Healing happens here
Around the world, children with disabilities endure years of physical pain due to conditions like clubfoot, knock knees, and burn contractures. And more than their physical pain, these kids are often rejected by family and friends.

That all changes when they walk through the doors of a CURE Children’s Hospital. They experience world-class surgical care that heals their bodies and intentional spiritual care that shows the love of Jesus.

Healing happens here
More than 20 years ago, Dr. Scott Harrison and his wife, Sally, established CURE in obedience to God’s call to “heal the sick and proclaim the kingdom of God” (Luke 9:2) among the world’s most vulnerable people—children with disabilities. Their strategy was a combination of world-class medical care and intentionally restorative ministry: orthopedic surgery to heal children with treatable conditions in a gospel-centered hospital environment.

Even through the COVID-19 pandemic, their kingdom vision lives on.

Looking Back

This past year has been unlike any many of us have seen before. The pandemic has caused disruptions to our hospital operations and outreach programs. While elective surgery paused across the world, you joined us in keeping our doors open and our arms wide to children in need. We invested heavily in COVID testing and protective gear to ensure the safety of our patients and caregivers. You have stood with us through it all, and we are deeply grateful.

Together, we conducted over 78,000 patient visits across our hospital network. CURE surgeons and clinical staff performed more than 10,000 surgical procedures, and specialists trained by CURE Neuro conducted over 2,100 neurological procedures. Our ministry teams across the CURE network witnessed more than 13,000 decisions for Christ. I do hope you will take a moment to read the pages of this report to celebrate all that happened last year.

Looking Ahead

CURE is continuing the vision of our founders, Dr. Scott and Sally Harrison, who were driven by a desire to reach and heal vulnerable children around the world. We are excited to open the CURE Children’s Hospital of Zimbabwe, the eighth hospital in the CURE Children’s Hospital Network. This will be the first of its kind in Zimbabwe, and it is expected to serve an estimated population of more than 300,000 kids who are living with disabilities. In addition to expanding our hospital network, we are focused on serving more children by increasing the capacity of our current facilities. To do so will require renovations to children’s wards and the upgrading of our operating rooms. We will continue to invest in local healthcare systems, train clinical providers, partner with local churches, and empower partner treatment locations.

In 2021, CURE’s medical and ministry leaders will come alongside thousands of children with treatable disabilities who are waiting for a life-changing breakthrough that can radically alter their future. Thousands of parents desperately desire a normal future for their children, one that means their children can go to school and play with the other kids in their villages with joy, dignity, and confidence. Some of these kids have been on our waiting lists for years. Together, we can be a part of God’s restoring work—physically and spiritually—in many children’s lives around the world. I find great joy in partnering with you for the sake of the gospel.

Gratefully,

Justin Narducci
President/CEO

Thank you!

You make healing happen here.
CURE NEURO PROGRAM

The CURE Neuro program operates out of the CURE Children’s Hospital of Uganda, where neurosurgeons from around the world visit and are trained by CURE neurosurgeons treating hydrocephalus and spina bifida.

- 2,116 NEURO SURGERIES PERFORMED
- 3 NEUROSURGEONS TRAINED
- 203 PEOPLE MAKING EXPRESSIONS OF FAITH
- 1,129 PEOPLE REACHED WITH THE GOSPEL

78,094 PATIENT VISITS
10,038 SURGICAL PROCEDURES PERFORMED
78,495 PEOPLE REACHED WITH THE GOSPEL
13,484 PEOPLE MAKING EXPRESSIONS OF FAITH
In 2020, CURE Children’s Hospitals provided life-changing surgical care and the hope of the gospel in underserved regions across Africa and Asia. In the areas where we work, there are more than 13 million children with treatable disabilities. For many, CURE Children’s Hospitals are their only hope for surgical treatment.
Because of your generous support, thousands of children received world-class surgical care across the CURE Children’s Hospital network. These kids are able to walk, smile, and hope again. THANK YOU!

78,094 PATIENT VISITS
10,038 PROCEDURES PERFORMED

Thokozani, treated at CURE Malawi for a limb deformity, is jumping for joy now!

“MY DREAM OF BECOMING A DOCTOR IS MORE HOPEFUL NOW AND I AM SO HAPPY.”
-Thokozani

WATCH THOKOZANI’S VIDEO BY HOLDING UP YOUR PHONE TO THIS QR CODE WHILE IN THE CAMERA APPLICATION.
“My mother told me that one day I will be able to achieve whatever I want in life. I didn’t believe her because to be a teacher, you have to be able to walk and I couldn’t do that,” Madalitso shared.

Madalitso (Mada) was born with a condition called clubfoot, in which both of his feet were turned inward. Because it was untreated, his clubfoot made walking difficult and painful. And when Mada did go somewhere, he was often mocked because of his disability. What should have been a positive school experience often turned into a negative ordeal, overshadowed by bullying and rejection. At home, his family tried to help by giving him easier chores, but “his heart to help and give a hand could not be stopped,” said Milika, Mada’s mother.

One day, things changed when missionaries arrived in Mada’s village to drill a water well. Curious, Mada went to see what they were doing. The missionaries saw Mada’s feet and told his family about CURE Children’s Hospital of Malawi. Due to limited finances and their remote location, Mada had been unable to complete treatment for his clubfoot. Because of generous partners like you, Mada has received surgical treatment at our hospital in Malawi.

While Mada was in the hospital, CURE staff often found him clutching a pair of shoes. Those shoes represented hope — hope that someday he too could wear shoes and walk without pain. At CURE Children’s Hospital of Malawi, Mada felt reassured that his feet would be corrected and healed but also that his heart would be renewed.

Throughout his childhood, Mada had suffered social rejection, which had begun to create the seeds of bitterness. However, at the hospital, Mada’s joy returned in a new way. Even when facing painful recoveries, he would smile. He was also learning about a Jesus who loved him. “My favorite part of being in the hospital here at CURE is when we go into the playroom and learn about Jesus and hear Christmas stories,” Mada now recalls with a laugh.

CURE’s spiritual team was always there to play with and care for Mada throughout his stay. He made many friends at the hospital and formed special bonds with other children who were dealing with similar conditions.

Mada’s last corrective frame was removed in December and he returned home full of joy! This brave young man went from feeling hopeless to rejoicing in what the future holds. Because of your support, God has intervened in Mada’s life in a tangible way. He has not only blessed Mada with new feet, but has given him a new heart and new life in Christ.

“LOOK! LOOK! I AM GOING HOME WITH NEW FEET!”
- Madalitso
Spiritual Care

Because of your generous support, tens of thousands of people were reached with the gospel and more than 13,000 made professions of faith in Christ. Kids and their families now have a new hope that does not disappoint. THANK YOU!

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Caregiver prays for Khlariza, CURE Children’s Hospital of the Philippines (Tebow CURE).

“I’M SO THANKFUL TO ALL WHO WROTE THE GET WELL MESSAGES TO ME BECAUSE WHEN I HEAR SUCH MESSAGES, I’M HAPPY.”
- Flora

In 2020, there was an average of 51 faith expressions across our CURE Children’s Hospitals every business day!
Gloria’s Story
CURE Children’s Hospital of Niger

Gloria is a sweet girl from Sierra Leone who has dealt with bowed legs since she was three years old. As she grew, so did the severity of her legs’ misalignment. At school, the kids would insult and laugh at her, and she was unable to play in their games. Embarrassed and humiliated, Gloria retreated and preferred to be left alone.

Gloria not only experienced rejection at school but at home as well. After her father left the family, her mother struggled to provide for her children and could not deal with Gloria’s condition, so she decided to send Gloria away to live with her grandmother.

There were no specialists nearby who could treat Gloria’s condition. A daunting distance of 2,000 kilometers (1,242 miles) separated Gloria from CURE Children’s Hospital of Niger. But when all seemed lost, God made a way. Gloria was offered transport to the hospital for treatment, and when she arrived, she was immediately accepted by CURE staff and surrounded by love, including hearing about the good news of Jesus.

Gloria began attending devotions at the hospital. She received a Bible and connected with a child mentor who showed love and support all the way through her recovery. CURE staff began to see a change in Gloria. She began to open up, express herself, and smile a lot. This once reserved and guarded girl now beams with hope and joy.

It has been a long, challenging journey for Gloria, but she walks confidently now, rejoicing in the love of the Lord and growing in her love for Him. God is at work through you, reaching people like Gloria in hard and remote places. She is grateful that she was led to CURE for surgical treatment and spiritual care. She wrote “I love Jesus” on her cast and asked us to tell you, “Thanks. I appreciate you all!”

“THANKS. I APPRECIATE YOU ALL!”
- Gloria

GLORIA’S VIDEO
Healing starts with you!

Healing is made possible through passionate individuals, churches, foundations, and organizational partners that come alongside CUREkids. Thank you for the love you show for the most vulnerable.

A STORY OF TWO CHURCHES, A PLAYGROUND, AND HEALING

Two churches, Woodmen Valley Chapel in Colorado Springs, Colorado, and Crossroads Bible Church in Grand Rapids, Michigan, helped provide and construct a playground for the CURE Children’s Hospital in Zambia. More than a playground, it is a place of joy and discovery as kids experience walking, running, and playing pain-free for the first time in their lives.

"And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God."
- Micah 6:8

Thankfully, Jade fully recovered from a brain condition and is a healthy teenager now. Angie’s story of struggle and losing hope has deepened her compassion for parents of children brought to CURE Children’s Hospitals. She knows their hopelessness and worry. She has been there.

Angie and her daughter, Jade, have a unique bond. When Jade was an infant, she did not show normal growth signs. “And then it all began – minutes that led to hours that led to days and years of struggle. I struggled to understand. Why me? Why her?” Angie explained.

Through all the tests, surgeries, and doctor’s visits, Angie relied on God to get her through. “He surrounded me with people who held me up when I couldn’t stand. He was there with me every moment. When I thought I would not make it through, He was there.”

One day when she heard about CURE on the radio, Angie said that the Holy Spirit prompted her to do something from the abundance of her heart and give back. “I support CURE because, as a parent of a child with disabilities, I cannot imagine the heartache and anxiety of knowing my child might not ever receive the medical care she needed,” Angie told us. Jade had a life-threatening disability, but she had medical care available.

Angie, like so many of CURE’s partners, has a heart filled with love towards the “least of these,” and she frequently travels to serve vulnerable children around the world. While she is the owner and director of nursing at Tender Hearts Home Healthcare in Colorado, her impact is truly global.

Angie’s Story from Colorado

"There is both a practical and indescribable healing that happens in the heart of the person who sees God at work in the kingdom, breaking into these kids’ lives. I send our people there because I want them to see God at work."
- Matt Stowell, Missions Pastor at Crossroads Bible Church

“What’s beautiful about it is you know that they’re healing kids and sharing the gospel, and they’re seeing the transformation that happens physically and spiritually as kids and families are giving their lives to Christ.”
- Josh Lindstrom, Lead Pastor at Woodman Valley Chapel

THE STORY OF TWO CHURCHES, A PLAYGROUND, AND HEALING VIDEO
Financial Accountability

CURE International is a top-rated non-profit organization.

Revenue vs. Expenses | Fiscal Year

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Giving by Category

- 55% General
- 23% Grants
- 14% Monthly
- 8% Events

Giving by Donor Type

- 62% Individuals
- 19% Foundations
- 17% Organizations
- 2% Churches

Expense Breakdown

- 89% Programs
- 6% Fundraising
- 5% Management

Statement of Financial Position

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Above figures exclude hospitals no longer in the CURE network.

Indicates Gift-in-Kind (GIK) revenue and expenses from the acquisition of International Aid.
FROM THE BOARD CHAIRMAN

Despite the global pandemic and all of the challenges faced by the front-line CURE team, we are simply delighted to celebrate a number of milestone achievements:

Since 1996

5,000,000+ PATIENT VISITS
290,000+ SURGICAL PROCEDURES
210,000+ FAITH EXPRESSIONS

Each of those numbers represents a life touched by you. On behalf of the Board of Directors, we are grateful for the nearly 13,000 committed people like you who make all of this life-changing ministry possible. The grace and kindness of our Lord and your faithful and generous support will help CURE reach, heal, and serve even more children in the years to come. Thank you for being part of the CURE family.

Jerry Tubergen, CURE Board Chairman

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“I AM SO THANKFUL FOR THE PEOPLE WHO HAVE PAID FOR MY SURGERY. I NEVER THOUGHT MY LEGS WOULD BE THIS STRAIGHT. MAY GOD BLESS THEM ALL!”

- Doreen

BOARD CHAIRMAN’S VIDEO

BEFORE 

Current Area for Change

5,000,000+ PATIENT VISITS
290,000+ SURGICAL PROCEDURES
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