GlobalDentalRelief

Progress Report #19

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Volunteers Serving Children in Need Around the Globe



Dental Care for Kids Since 2001

Children Served: 170,132

Donated Care: \$35.4 million

Volunteers: 2,733

In 2018, 23,996 children visited GDR clinics in five countries, receiving \$4.8 million in donated dental care from GDR volunteers. These children light up our clinic with their eager smiles as they learn the basic skills of toothbrushing and overall oral health.

We dedicate this report to the faces of GDR--the children we serve and the people who make this work possible, our donors and volunteers. Meet them here!

Children: Saven, Cambodia Saven came to our clinic at the age of 7 with infected primary teeth and cavities in her new permanent teeth. Over several visits, she received complete dental care, ensuring a smile lasting for many years! Donors: Danny Bobrow, Illinois Danny, a GDR supporters since 2004, began by underwriting our India clinics and now support work in India, Nepal and Guatemala. Longterm donor commitment sustains GDR's work.

Volunteers: Meoshi Ruiz, RDH, Wisconsin "This was a life changing experience for

me and I would do it all over again in a heartbeat."

Donors: Susie and Stu Fishman, Colorado

Stu and Susie volunteered with GDR in Nepal in 2012 and fell in love with the kids. They have supported GDR as Gold Sponsors for the last 7 years! For them it is all about the impact on the lives of so many, for so little cost per child. **Children: Nelha, Nepal** "I came to GDR when I was 14 and was treated by such compassionate volunteer dentists. Every year they came back to provide dental care to me and all my classmates. Now I work for GDR, organizing schools of children who need to come to the clinic. Thank you GDR!"



Volunteers: Bic Aki, DDS, California

Bic joined GDR as a volunteer in 2010.

and has led more than 30 GDR clinics

Since then she became a trip leader

on three continents.

Celebrate The Year in Numbers

- **23,996** Children who received care in GDR clinics in 2018.
- \$4.8 million Donated care provided in 27 clinics, up 10% over last year!
 - $\mathbf{376}$ Volunteers who traveled from $\mathbf{11}$ countries and $\mathbf{38}$ states to volunteer.
 - 27 Cinics held in 5 countries: Nepal, India, Cambodia, Kenya, and Guatemala.
 - **Priceless** The impact that donors, sponsors and volunteers have on the health of children in GDR clinics. **Thank you!**

Each child we treat receives an average of \$210 in donated dental care, at a cost of about \$20.

Join a GDR Team in Service

This year 27 GDR volunteer teams delivered care to children in five country locations. Clinics are set up in a classroom in just three to four hours, anywhere in the world. Each clinic is staffed by volunteer dentists, hygienists and general volunteers who provide critical care to children.

Help us care for children this year. Learn more about 2019/2020 trip schedules and pricing at globaldentalrelief.org.



Model of Care

Global Dental Relief volunteers serve children in schools, treating them class by class.

Every child receives a dental exam--often the first of their lives--all needed restorations, extractions, and cleanings, and a fluoride treatment.

Each child receives a new toothbrush, brushing instruction, and oral health education.

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