Healing Little Hearts in Jamaica

March 22 - April 1, 2022

Together We Save Lives

10 Children Treated

Bustamante Hospital for Children
Kingston, Jamaica

Gift of Life International
Training Visit Report
The March 2022 training visit to Bustamante Hospital for Children in Kingston, Jamaica provided life-saving heart surgeries to 10 Jamaican children. The visiting medical team was assembled by our Like-Minded Partner, Chain of Hope from the UK. In-country logistics were coordinated by Rotarians from the New Kingston Rotary Club and by Chain of Hope Jamaica in coordination with Gift of Life International and Rotarians from the Lake Norman / Huntersville Rotary Club.

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Our sincere thanks to the Jamaican and visiting healthcare professionals who provided care to these children in need and provided them with hope for a healthy future.
GOLI Medical Volunteers Have Big Hearts which Heal Little Hearts
Thank you to the Visiting Medical Team

Dr. Intikhab Zafurallah
Pediatric Intensivist

Robert Willetts
Stanley Brown
Perfusionists

Rachael Morrison
Susan Burlton
Michelle Parker
Nichola Dawson
Linda Paterson
Caitlin McMillan
Nadine Smith
Chris-Ann Rodrigues
Natalie Jones
Kathleen Reilly
Paula Havern
ICU Nurses

Schon Daway
Biomedical Engineer
Introducing the Jamaican Team
Bustamante Hospital for Children (Cardiac Unit)

Dr. Sherard Little
Pediatric Cardiac Surgeon

Dr. Sharonne Forrester
Dr. Tamra Tomlinson Morris
Pediatric Cardiologists

Nurse Hammond
Scrub Nurse

Nurse Monique Gooden
Sister Paulette Gilbert
Nurse Melissa Lawrence
Nurse Shaan Gooden
Nurse Jodian Wallace
ICU Nurses

Dr. Cleopatra Patterson
Head of Anesthesiology

Arlenys Ramirez Alcover
Annia Tito Perez
Perfusionists
10 Children Treated
Hearts Healed…

Kimoy
11 Years Old
Diagnosis: VSD
Ventricular Septal Defect
(Surgery)

Tamier
9 Years Old
Diagnosis: Aortic Ridge Resection
(Surgery)

Naomi
4 Years Old
Diagnosis: VSD
Ventricular Septal Defect
(Surgery)

More than 41,000 little hearts healed since 1975…
Shanae
11 Years Old
Diagnosis: VSD
Ventricular Septal Defect
(Surgery)

Hearts Healed…

Jamari
4 Years Old
Diagnosis: AVSD
Atrial Ventricular Septal Defect
(Surgery)

Lighting the World with Hope,
One Child at a Time…

Shanae
11 Years Old
Diagnosis: VSD
Ventricular Septal Defect
(Surgery)

Caerissa
3 Years Old
Diagnosis: AVSD
Atrial Ventricular Septal Defect
(Surgery)
Hearts Healed...

- **KYANO**
  - 11 Years Old
  - Diagnosis: ASD
  - Atrial Septal Defect (Surgery)

- **PHEUONA**
  - 13 Years Old
  - Diagnosis: VSD
  - Ventricular Septal Defect (Surgery)

- **JAQUAINE**
  - 8 Years Old
  - Diagnosis: ASD, VSD
  - Atrial and Ventricular Septal Defects (Surgery)

93% of children born with a heart defect have no access to care…
Hearts Healed…

Every 3 hours a child with heart disease is cared for through our Global Network…
Answering the Prayers of Parents Each and Every Day...
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