

THE YEAR 2013

FIRST MISSION (Social) Lagos & Oyo 26 Jan-26 March

The year started with our visit to the Special Adviser to the Lagos State Governor on how we could collaborate with the State Government on Nutrition Systems Developments of under five years children. This is called social mission in PROFOH parlance as it was designed to boost their nutritional value and it impacted the lives of the most improvised and underserved Children in the communities, that are grossly underweight in Nigeria, with donated formula food, in collaboration with our long term partner Gabasawa Women and Children Empowerment Initiative and Redeem Christian Church of God in a suburb of Lagos called Ikorodu, 14 miles (23 KM) northwest of Lagos oversee by Pastor Olaaluwa Fapohunda., the flag-off the mission on the January 26 till February 13, over 4000 children benefited from the program. As always, our situation normally creates response, Mr. Moses Adetunji South West coordinator in Nigeria replicated the mission at Ibadan, Oyo State some 100 kilometers outside Lagos more than 300 children benefited from the program.

SECOND MISSION (Medical) Abuja & Lagos 10 - 20 February

Dr. Stuart Quartemont made it with Dave Cook for two weeks. We were also able to consult and pray with our PROFOH member for her 40 year old Uncle had had multiple strokes. One of the greatest needs in most developing countries is finding competent medical doctors who will assess a condition and give a professional advice that others can rely on, as most people are wrongly diagnosed and treated in these countries We have performed this services many times to help people who would otherwise have to travel abroad to waste their money as most of this illness are so advance that nothing can be done medically. We had performed several surgeries at Gida Mangoro Hospital in 2010. It was very gratifying to know that our work led to the renovation and upgrade of the Hospital, staff expressed appreciation to Dr. Quartemont and Kama for making it possible to attract Government attention.

Alex Dedjo took us to a growing community near Abuja, the capital city, to visit his friend the Emir of Jiwa one of the oldest communities in Nigeria. This Muslim leader said he had been following our organization efforts for several years and he wanted to assist us. He had us speak to a non-profit organization that we may be able to partner with in the future. He said that we should not fear violence Jihad from his group. His interpretation of a Holy Jihad is serving others who are less fortunate, like we had been doing. To hear those words from the Emir was very gratifying and inspiring to our team. The simple act of kindness to humanity from any religion Moslems, Christians and others being described as the true Jihad .

We came back to Lagos and performed few pediatric hernias at Ago Medical Centre, Okota area of Lagos. David took us around Lagos including a new Hospital built in Victoria Island owned by city of David Redeem Church and secured commitments to use it for our next medical mission in June-July. The team left back to the US on the 20 of Feb. Dave saw Nigeria reality where poverty and wealth are both extreme beyond understanding.

THIRD MISSION (Medical) Nasarawwa 5 - 6 May

Our Abuja Coordinator Moses Alikali led a team of volunteers including the our host the Prest of the catholic Church. for this mission in collaboration with other PROFOH local partner organizations such as Diabetes and Hypertension Help Society of Nigeria Liver function test ,BP It was a clinically- designed mission for investigations, screening and treatments Blood Sugar BMI, Malaria ,TB ,LFT ,etc .at St, John Catholic Church Mararaba, in Karu Local Government in Nassarrawa State near Abuja About 500 patients were screened and treated..

FOURTH MISSION(Medical &Social) Lagos, Ondo & Kaduna:15-June to 9 July

The team of 11 Americans led by Dr. Stuart Quartemont arrived on the 15th July 2013 and was supported local medical the mission in Lagos at the healing Stripes Redeemed Hospital .We saw over 200 patients and performed about 25 surgeries for five days. The hospital was very nice and high standards in facilities and equipment in high brow area of Lagos. The team left to Ondo State ,venue was Dr Francis Oluotu Hospital where we performed 25 surgeries with valuable help from Dr Ayodegi Pastor Sylvester Owighotu. The next location was Kaduna where the team performed about 100 surgeries, by the time it was over about 1000 patients were seen clinically and 150 surgeries were performed .This mission also has a great social content as about five water filters were distributed by Dr Quartemont to enable the communities we served have access to safe drinking water. The filters were donated to PROFOH by our strategic partners

International Sanitation Organization (ISO) and Waves 4 Water both organizations are based in the United States. The team flew back to Lagos and departed same day to the US.

FIFTH MISSION (Medical) Rivers 1- 5 Oct

Dr Brian Camazine and Dr Gbaanador led this mission; venue was Gokana in Ogoniland, Rivers State Nigeria. Team Camazine joined Dan G. Kama, of Professionals For Humanity, in Ogoni Land, for a mini-surgical clinic at the Gokana General Hospital-Terabor. Also participating were Drs., Dimpka, Jombo, Okpa, Akpanudo, Madu, Nkeonye, Eze PROFOH director of medical mission and Oje; nurse anesthetists, Wilson, Oje and Uruakpa, surgical technician Micah In two days Camazine and his team we performed 43 cases-34 hernias, 3 neck cases, 1 splenectomy, 1 ganglion, 3 lipomas ,etc. After Camazine returned back to NCH we did another 16 cases .we broke our record on this mission,22 surgeries in one day. The highest in the past has been 13-14 procedures .Gokana is a rural farming communities, when we arrived the patients had been pre-screened and more than 1000 patients showed up for few days of surgery. Dr Philip Eze also led a mini team to handle clinical cases, we saw about 1000 patients and treated them .We all agreed the need is huge and will do whatever it takes to come back to Gokana.

SIXTH MISSION (Medical) Delta, Imo and Rivers 9- 26 Nov.-

Again the last mission team of 2013 was led by Dr. Stuart Quartemont, they arrived on the 9th November 2013 in the company of Dr. Kurt Davis and wonderful doctor who was with us in Ghana in 2010 at Manna Mission Hospital, Teshie-Accra .They moved to Eku Baptist Hospital near Warri in Delta State, as always, assisted by local medical personnel..We saw over 200 patients and performed about 48 surgeries for one week. The team left for Mbaise in Imo State where we saw another 200 patients for clinical cases for three days and final destination was Gokana in Ogoniland. We broke our record the first time we came in Oct. by performing 22 surgeries in one day. This trip record was a different one probably the biggest fibroid we have even seen .Dr Gbenaddor, Quartemont ,Kurt, Duwie and Kama and of course the local medical personnel did excellent job ,We ran out fuel in the last case and used our touch and nokia phone as touch during the surgery. We also saw about 150 clinical cases and performed 46 surgeries before we left that peaceful community .We will Back-Thousands camped in from of the operating room hoping to get their surgery performed.

OTHER NOTABLE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

PARTICIPATION AT DIHAD-FLEET FORUM DUBAI,UAE 20th-30th March

Dubai International Humanitarian Aid and Development) Exhibition and Conference at UAE.(DIHAD) and the Fleet Forum was a gathering of **Who is What** in the international development from all over the world including several governments, very impressive attendance with several UN agencies, the international Red Cross and Red Crescent, MSF, Care International, World Vision, etc.. We also participated in the Roundtable Dialogue of Fleet Forum our participation was driven by several factors, with 1.3 million deaths on the road every year, as an organization that performed free surgeries and clinical consultations/treatments. We knew the importance of this meeting,the forum was also for humanitarian aid Directors and the private sector provides an opportunity for networks to share best practices, explore synergies and determine a path forward for effective humanitarian interventions. Over 30 representatives from UN Agencies, private sector companies, civil society organizations gathered one for the largest ever gathering of International Development Stakeholders.

PARTICIPATION AT THE WORLD BANK/IMF SPRING MEETING-Washington DC-15th -20th April

Ms. Angela Chester Johnson and Dr. Conrado Ordonez, Board members represented PROFOH at the Spring Meeting. We had earlier been invited to the World Bank Board of Governors meeting held in Tokyo

Japan Oct, 2012, We are also member of the Bank Global Partnership for Social Accountability (GPSA) - is a coalition of donors, governments and CSO partners launched by the World Bank in 2012 with the goal to improve development results by supporting capacity building for enhanced citizen feedback and participation. As part of its focus is the provision of strategic long-term support to civil society organizations that strive to provide social accountability programs. Our participation was also driven by the issues of Counterfeit Medicines (also referred to as spurious, falsely labeled, falsified, counterfeit medicines/SFFC) reached such a level of public health impact to become an obstacle to development, negatively affecting development of societies, and particularly the poor. Counterfeiting and similar crimes affect all medical products, whether they are generic or protected by intellectual property rights IPRs. Data from the Pharmaceutical Security Institute indicates that the illegal trade and manufacture of medicines affected at least 124 countries in 2011, and the burden is disproportionately felt in the developing world.

Over 700 CSO representatives from 100 countries participated, the largest Civil Society Program, held on April 15 – 20, comprised 60 dialogue sessions involving over 200 CSO, Bank, and Fund speakers. Most of the sessions were organized by CSOs, and topics included: WB safeguards review, post-MDGs agenda, IMF economic policies, gender mainstreaming, and climate change. There were also a number of high-level meetings with World Bank President Jim Kim, IMF Managing Director Christine Lagarde, and UN General Secretary Ban ki-moon, as well as a CSO Roundtable with Bank Executive Directors. According to Dr. Ordonez, the dialogue was an absolutely amazing and unforgettable experience. He was able to network with several people and made a connection with a physician from Bangladesh that would be willing to provide PROFOH with assistance if we ever decide to venture to their region. We would like other PROFOH members to participate in next upcoming Annual Meetings in October; PROFOH has just received a THANK YOU letter from the World Bank Group/IMF for participation in the 2013 IMF/World Bank Spring Meetings.

WORLD TB DAY-STAKEHOLDERS FORUM -Port Harcourt, Nigeria -18th April

PROFOH is a member of the World Health Organization(WHO)Stop TB partnership and had focus a new lens on TB interventions in the Niger-Delta of Nigeria since 2006. In 2011, we became a sub, sub-recipient of funds quarterly from HAF organization who in turn is a recipient from Global Fund for HIV/AIDs, TB and Malaria. Mr. Muzan Messiah PROFOH Rivers State Coordinator was unanimously elected as the State Focal Person with the consent of all CSOs working on TB and Local ministry of Health. Under his leadership and other PROFOH partners like Dawn of Life Foundation (DOLF)we have change the equation on TB prevention and cure in that part of Nigeria. With modesty, we have organized the best World TB day program in Nigeria. This year we organized **Rivers State TB Stakeholders Forum** in partnership with our USAID, DOLF and TB Network including valuable support from the private sector and Media houses in the State. Muzan has recruited 150 TB Community Volunteers (CVs) these foot soldiers working day and night in awareness creation in the area ,they have done remarkable work. Dr. Stuart Quartermont member of PROFOH Advisory Board had provided technical assistance to the Network and training of CSOs on MDR TB control in 2011.

The Stakeholders Forum was very impressive as attendance cut across Government officials, relevant ministries, private sector, Traditional rulers, Individual TB activists about 100 persons participated and most of them signed **Commitment Card** to be their personal cause, by helping STOP TB in their community and Nigeria. As an organization, we promise to keep fighting till TB is eradicated. In 1999, Nigeria was ranked fourth in the world for TB incidence, new cases 300,000 and mortality 30,000.To the best of my knowledge Nigeria remain the same.

ORGANIZED INEE MEET- UP IN TWO CITIES (Abuja and Ibadan) 26th-28th April

PROFOH is a long standing member of Inter Agency Network for Education in Emergencies (INEE) based in the United States; every year members organized Meet-up in their respective locations. Last year we did in Port Harcourt. As President Nelson Mandela said **Education** is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world. "Education is the key to eliminating gender inequality to reducing poverty, to creating a sustainable planet, to preventing needless deaths and illness, and to fostering peace. And in a knowledge economy, education is the new currency by which nations maintain economic

competitiveness and global prosperity.” Education is an investment, and one of the most critical investments we can make. This is true not only for PROFOH, but for countries around the world .As a member of INEE it was on that strength that we organize this year’s meetings up in Abuja and Ibadan. We discuss on "**Conflict Sensitive Education**" which is the suggested theme for the program. The INEE program was held in Abuja and Ibadan Oyo State on the 27th of April, 2013.It was attended largely by member of National youth Service Corps (Nigeria Fresh University Graduates) and young Adults who believe education is the bedrock of any meaningful development in any given society. There were contributions from participants who believe that education should not be a conflicting issue in a civilized society. The participant that attended the program was approximately 150 both male and female.

PARTICIPATION AT THE AID & INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FORUM- Washington, DC, 21-22 May

The event was held May 21st – 22nd, and was the second of its kind convened this year. The Aid & International Development Forum (AIDF) is the world leading forum for the humanitarian aid, relief and development sectors .This integrated exhibition and conference aimed at the humanitarian relief and development sector, tackled issues central to day-to-day operations for those providing services. The principal aim to bring together procurement professionals, practitioners and policy leaders from governments, UN, NGOs and private organizations to highlight the challenges faced by the aid and development sector, share best practices, exhibit new technologies and services and create new partnerships was well accomplished.

The conference format was unique, in that it blended (right down to being set up the same room) policymakers, public and private humanitarian activists and merchants to stimulate maximum information exchanges. Everyone at the conference had the opportunity to participate in meaningful and interactive workshops. The general motif that permeated the sessions was that both aid and development budgets and delivery systems have changed. USAID, Millennium Challenge Corporation and other Aid agencies are proposing revisions in the allocation of funds for development, as well as management requirements for recipient organizations. The old models of AID which some believe was entangled with sometimes crippling dependency on donors is no longer preferable. The recipient’s understanding and willingness of how to successfully leverage support and strategic partners, and move through AID is the anticipated replacement methodology.

For example, there will be more emphasis on collaboration between private and public entities, increased evaluation of the viability of sustainable intervention models; inclusive of economic sustainability beyond Aid financial support. It was interesting to note that in more than a few cases organizations that provided humanitarian services, such as clean water, evolved to become the creators of associate supplies and products. Conversely, in some cases companies that developed disaster and humanitarian products (such as vitamin fortified environment resistant food products) morphed into solicitors of grants from donor organizations. This is apparently to acquire greater sales.

The business of humanitarian Aid was definitely evident. There were rescue wagons, wheeled water carriers, modular building panels, disaster food supplies, and a myriad of water solutions. Of particular note to PROFOH was the work of the International Medical Corps. There work is much like what PROFOH does, but with a focus on building self reliance through training of and technical assistance for indigenous communities where they serve. The training of trainers fits well with the way donor organizations are moving now; and may be something that our organization adopts and expands to attract greater funding.

PROFOH PARTICIPATION AT THE UNODC MEETING IN VENNIA-AUSTRIA-30TH MAY

Markus von Have and Janice Kuehn both Board members at PROFOH headquarters in Germany. As an organization we have invested a lot of resources in the war against corruption .PROFOH is proud to have used its medical and social interventions as a soft power to fight corruption in some of the communities we served, especially in the health sector where most people taken for granted yet its massively corrupt .Our participation was in accordance with resolution 4/6 entitled “Non-governmental organizations and the Mechanism for the Review of Implementation of the United Nations Convention against Corruption”, adopted by the Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption at its fourth session, which was held in Marrakech, Morocco, from 24 to 28 October 2011,Which Markus von- Have also led a delegation from PROFOH that included Gbemutor Kama The briefing was held on the outcomes of the review process, including on the technical assistance needs that were identified and

implementation of the Convention The briefing took place at the United Nations Office at the Vienna International Centre, Austria .

PARTICIPATION OF UNESCO INTERNATIONAL FORUM ABUJA NIGERIA-26th June

PROFOH Gbemutor kama The Awards for Excellence Gala was hosted at the amazing Grand Bretagne Hotel ,the city of Athens landmark hotel and Moses Alikali represented the organization at the UNESCO launched the Global Forum for Partnership on MIL (GFPMIL),held in Abuja Nigeria under the theme "Promoting Media and Information Literacy as a Means to Cultural Diversity". This initiative is a partnership between UNESCO, the United Nation Alliance of Civilization (UNAOC), the Government of Saudi Arabia, the Swedish International Development Agency, the Government of Nigeria, and other International and Regional State holders .The Global Forum for Partnership on Media and Information Literacy (GFPMIL) specific objectives includes :Articulating concrete partnerships to drive MIL development and impact globally; enabling the MIL Community to speak as one voice on certain critical matters, particularly as it relates to policies; with Africa as overarching priority for UNESCO, GFPMIL to incorporate the International MIL and intercultural Dialogue conference as the first Global partnership project with a focus on Sub-Sahara Africa and Middle East and North Africa.

Act as a observatory for critically analyzing; the role of Media and Information Literacy (MIL) as a catalyst for civic participation, democracy, and development for the free MIL's contribution to the prevention and resolution of conflict and Intercultural tensions and polarizations..Develop within the participants' countries, Educational and Media production practices that contribute to dissolving prejudice and intercultural barriers and favor global dialogue and cooperation among citizens as well as social and political Institutions around the World..Promote global actions relating to MIL(Including adaptation of the UNESCO MIL Curriculum for Teachers Education and other relevant tools, publications, Congresses, Seminars, teaching resources for faculty and Students' exchanges) that could contribute towards stimulating among people of and within different cultures and Societies.

PROFOH ARTICLES PUBLISHED BY AMERICAN JOURNAL OF RESARCH COMMUNICATION – 24th Sept

Since last year PROFOH team joined others to research in medical .the research was anchor by our very own Dr. Taiwo Banjo of the Ogun State University Nigeria, has been an outstanding volunteer with PROFOH education program .The articles were officially on the **10th** issue of AJRC on **01 Oct 2013**. Details are you can go to www.usa-journals.com and click "Archives" Tab and then click "**Vol 1 (10)**" to view our articles and all the other articles officially published on the **10th** issue of AJRC.

The Olabisi Onabanjo University(OOUTH owned by Ogun State Government ,Nigeria invited PROFOH to witness Master's and Doctorate degree research presentation it was in recognition of what we have done in public health according to program coordinator. It will be recalled that in 2010 during the Prof. Femi Ayayi,s tenure as the Chair of the Hospital Board. we performed several surgeries at the same University Teaching Hospital . Additionally, our organization has been working in close collaboration with medical microbiology department on five research subject since late 2011 with a view on get these research work concluded and published in international journals. Across Nigeria the story is same ,to be invited and witness high quality presentation was very encouraging to PROFOH Educational objectives. Education is also important not least because people are better able to make informed decisions In my address I told them PROFOH believes that it makes a profound difference to people's life chances and that access to education for young girls not only makes a huge difference to them but also to their future families. Underneath it also about dignity, the dignity of every individual has to be respected. If we respecting the dignity of others, we will be sensitive to their feelings..

BRITISH CABINET OFFICE INVITATION AND PARTICIPATION OF OGP-31st- 1st Nov.

From the office of Hon. Francis Muade member of the British Parliament (MP) Minister of the Cabinet we received a formal invitation to attend the Open Government Partnership (OGP) Summit in London. The event took place at the Queen Elizabeth II Conference Centre, Westminster, PROFOH senior advisor Mr. Ajay Singh represented the organization at the summit.. It included inspiring speakers addressing the core themes of the Summit; and also the celebration of the OGP's accomplishments to date; opportunities to learn about the new, ambitious commitments that both governments and civil society are making; and

debates about the tough questions and challenges that the OGP faces regarding the open government movement. The summit brought together more than 1,000 delegates from over 60 countries..

PROFOH WON BEST HUMANITARIAN ORGANIZATION AWARD-GTF 2013, ATHENS GREECE, 2-4TH DEC

Being aware of the exceptional scientific and humanitarian work that Professionals For Humanity has in place in Africa, I am pleased to let you know that GTF Advisory Board has nominated you for the Global Thinkers Forum Award 2013 for Excellence in Science; The award will be the highest accolade for the year bestowed on our organization as a token of appreciation for our humble contribution to Humanity in Health Care, Safe Water and Education. The Global Thinkers Forum (GTF) as the name implies is an international non-profit organization committed to excellence including the promotion of better leadership practices through collaboration that advance positive change and ways to improve people's lives. PROFOH is a very proud to be a strategic partners with GTF as we have line- up several events across Africa starting from 2014

The event theme was 'Leadership & Collaboration' in association with the UN Alliance of Civilizations, with the High Commissioner HE Dr Al Nasser being among the keynote speakers along with HRH Princess Sumaya bint El Hassan of Jordan, the premier network of seed investors in MENA Oasis500 and an exceptional line up of important thought leaders, CEOs, investors, officials, experts and media from the international arena, with Al Jazeera English Senior Presenter Stephen Cole as Master of Ceremony. The impressive event was also under the hospices of the Mayor of the City of Athens Mr. George Kaminis

.PROFOH high level delegation of five Board members led by the Executive Director Gbemutor Kama included Prof. Gbaranen Gbaanador of the University of Texas in Houston, Ms Angela Chester Johnson from our Washington DC, office .Ms. Reem Bissio from Amman Jordan, and from Lagos Nigeria is Mr. Olayinka Ajiboye arrived Athens on the 2nd Dec. we were among those. hosted a private dinner by the Mayor of the city of Athens who thank and congratulated our organization for the Award. 3rd Dec. was Benaki Museum for inspiring speakers and generation of ideas .On the 4th Dec The Awards for Excellence Gala was hosted at the amazing Grand Bretagne Hotel, the city of Athens landmark hotel was the presentation of the Award to PROFOH by GTF CEO Elizabeth Filippouli and Stephen Cole Senior Aljazeera Television Presenter... We are proud and honored to have received this prestigious Award along side with world leaders like H.E., the UN AoC High Representative Mr. Nassir Abdulaziz Al Nasser, Award Excellence in Leadership and His All Holiness Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew, Award Excellence in Peace & Collaboration:

PARTICIPATION AT THE UN MEETING IN NEW YORK, UNITED STATES-9TH DEC

Strengthening the Contribution of the Private Sector in the Delivery of the Future Sustainable Development Goals: Corporate Governance and Transparency Monday 9 December 2013 Conference Room Trusteeship Council Chamber United Nations Headquarters New York, New York

This session aims to contribute to the United Nations Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals and its discussions on governance, means of implementation and multi-stakeholder partnerships, with an emphasis on the role of the private sector and capital markets. The topics addressed here will highlight how corporate governance and transparency are enhancing the contribution of the private sector on the three dimensions of sustainable development. Presentations will also illustrate with concrete examples how this is being done in practice and how the intergovernmental process can further accelerate this trend.

Speakers represent a diverse range of sectors actively involved in these discussions and who are working with partners to contribute to and closely follow the work of the Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals.