

Much more than a hospital,
this represents a model for better
healthcare throughout Ghana.



*Endorsed by professionals,
now all we need is you.*

Until recently, obtaining adequate healthcare in this rural community wasn't even a remote possibility.

But now plans are complete, endorsements have been given... and we are ready to begin!

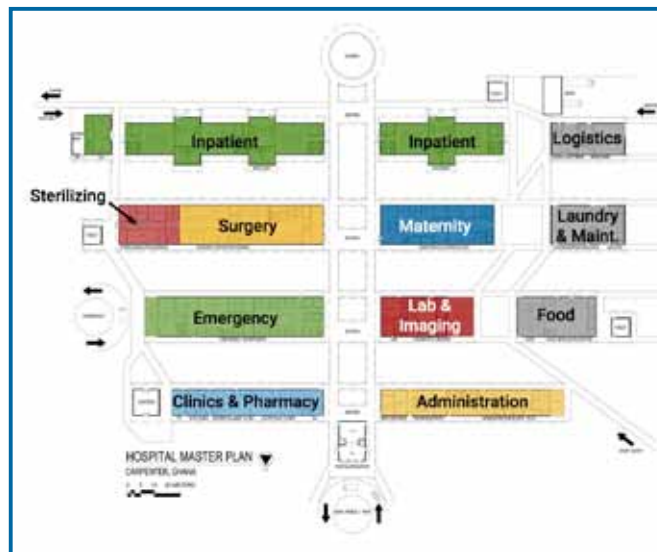


Ghana Rural Integrated Development (GRID) and Northern Empowerment Association (NEA)

Home to 2.5 million people scattered across a remote and rural area that comprises roughly one-third of the nation's area, the Northern Region of Ghana is critically underserved by doctors, most of whom live in the Region's capital, Tamale. As a result, none of the clinics in the region even has a doctor.

Medicine is inadequate; medical equipment is in short supply and poor repair.

The Ghana Rural Integrated Development organization (GRID), a Canadian charity, and the Northern Empowerment Association (NEA), a Ghanaian non-governmental agency, together form a remarkable partnership based on shared values, mutual respect and an abiding commitment to a cause greater than ourselves — to assist poor communities to meet their basic needs in a sustainable manner. For over 30 years, we have worked side by side to help Northern Ghana's poor through our many development projects.



Our vision of a general hospital for the Northern Region in Ghana is that it will become a model of healthcare not just for the region but for all of Ghana.

After years of work, this project already has broad and enthusiastic support from local health personnel, government representatives,

traditional community leaders and from the many, many thousands of people it will serve.

We are ready to begin...

A volunteer team of North American and Ghanaian engineers and architects has visited the project site and gathered the information they need to develop hospital plans. Initial drawings of the hospital and residence buildings have been completed, necessary equipment has been identified, and start-up costs have been assessed.

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Indeed, our hospital project has every possible reason to succeed!

We even have qualified medical professionals ready to serve, including doctors and nurses that we have been putting through university as part of our preparation.

To be located in Carpenter, the new Hospital will help build a community of hope, health and prosperity.

Leyaata Hospital will be a model of:

Patient Care

All patients, regardless of ethnicity, status, gender, or faith, will be treated with respect, compassion, and the appropriate urgency.

Financial Sustainability

Through income-generating activities, partnerships with expatriate specialists, and our long-established relationship with Ghana's Ministry of Health, the Carpenter Hospital will be financially sustainable.

Restful recovery

The Leyaata Hospital will be a sanctuary: a place of peace, rest, and healing.

Diagnostics

The hospital will have adequate working equipment to swiftly and accurately diagnose illnesses.

Staffing

NEA's proven model of leadership will be used in the hospital to establish a healthy work environment, increase staff engagement, and improve quality of care.

Maintenance

Buildings and equipment will be cleaned, serviced, and well-maintained.

Management

Supplies will be on hand when needed and will not be wasted. Technology and communication systems will be above standard.

Partnerships

Specialists and health professionals from around the world will, both in person and virtually, join Ghanaian staff to provide health care for all.





Your gift will have an enormous impact...

- ✓ The fully equipped, 50-bed general hospital will soon become the area's essential health care hub.
- ✓ Services: Specialized care, surgical care, outpatient clinics, eye clinics, OB/GYN and prenatal clinics, chronic disease management clinics, diagnostic imaging services and 24/7 emergency services
- ✓ It's estimated that the Hospital will have 47,000-53,000 patient visits annually including as many as 18,000 emergency cases, 1,000 births, 1,000-3,000 surgeries and 4,000 inpatient visits.

The West Africa Ebola virus epidemic has highlighted the need for strong local health systems. The Leyaata Hospital will be the health care hub that enables better, faster control of infectious diseases.

Not only will the Leyaata Hospital serve the health needs of 100,000 people, it will also uniquely serve as a model for the entire nation: a hospital that establishes excellent management practices and demonstrates a culture of compassion.

This model hospital will provide teaching, training and learning exchange programs that will transform healthcare throughout Ghana.

With your support, you will be helping countless individuals overcome and survive illnesses and injuries, debilitating conditions and infections. You will be saving lives and preventing the heartbreaking, devastating and needless loss of so many men, women and children. They need more health professionals, better diagnostic tools and health facilities that are close at hand to meet their health needs. They need a hospital that offers both healing and hope.

Please help us make this model hospital a reality for the families and communities of Northern Ghana.



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