



# ANNUAL REPORT HEALTHY WOMEN, HEALTHY LIBERIA

FY 2016

*Promoting the health of the people and educate patients through  
Comprehensive, Sustainable, Community-based Primary Healthcare.*

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# TO OUR DONORS

## To Our Donors

Jesus Christ is the foundation upon which the HWHL ministry operates in Liberia. 2016 was a year of celebrations! On August 23rd Vice President Joseph N. Boakai formally dedicated the newly completed Waterfield Primary Care Health Center (WPHCC) in a special celebration and naming ceremony. National, Community, and Church Leaders, and community members gathered to tour the new facility and celebrate the new services coming to the Kakata Community. Other luminaries, including Save the Children, joined the staff and well-wishers of Healthy Women Healthy Liberia, to launch the opening of a facility that all have deemed a valuable new resource in Margibi County, filling the health center gap between small, local clinics and the regional hospital.

### HWHL SERVICES

- Current clinic operations will be moved as soon as the new facility is certified by the Ministry of Health and laboratory equipment are established.
- As part of our planned expansion of services in the past three months HWHL has implemented a new program offering both family planning health education and birth control services. One of the Community Health Workers we sent to Ghana for specialized training is leading this program. During the month of December HWHL saw 161 women for family planning services, 25% under the age of 20. The average age of participants was 25 with the youngest just 12 years old and the oldest 46. In Liberia and in our clinic the most commonly chosen contraception method is by injection (60%). The pill (21%), implants (11%), and condoms (5%) are also common.



### HWHL STAFF

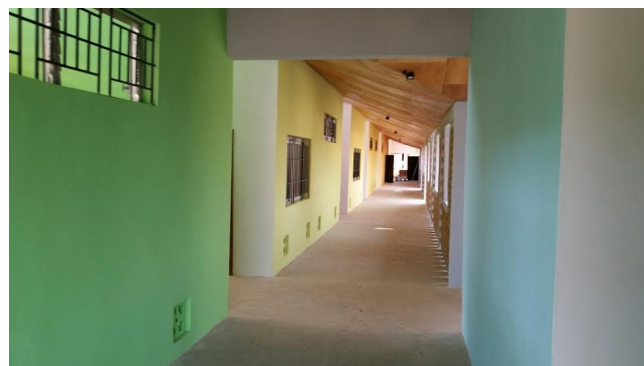
- In the fall of 2016, Rev./Dr. Seth Ablorh, who runs the Manna Medical Mission Clinics and Hospital in Ghana, offered to train key HWHL staff at his facility. Four experienced HWHL staff members spent the first six months of 2016 living and working in Ghana with Dr. Ablorh and his team, training in four key areas - pre and post-natal care, vaccinations and cold chain management, out patient management, and pharmacy operations. The training was provided free of charge, although HWHL paid for transportation and room and board for the six-month duration of the program for each student.
- Finding qualified staff to fill the 23 new clinic positions - doctors, nurses, dentists, pharmacists, imaging technicians - is the next major challenge we face in this country of scarce healthcare resources.

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### HWHL COMMUNITY

- HWHL Community Health Workers have been teaching villagers how to make dish racks to lift cooking pots and dishes out of the dirt. Small changes can make BIG differences!



### CONSTRUCTION/STRATEGIC UPDATES

- In January, our solar contractor from Washington state, Doug Danelson, installed the solar system bringing light and power into our new clinic space, bringing us one critical step closer to opening day.
- In March, Building Goodness Foundation's full-time project manager, Michael Anello from Virginia, worked side by side with our Liberian construction team. He remained in Liberia until the construction was completed on April 8th.
- In March, two of our board members, Kristen Vlaun and Beth West spent 10 days on site, helping paint and spending time with our Community Health Workers.
- At the end of 2016, HWHL's United Methodist Advance was approved. Our advance number is 3022266. More information about our advance can be found on our web site at <http://www.healthywomenliberia.org/hwhl-dedication/>

### LOOKING AHEAD

We are looking forward to what God has planned for HWHL in 2017. Thank you for your continued prayers and support!

Blessings,

Kristen K Vlaun, HWHL Board President

# 2016 CLINIC STATISTICS

## 2016 Clinic Statistics

Over the last year, HWHL has seen significant increases in the number of community members and patients who are receiving services through the HWHL clinic services as well as through our health education outreach visits.

### **In 2016**

- 17,536 total patients treated
- 35,094 patients de-wormed
- 5,840 community members reached through health education programs



# 2016 FINANCIAL SUMMARY

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HWHL is fortunate to have relationships with businesses, corporations, churches and individuals all over the world who support our vision and mission.

### 2016 FINANCIAL SUMMARY

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION	2016
<b>Net Assets</b>	\$576,098
<b>Liabilities</b>	\$1,530
<b>Equity</b>	\$574,568
STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (PROFITS AND LOSSES)	
<b>Income for Operations</b>	
<b>Individuals and Churches</b>	\$174,029
<b>Gifts in Kind</b>	\$240
<b>Total Income</b>	\$174,269
<b>Expenses</b>	
<b>Liberia Operations - Program Services</b>	
<b>Salary and Benefits</b>	\$70,401
<b>Clinic Operations</b>	\$22,493
<b>Total Liberia Operations</b>	\$92,894
<b>US Support - Fundraising, logistics</b>	\$3,906
<b>Total Expenses</b>	\$96,800

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