

Science with a Mission, Inc.
"Providing Diagnostics for the Developing World"
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Thank you for your support of Science with a Mission via Steve riding in the Rodman Ride last fall. All of your donations, coupled with a 5% match, raised a total of \$10,590. Time to rejoice!

Ghana:



Brad has used our tests for many years...however he recently wrote: "In Yeji, Ghana. Have never tested so many children, with so many positives for malaria. Thank you Alynne!"



Above is an example of a test which is positive for malaria. The control line at "C" confirms that the test worked properly and you can trust the results. The line at "2" means the patient has some form of malaria. The line at "1" confirms that the patient has *Plasmodium falciparum* (the deadliest form of malaria).

Uganda:

Alan and Elena serve with Baptist International Missions in Uganda. In their own words: "We are not going to Uganda to administer a full time medical clinic. We wish to only use medicine as an instrument to reach the hearts, and win the souls of the Ugandan people with the Gospel. The clinic that we shall operate will be part time, as to have ample opportunity for us to evangelize in out of the way villages. We wish to win the hearts and souls of the people not just by telling them about Jesus' love for them, but by demonstrating that love through the medical ministry." Science with a Mission diagnostics are a small part of their medical ministry.



Two orphans (from the local orphanage) helping out with triage at a village clinic

Quilts and Crafts

Our Quilt Show and Craft Fair will be at the Covenant Congregational Church (North Easton) on Saturday April 8th. The cost is \$5 to view all the quilts in the sanctuary. The Craft Fair is free and located downstairs in the multi-purpose room.

For questions or to request an application to rent a table at the Craft Fair, please contact Carole Giberti at 508-238-0002 or cgiberti@verizon.net.

Clinics:

Clinics can look very different. They may be permanent structures or under the shade of a tree...because in a pinch – anyplace will serve.



Long lines in Zimbabwe waiting to be seen by a doctor



Treating a child with pneumonia on the front porch in Uganda



Temporary clinic location in Guatemala
The fact that our tests are small and light weight helps them be useful in any location.

Papua New Guinea:

Carolyn wrote and sent photos: "Thanks so much Alynne. That is a huge blessing. We have a ton of malaria in our area of New Guinea. The picture below is of a little boy named Roy who appears to have some kind of brain damage after having had cerebral malaria this fall. The family was away from our village and wasn't able to get malaria treatment in time. We are praying that the Lord will heal Roy's brain!"



Family from Carolyn's village

She continues: "We have treated literally every person in the village for malaria at some point or another."

Thank you for impacting the world through this ministry!

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