We are thankful that 40 cases of Medika Mamba were able to make their way to Cazale this week. This life saving product has changed the way we are able to treat malnutrition in our area. We are thankful that since 2009 we have been able to partner with Meds & Food for Kids to give almost 6,000 children and adults the opportunity to go through the program and heal.

