

A full-page photograph of a smiling Black man with short grey hair, wearing light blue medical scrubs and a green lanyard. He has his arms crossed and is standing in a brightly lit room with a large teal vertical stripe behind him.

WE PERSEVERE



HÔPITAL ALBERT SCHWEITZER

HAITI

IMPACT REPORT

WE PERSEVERE ... and We Deliver

The volatile situation in Haiti for the past several years has taken a huge toll. It has been a test of resilience, bravery, stamina and hope.

The Hôpital Albert Schweitzer (HAS) team has stepped up each and every day, making sure that essential health services are accessible to those who need them most. It has been far from easy, but this team has stayed true to mission. Together, we continue to save lives and improve health. In a year when many hospitals in Haiti were forced to close, HAS accomplished so much.

11,271 *hospital admissions*



43,235

*hospital outpatient
clinic visits*



43,830 *community health
center consults*

Maintaining Essential Health Services

Even in dangerous times, HAS managed to stay open not just for emergencies in the hospital but for routine and preventive care at the community level as well.

This is so important as the area we serve covers 610 square miles and 450,000 people – many of whom were unable to leave their homes or communities for care. Community health workers continued to make home visits for health check-ins.

8,344

mobile health clinic consultations



53,491

hospital patient days of care

1,697

surgeries



666

high risk Cesarean sections



14,597

*pediatric hospital
patients and outpatients*



Mothers and Children

Maternal and child health outcomes continue to be one of the greatest challenges in Haiti and are therefore at the core of our work at HAS.

Creating the conditions for a safe birth for both mother and child is essential. HAS provides the only high-risk maternity and neonatal care in our area.



2,514

babies delivered



13,691

*prenatal and postnatal
consultations*

Creating Healthy Communities

Families in Haiti's Artibonite Valley have access to preventive health services close to home – at community health centers and through mobile clinics and home visits led by a network of 50+ community health workers.

90,640

*screenings for
malnutrition*



83,478

*participants in 3,701
community education sessions*



Community health services at Tienne are one of the many things supported each year by the Swiss Partnership HAS Haiti (SPHASH)

50,611

home visits

52,686

*consults at health centers
and mobile clinics*



Jhons was born at HAS with a condition that causes his knees to bend inward. He was referred to the Prosthetics & Orthotics Clinic, which is a beacon of hope for those grappling with congenital conditions or the aftermath of traumatic injuries.

Now three years old, Jhons' legs have been fitted with specialized night splints designed to provide support and correction, aiding in the gradual realignment of the knees during the crucial growth stages of childhood. Over the past year Jhons has seen a steady improvement in his condition, and his smile keeps growing brighter.

The P&O Clinic at HAS was established in the aftermath of the 2010 earthquake, when so many people lost limbs or suffered crushing injuries and desperately needed special care. Supported by our partner Medi for Help, the clinic last year provided compassionate care to 156 patients, offering specialized treatment and support for injuries requiring prosthetic limbs and orthotic devices.

62%

*of orthotic patients were
children like Jhons*



Better Health Begins Here

The path to good health in Haiti starts with preventive services at the community level – the HAS model from the very beginning.

Clean water, improved hygiene and sanitation, and agroforestry programs set the stage for improving health outcomes.



55,000

gallons of water treated and distributed, serving 30,000 people every single day



4 million+

trees planted through HTRIP with support from Haiti Friends

21,323

*beneficiaries of WASH training;
3 new WASH committees*



509

new graduates of agroforestry training program



23

community kitchens
established

Rapid Crisis Response

With our experience, energy, dedication, and infrastructure in place, HAS is unmatched in responding to challenges in Haiti.

With support from World Central Kitchen, HAS launched an emergency food relief effort, feeding many in desperate need. In addition, the ingredients for all of these meals were purchased from local farmers and

suppliers providing an economic lifeline to the Artibonite region.

All ingredients
from local farmers



550,000+
meals served



Partnership Makes it Possible

HAS is nearing *seven decades* of serving in Haiti. It is thanks to our visionary founders and countless others along the way that we have reached this incredible milestone.

Thousands of medical and humanitarian volunteers, thousands of dedicated employees who have served, thousands of supporters throughout the world who make this work possible. Millions have been touched by HAS, but our mission and work are far from done. We thank you for your partnership and support in making exceptional health services available in Haiti.



Mèsi Anpil!
Thank You!



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