



# 2019 SUMMER NEWSLETTER

Health Ministries Association

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HMA's Honduras Rural Healthcare Program had a significant impact on the health of so many in 2018. Nurse Saira, our practitioner, saw over 3,300 patients and dispensed nearly 80,000 doses of medications last year.



Nurse Saira performs dental exams for school children in the 4 villages where she does monthly health clinics. Students with the greatest dental needs will be transported to the local dentist for care. Saira has negotiated a special price so more children can be treated.

We are currently raising money to fund this program for 2020. Please help us to continue offering this life-changing service in this impoverished part of the world. It takes \$2,000 per month to provide medicine, fuel, supplies and salary.

There are many ways you can support this important work in Honduras.

- Individual donations
- Congregational donations
- Become one of our monthly donors. We will put your credit card on file making a monthly charge for your designated amount
- Host a fund raiser. We will be happy to do a presentation on-site or through live streaming.

Contact us at [health@hmacofchrist.org](mailto:health@hmacofchrist.org)

## HMA at the 2019 World Conference



The Health Ministries booth at the Community of Christ 2019 World Conference this past April was a busy place. We shared with many friends and made new ones while spreading the news about the work of HMA locally and internationally.

Health & Spirituality Workshop

### “Walking with God toward Wholeness”

Saturday, August 24th

8:30am to 4:30pm

Community of Christ Temple, 201 S River Blvd  
Independence, Mo 64050

#### NEW THIS YEAR

*You can attend the workshop remotely through our new video streaming option. It will include the keynote address, the closing session, and your choice of most of the breakout sessions.*

The Annual HMA Members Meeting was held April 6, 2019, at the South Crysler Congregation in Independence, MO. Members elected Kathryn Minton, DDS as the new HMA President, reviewed the Honduras Rural Healthcare Program, approved tuition support for four additional auxiliary nursing students for \$150 each. The four new nursing students are graduates of the Futures Program of Friends of Education, Honduras. That program provides scholarships to girls to allow them to attend and graduate high school. This brings the total number of scholarship students to six: one medical student and five auxiliary nurses.

## Health Ministries Annual Golf Tournament

September 28, 2019 at WinterStone Golf Course  
Independence, MO

*Lots of prizes, good food, and fellowship.*



If you are not able to attend, you can support the work of Health Ministries by being a hole sponsor, sponsoring a team, or donating gift cards or new merchandise for the raffle and silent auction. See our website at [www.hmacofchrist.org](http://www.hmacofchrist.org) or mail us at [health@hmacofchrist.org](mailto:health@hmacofchrist.org) for more information about being part of this year's golf tournament.



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Your support makes the work of HMA possible.  
 Please consider a mid-year donation.

Honduras Rural Healthcare Program	_____
Healthcare Education Scholarships	_____
Joan Pratt Healthcare Education Endowment	_____
Guatemala Rural Village Health Clinics	_____
Where needed most	_____
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