

GICAM NEWSLETTER

2024 HIGHLIGHTS: CELEBRATING PROGRESS AND NEW BEGINNINGS



Dear Supporters,

With hearts full of gratitude, we are delighted to inform you that our fundraising campaign "NEW HANDS AND A NEW LIFE FOR EVA" has concluded with overwhelming success. Your incredible generosity allowed us to raise CHF 5,822 through GoFundMe and many other direct contributions to our organisation, surpassing our initial goal.

Eva's story has deeply touched each of us, and thanks to your extraordinary support, we have been able to give her renewed hope. Following surgery on her left hand and a rehabilitation that exceeded all expectations, Eva has returned to Ghana with a new smile and a bright future ahead. Today, she is a radiant young woman, rediscovering joy in life and excelling in her studies.

We could not have achieved this milestone without you. Your donations, thoughts, and prayers have accompanied Eva on this journey, making possible what seemed impossible.

"What we do is just a drop in the ocean, but if we didn't do it, the ocean would have one less drop."

Mother Teresa of Calcutta

GICAM becomes a Foundation

Meanwhile, we are thrilled to share another wonderful piece of news with you: GICAM has become a Foundation! This significant step will allow us to expand our mission and help even more people in need of specialised care, carrying forward the spirit of solidarity and love that unites us.

What's Next for GICAM

Our latest updates and new initiatives are introduced in this edition, we will take you through the projects we are currently working on and provide important insights. We hope you enjoy following our journey and continue to support us along the way.

Stay tuned to know more about:

- Establishment of Hand Surgical Hospital with CRHP (Comprehensive Rural Health Project) in Jamkhed, India
- Flavio Radice Women Empowerment Program (FRAWEP): project in Jamkhed, India
- Collaboration with Goa Medical College and Hospital, India: establishment of a Hand Surgical Unit
- Ghana presence: successful Spring Camp and Upcoming
 October Camp at St. Joseph Hospital
- Returning to Uganda: Camp at St. Kizito Hospital Matany



SAVE THE DATE

Charity Dinner at Villa Castagnola

Mark your calendars for our next charity dinner at Villa Castagnola in Lugano on November 22, 2024. Join us for an evening of celebration and support for our cause. Your participation and contributions make a tremendous difference in our efforts to provide essential medical care worldwide. To ensure your place at this memorable event, please register by sending your confirmation to info@gicamfoundation.org. We look forward to celebrating with you and sharing the impact.

"Yesterday has gone, tomorrow has not yet come. We have only today, let us begin."

Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Once again, heartfelt thanks for your incredible generosity and for contributing to giving Eva a new life and new opportunities. Your support is the most beautiful testament to the power of humanity and compassion.

With immense gratitude,

The GICAM Foundation Team

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