Since its opening day in 1956, Hôpital Albert Schweitzer (HAS) has been an international model for health care, disease prevention and health education in the developing world. HAS serves 350,000 people in a large 610 square mile area in the Artibonite region in central Haiti. With over 65 years of care – and exceptional effort and results – HAS is stronger than ever. Some highlights of our year in 2021 follow.

EMERGENCY RESPONSE
2021 brought extreme challenges to Haiti. COVID surged and vaccines were slow to arrive. Haiti’s President was assassinated. An earthquake devastated the south of Haiti. Security deteriorated as gangs wreaked havoc. It was a year of handling crisis after crisis and the HAS team met every challenge.

COVID-19
HAS’ COVID vaccination campaign was an astounding achievement – one of the strongest efforts in all of Haiti. COVID treatment was aided by our ability to produce medical grade oxygen on site.

- **20,000+ COVID vaccines administered**
- **507 patient days in the COVID treatment center**
- **Mobile vaccine teams deployed**
- **20 Million+ liters of oxygen produced**

**Participated** in triage and surgery for critical patients medevac’d to the capital

**Trucked** medicines and supplies to areas of need

**Supported** our partners in bringing aid to those in need

**Shepherded** incoming supplies and medicines through customs and storage

EARTHQUAKE
HAS pulled out every stop to support those most affected by the 7.2 magnitude earthquake. Deploying teams to Port-au-Prince, HAS quickly responded, working with local and international partners in earthquake relief efforts.
**COMMUNITY HEALTH & DEVELOPMENT**

Through our four community health centers, HAS is able to reach patients close to where they live with preventive care and health education. Two health centers are in remote mountain villages to bring greater access to care in the hardest to reach communities.

These centers are the hub of health screenings and treatment, especially for children, but HAS rolls out care in other ways as well. 48 trained Community Health Workers traverse the service area making home visits. Mobile health clinics and teams broaden our reach.

- **65,766** community health center consultations
- **76,594** home visits – up 50% from 2020
- **15,640** family planning consults
- **579** mobile clinics
- **7,167** HIV screenings – 69% for pregnant women
- **107,424** malnutrition screenings for children

**HOSPITAL CARE**

The HAS hospital is always there, open 24/7 for emergency services. Surgical capabilities at HAS bring a life-saving resource otherwise unavailable in our area. Maternal and child health are featured, with exceptional high-risk maternity and neonatal care. The hospital also offers extensive outpatient clinics, including internal medicine, pediatrics, post-surgery follow up and ophthalmology.

- **2,013** hospital births – 40% high risk
- **57,677** outpatient consultations
- **76,164** lab tests
- **12,580** hospital admissions
- **2,674** surgeries
- **3,829** vision & cataract screenings
- **12,809** gallons of sanitizer produced and distributed
- **6,839** participants in WASH hygiene programs
- **148,000** trees planted
- **122,325** participants in community education

Addressing the root causes of poor health has been part of the HAS strategy since the very beginning. Clean water programs, hygiene and sanitation, improving farming and forestry – these are all essential elements of HAS community health efforts.
On behalf of our 500 employees, 98% Haitian and 50+% women, and the millions of people we have served, HAS thanks you for making this important work possible.