



K R I S T I N A H E A L T H C E N T E R

WHAT IS IT

THE KRISTINA HEALTH CENTRE HAS BEEN TREATING HUNDREDS OF PATIENTS PER MONTH, SINCE IT OPENED IN AUGUST 2012. THE CLINIC IS PROVIDING PRIMARY MEDICAL CARE INCLUDING TRIAGE AND APPROPRIATE TREATMENT, DISEASE TESTING, INOCULATION, MEDICATION DISPENSING AND EDUCATION. BEFORE THE KRISTINA CENTRE WAS OPENED THERE WERE NO OTHER HEALTH FACILITIES IN THE AREA WITHIN A 72KM RADIUS, LEAVING PEOPLE TO SUFFER WITHOUT ACCESS TO ADEQUATE CARE. THE KRISTINA CENTRE HAS ALSO OPENED IN 2014 A 45-BED HOSPITAL WARD, THE JAMES FEE MEMORIAL WARD.

HOW IT WORKS

WITH OUR AMERICAN PARTNERS ACHON UGANDA CHILDRENS FUND AND IN PARTNERSHIP WITH LOCAL AND NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICES, LOVE MERCY HAS CONSTRUCTED AND FITTED OUT THE CLINIC AS WELL AS A 45-BED HOSPITAL WARD AND TWO STAFF LIVING QUARTER BUILDINGS. WE RAISE FUNDS IN AUSTRALIA AND THE UNITED STATES TO CONTINUE THIS WORK. WE EMPLOY ALL LOCAL UGANDAN STAFF INCLUDING 9 MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS AND 4 SUPPORT STAFF.

IMPACT

- + **IN 2016:** WE ARE SEEKING 20 NEW AMBASSADORS TO HELP US EMPLOY MORE STAFF AT THE CLINIC THAT WE NEED TO MEET THE CONTINUING DEMANDS OF THE CENTRE.
- + **BY 2020:** OUR GOAL IS TO HAVE MORE THAN 20 MEDICAL STAFF AT THE CLINIC SERVING THE LOCAL POPULATION
- + **BY 2018:** WE HOPE TO ESTABLISH A MATERNITY WARD ASSOCIATED WITH THE CLINIC TO DELIVER BABIES AND CARE FOR MOTHERS.