



EMPOWERING HEALTH AND HOPE IN NEBAJ, GUATEMALA

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High in the mountains of Nebaj, Dr. Juan Pablo and his wife, Carolina, continue to dedicate their lives to improving healthcare for families who otherwise have very limited access to medical services. Through the hospital and its outreach programs, countless individuals have received life-saving care and compassionate support — many at little or no cost thanks to the generosity of ImpactHope donors.







Bringing food, care, and hope — mission teams visit families in Nebaj, sharing both practical help and encouragement.

In the past months, the hospital has:

- 3,963 patients received medical consultations.
- 237 emergency cases were treated, providing urgent care to those in crisis.
- 479 X-rays were conducted, offering critical diagnostic information.
- 805 ultrasounds were performed, many of them for expectant mothers, helping ensure safer pregnancies and healthier babies.
- Supported 429 vulnerable families with free care like laboratory tests and medicines.
- 40 students enrolled in Quiché and 37 in Nebaj nursing schools, with three studying thanks to donor scholarships.

3963+
patients
treated over
the year

Looking ahead, an important fundraiser is underway to equip and complete the **hospital's new Operating Room**. This addition will allow the hospital to provide life-saving surgeries for the community, ensuring patients no longer need to travel long distances for critical care.

- **Budget**: \$125,000 (CAD)
- Your <u>support</u> will ensure we can purchase essential items for the operating room, including LED OR lights, a phlegm aspirator, generators, an OR bed, trays/tables, oxygen piping, and the installation of the LED lights.
- Support life-giving surgical care at https://impacthope.ca/nebaj









Stories of Hope in Nebaj

When Doña Ester brought her family to the hospital in Nebaj, she feared the cost of care would be impossible to manage. But thanks to generous supporters, everything — from lab consultations to medical samples — was provided at no cost. Her family walked away with relief, dignity, and renewed hope. (1)

In another case, a young woman battling epilepsy received much-needed medication samples. With a smile, she asked to share her photo as a way of saying thank you to those who made her care possible. (2)





As Dr. JP, the hospital's director, put it:

"It's a joy to see God give us the undeserved privilege of doing something for people who are suffering. Thank you; you are part of this blessing."

Praise Points

- Thankful for the new equipment that has improved diagnostic services at the hospital.
- Grateful for the dedicated staff and their compassion for patients.
- Encouraged by the growth and reputation of the school in the community.

Prayer Points

- Pray for ongoing funding for both hospital operations and school programs.
- Pray for wisdom and strength for Dr. Juan Pablo, Carolina, and the staff.
- Pray for children who are still waiting for the chance to attend school.



Education: Building the Future Alongside Healthcare

The Hebron Vida y Esperanza School provides quality, affordable education for the children of hospital staff and the wider community.

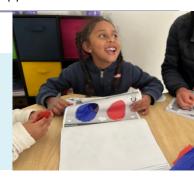
- 59 students are enrolled currently.
- Parents especially those working tirelessly in the hospital are motivated to continue serving the community because their children are thriving at school.
- With the right support, the school could welcome 70+ students next year, offering classes in art, music, and other skills that inspire children to dream big. Learn more at https://impacthope.ca/hebron.
- We're on a mission to raise \$175,000 to support the school.



We need your <u>help</u> to provide critical surgical care & education.

With each year, the need for stability grows: funding is urgently needed to support teacher salaries, expand resources, and strengthen the school's foundation. By investing in education, you are helping raise a new generation of leaders who will carry hope and opportunity into their communities.





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