

Generating Hope



2024 Annual Hope Report

You and our Community of Hope enabled our sisters and medical/outreach teams to access their required daily doses of hope and walk the paths before them in 2024.

Together with you, our sisters, our teams, and God, we reached and surpassed a **huge milestone** one year early (more details below). **Thank you** for playing your part.

We are so very grateful to pursue a fistula-free world **with you**.

Yearly Reach/Impact: Over 21,000 People

Total Partners in Hope (PIH): 45

2024 Revenue: \$158,200

Donations: \$134,200

Capacity development grants: \$24,000

2024 Investments Sent to Partners: \$122,100

Central Evangelical Medical Center (CEML, Angola): \$13,800

International Nepal Fellowship (Nepal): \$11,500 Kalukembe Hospital (Angola): \$25,500

PAACS (Angola): \$21,700

Votoka (Angola): \$8,900

Wellness Clinic (DR Congo): \$28,700

World Relief (DR Congo): \$12,000

Over 80,000 People Reached in Angola, the DR Congo, and Nepal by our Medical/Outreach Teams!



We set a goal to reach 75,000 women, children, men, health workers, NGO reps, and tribal leaders in our partner countries with **a message of hope and health by the end of 2025. You helped us exceed this goal in 2024. Thank you!** Everyone reached is enabled to make informed maternal care choices, safely deliver babies via cesarean birth, utilize new skills to spark local growth, and/or discover their inherent value.

Generating hope, through women's health and empowerment.

Thank You for Generating Hope

We filled the room with hope and decorations. We invited Dr. Steve Arrowsmith to speak. We set a goal to raise \$15,000 for the Casa de Esperanca (Maternal Waiting Home) in Kalukembe, Angola. **You and our Community of Hope** answered the call, filled the room, and invested generously by raising \$19,550! **May this home provide shelter and access to timely, quality maternal health care for our sisters in their last month of pregnancy.**



Fistula Prevention is Why We Exist

Fistula from childbirth is **100% preventable**. A new data point from a May 2024 FIGO (International Federation of Gynecology & Obstetrics) article provides further support for our prevention focus. “Despite the nearly 100,000 new fistula cases that arise each year, and the million or more cases already existing, **only 1 in 50 women (with fistula) will receive treatment for fistula.**” Deirdre (left) and all of our precious sisters deserve a **fistula-free world**.

New Doors are Opening

New doors are opening for Team Votoka (“Rise Up”) in Angola. At the end of 2024, the team (Veronica, left, Mary, right) met with the Angolan Minister of Health (center) and signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Angolan Council of Christian Churches (CICA) about the church’s role in **fistula prevention**. They are hosting a conference on this very topic this March. We are so excited for this **forward movement** and know there will be more to come!



Thank you for generating hope with our sisters, our medical/outreach teams, God, and us!

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