

# Generating Hope



## 2020 Annual Hope Report

### *Thank You for Investing in Our Sisters During COVID!*

In 2020, we had the special opportunity to watch each of **you** enable lasting hope to bloom during COVID. During this time of loss and despair for our world our programs kept operating in a COVID-safe manner, our sisters continued to discover their priceless value, and our medical partners kept pouring their love into every sister along their path. With God at the helm, 2020 was a year where hope bloomed.

#### 2020 Revenue: \$135,500

Donations\*: \$120,700      Capacity development grants\*\*: \$14,800

\*9% of unrestricted donations allocated for overhead

\*\*\$15,300 strategic HFOS salaries paid

#### 2020 Investments Sent to Partners: \$98,300

Central Evangelical Medical Center (CEML, Angola): \$48,100

Kalukembe Hospital (Angola): \$5,500

World Relief (DR Congo): \$10,000

International Nepal Fellowship (Nepal): \$7,700

Wellness Clinic (DR Congo): \$15,000

Pan African Academy of Christian Surgeons (PAACS, DR Congo): \$12,000



#### **New Programs in 2021**

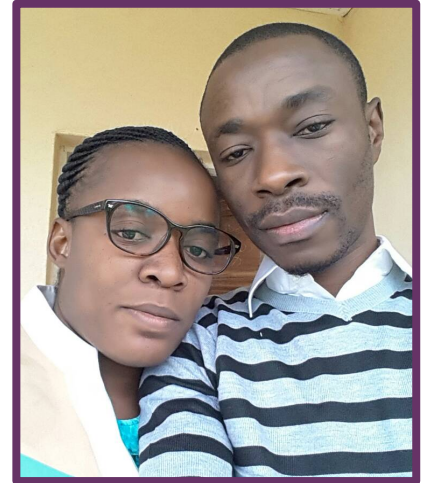
While hope is generated by our ongoing programs, we are excited about new programs being launched in Angola. These include a Fistula Awareness Radio Program (COVID-safe awareness) and laundry and kitchen facilities (protecting the dignity of our sisters and providing healthy cooking education). Additionally, as Silva, Petra, and Sara (pictured in that order) train government-sponsored nurses about fistula, they plan to develop much-needed Reintegration and Ambassador Programs for our sisters healed from fistula.

*Generating hope, one woman at a time.*

## Sustainable Growth Through Education

A long-term hope is for all women in Angola, DR Congo, and Nepal to have access to timely and quality healthcare. One way to realize this hope is home-grown doctors and nurses.

Dr. Tresor Mabanza (pictured with his wife, Blandine) graduated from his PAACS medical training in December 2020! He is seeking job placement in Africa where he can care for the local women, men, and children. Thank **you** for investing in the future of medical care in Africa.



## Hope in Bailundo

When Natalia (pictured with Sara, wearing a hat) was healed from fistula, she made a beautiful decision to return to her community in Bailundo and share her healing story. As a result, 23 women with fistula are now awaiting surgery and full of hope! In addition, Natalia wants to join Petra's team in the future and train more communities and nurses about fistula and how to prevent it. Our newest Fistula Ambassador!



**Thank You** to our **49** Partners in Hope, Imago Dei Fund, and GlobalGiving for your generous and consistent investments!



## 2020 Generate Hope

Due to COVID, we created our first Generate Hope Event page with videos and sister stories. Thank **you** to everyone who helped us surpass our financial goal by raising over \$55,000!

## Thank You for Walking with our Sisters!

As 2021 begins, remember how **you** enabled hope to bloom in 2020. **Your generosity** equipped our medical teams to creatively, safely, and lovingly invest in our sisters.

**Thank you for a year of persistent and vibrant hope!**

*Brooke F. Sulahian, HFOS President & Co-Founder*

*"Is not this the kind of fasting I have chosen: to loose the chains of injustice and untie the cords of the yoke, to set the oppressed free and break every yoke?" Isaiah 58:6*