

White Cross Update

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Young Samuel with his new crutches at Mbingo Baptist Hospital is featured on the front of the new brochure

Have you seen the new White Cross brochure? It is a great tool for promoting this tremendous work. Check with the White Cross representative in your church for copies (or contact us directly for more information on how to get copies).

These brochures were featured at the most recent Triennial gathering and have been well-received. They include information on the White Cross branches in both the USA and Canada.

For other information on White Cross Canada, check out our website at: <http://www.taylor-edu.ca/wahlcentre/whitecross>. For information on White Cross USA, check out the website at: <http://www.nabconference.org/missions/white-cross>



Loading volunteers pause to share a laugh.

We had only planned on shipping one large container from Canada this year. With Triennial and other time pressures, we thought we could reduce this year's shipments.

God had other plans. By mid-July we had no more space to hold any other donations. The storage facilities at Taylor were packed as was the warehouse space that is offered by one of our partners.

We had no choice but ship at the end of July and then again in October.

Have your heard about some of those donations?

Over 4000 hospital bed top-sheets and 7000 draw sheets were donated. That was 13 pallets on top of all the regular supplies that come from across the country.

As I think about all of the work going on across North America, I am reminded of the verse "So let's not get tired of doing what is good. At just the right time we will reap a harvest of blessing if we don't give up" (Gal. 6:9; NLT). Keep up the good work!



Volunteers navigate a quickly-filling container

Support for White Cross takes on a variety of forms. Groups across the country tirelessly work on needed supplies. Some purchase material to make baby layettes (a jacket, a blanket & a diaper). Others cut used linens to make rolled bandages. Others locate needed supplies from various sources. Still others help to deliver these items to Edmonton. And the list goes on...

Fundraising, fun and fellowship are often part of these gatherings.

Are you interested in helping?

Does your local White Cross group need support? Leadership? Check with your local group or let us know, and we will put you in touch with the right people.

From baby layettes to hospital beds to rolled bandages, White Cross supplies continue to be a vital component of the daily medical care in the CBC hospitals and health centres throughout Cameroon. Keep it up!



Rolled bandages await repacking and shipment to Cameroon



Volunteers double-check hospital beds before loading them onto a shipping container

Thank you for all of your generous support over the past year!

In His service,

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