



TWENTY ONE YEARS OF SERVICE (1988-2009)¹

International Relief Teams mobilizes volunteers and distributes medical supplies to support the organization's four missions: 1) domestic and international disaster relief, 2) medical education and training, 3) surgical and clinical outreach, and 4) disease prevention and health promotion. Volunteer medical teams augment local health care professionals during natural disasters and other crises, conduct comprehensive in-hospital training in cardiac resuscitation, obstetrical and neonatal care, and perform surgery in remote, impoverished areas where specialists do not exist. Volunteer construction teams repair homes damaged by natural disaster, build public health facilities, and conduct community-based construction training. IRT also sponsors psycho-social support programs for children living with HIV/AIDS. Since 1988, IRT has provided more than \$5.7 million in volunteer services, and more than \$136 million in medicines and supplies to families in desperate need in 54 countries worldwide.

U.S. DISASTER RELIEF

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| 2007-pres. • | San Diego Firestorms | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Metal sheds built for 85 families. • \$34,000 donated for construction materials. • Relief supplies and volunteers sent to local evacuation centers. |
| 2005-pres. • | Hurricane Katrina, Gulf Coast | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$429,176 in medical supplies delivered. • Homes of 144 families repaired. • Hundreds of patients treated. |
| 2008 | • Hurricane Ike, Louisiana | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$ 66,486 in medical supplies delivered. |
| 2005-06 | • Hurricane Charley, Florida | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homes of 8 families repaired. |
| 2004 | • Hurricane Isabel, North Carolina | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homes of 7 families repaired. |
| 2003-05 | • San Diego Firestorms | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Metal sheds built for 101 families. • \$2,500 in health products delivered. • \$29,000 donated for construction materials. |
| 2002-03 | • Tropical Storm Allison, Texas | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homes of 6 families repaired. |
| 2002 | • West Virginia Flood Relief | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homes of 2 families repaired. |
| 2001 | • Terrorist Attacks, New York City | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hundreds of rescue workers treated. |
| 1999-2001 | • Hurricane Floyd, North Carolina | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homes of 34 families repaired. |
| 1997 | • Northern California Flood Relief | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homes of 15 families repaired. |

¹ As of April 15, 2009

- 1997 • **North Dakota Flood Relief** • 34 evacuees treated.
- 1996 • **Hurricane Fran, North Carolina** • Home of 1 family repaired.
- 1995 • **Hurricane Opal, U.S. Gulf Coast** • \$50,000 in medical supplies delivered.
- 1995 • **Hurricane Marilyn, U.S. Virgin Islands** • 457 patients treated.
- 1994 • **Earthquake, Los Angeles** • 850 patients seen, 765 treated.
- 1993-96 • **Midwest Flood Relief** • Homes of 16 families repaired.
- 1989 • **Earthquake, San Francisco Bay Area** • Temporary clinic made operational to serve farm workers left homeless.
- 1989 • **Hurricane Hugo, South Carolina** • Homes of 3 families repaired.

INTERNATIONAL DISASTER RELIEF

- 2004-pres. • **Sudan/Darfur Humanitarian Relief** • \$13,467,257 in medicines and medical supplies delivered.
- 2009 • **Zimbabwe Humanitarian Relief** • \$71,547 in medical supplies delivered.
- 2009 • **Hurricanes, Jamaica** • \$657,841 in medical supplies delivered.
- 2009 • **Gaza Humanitarian Relief** • \$52,500 in medical supplies delivered.
- 2008 • **Guatemala – storm-related crop failure** • 75 metric tons of food delivered
- 2008 • **Hurricane Relief, Haiti** • \$459,007 in medical supplies delivered.
- 480 family tents purchased.
- Food delivered to 25,000 people.
- Essential medicines and supplies purchased.
- 2008 • **Mexico Flood Relief** • \$237,122 in medical supplies delivered.
- 2008 • **Cyclone Nargis - Myanmar** • 1015 tarps purchased.
- 2008 • **Earthquake, China** • 20,000 bottles of hand sanitizers produced and distributed
- 2008 • **Bolivia Flood Relief** • \$941,998 in medical supplies delivered.
- 2008 • **Cyclone Sidr - Bangladesh** • \$67,122 in medical supplies delivered.
- 2008 • **Iraq Humanitarian Relief** • \$1.5 million in medical supplies delivered.
- 2005-07 • **Hurricane Stan, Guatemala** • 150 metric tons of food delivered to 23,035 families.
- 2007 • **Earthquake, Peru** • \$787,895 in medical supplies delivered.
- 754 winterized tents purchased.
- 2007 • **Democratic Republic of the Congo - Humanitarian Relief** • \$942,992 in medical supplies delivered.
- 2007 • **Bolivia Flood Relief** • \$2.4 million in medical supplies delivered.
- 2006 • **Ethiopia Humanitarian Relief** • \$25,000 in supplementary food delivered.
- 2006 • **Afghanistan Humanitarian Relief** • \$2.4 million in medical supplies delivered.
- 2006 • **Tsunami, Indonesia (USNS Mercy)** • Hundreds of patients treated.

2006	• Earthquake, Indonesia	• Double-panel tents purchased.
2005	• Earthquake, Pakistan	• \$183,480 in medical supplies delivered. • 250+ double-panel winterized tents purchased.
2005	• Floods, Guyana	• \$932,507 in medical supplies delivered.
2005	• Earthquake/Tsunami, India	• \$131,957 in medical supplies delivered.
2005	• Earthquake/Tsunami, Sri Lanka	• \$131,957 in medical supplies delivered. • \$66,551 in essential materials & supplies (e.g. tents, tools, kitchen kits) delivered. • 31 Counselors trained in Trauma Counseling, 100 patients treated. • Financed construction of 150 permanent homes and apartments.
2005	• Earthquake/Tsunami, Indonesia	• \$1.7 million in medical supplies delivered. • Hundreds of patients treated.
2004	• Hurricane Ivan, Grenada	• \$764,298 in medical supplies delivered.
2004	• Typhoon Sudal, State of Micronesia	• \$85,207 in medical supplies delivered.
2004	• Earthquake, Iran	• \$80,000 in medical supplies delivered.
2004	• The Congo – Humanitarian Relief	• \$477,788 in medical supplies delivered.
2003	• Liberia Humanitarian Relief	• \$427,843 in medical supplies delivered.
2003	• Iraq War -Civilian Relief	• \$640,000 in medical supplies delivered.
2002	• Ivory Coast Refugee Relief	• \$820,000 in medical supplies delivered.
2002	• Afghanistan Refugee Relief	• \$1.5 million in medical supplies delivered.
2001	• Earthquake, Peru	• Repaired damaged school serving 800 children.
2001	• Earthquake, El Salvador	• \$1.4 million in medical supplies delivered.
2001	• Earthquake, India	• \$1 million in medical supplies delivered.
1999	• Floods, Mozambique	• 3,570 survival kits purchased. • \$130,000 in medical supplies delivered.
1999	• Mudslides, Venezuela	• \$20,000 in medical supplies delivered.
1999	• Earthquake, Turkey	• \$20,000 in medical supplies delivered.
1999	• Kosovar Refugee Relief	• \$1,100,000 in medical supplies delivered, hundreds treated.
1999	• Earthquake, Colombia	• \$307,488 in medical supplies delivered.
1998-2002	• Hurricane Mitch, Honduras	• 1,500 patients treated; \$7,672,283 in medical supplies delivered.
1998	• Hurricane Georges, Dominican Republic	• \$175,241 in medical supplies delivered.
1995	• Lebanon, Refugee Relief	• \$612,213 in medical supplies delivered.
1995	• Earthquake, Kobe, Japan	• 85 patients treated, \$36,000 in medical

- 1991-95 • **Bosnia & Croatia, Refugee Relief** • \$21,809,368 in medicines and supplies delivered to 38 hospitals and refugee camps, estimated 300,000 helped.
- 1994 • **Rwanda, Refugee Relief** • 17,500 patients treated, 6,600 patients immunized, 8 surgeries performed, \$271,177 in medical supplies delivered.
- 1991 • **Kurdish Refugee Relief** • 12 orthopedic surgeries performed.
- 1990 • **Earthquake, Iran** • \$75,000 in medical supplies delivered.
- 1989 • **Civil Uprising, Romania** • \$40,000 in medical supplies delivered.
- 1988 • **Earthquake, Armenia** • 250 patients treated, 29 surgeries, \$125,000 in medical supplies delivered.
- 1988 • **Hurricane Gilbert, Jamaica & Yucatan** • 405 patients treated.
• 12 temporary shelters built for those left homeless.

MEDICAL EDUCATION & TRAINING

Armenia

- 1996-2002 • **Cleft Palate and Burn Surgical Training** • 10 MDs & RNs trained, 117 surgeries.
- 1989-1990 • **Orthopedic Surgical Training** • 30 MDs & RNs trained, 7 surgeries.

Latvia

- 2004 • **Infant Stabilization Training** • 12 MD & RN instructors trained, 92 trained by instructors
- 2004 • **Neonatal Resuscitation Training** • 26 MD & RN instructors trained, 163 trained by instructors
- 1996-99 • **Infant Care Training** • 44 MD & RN instructors trained, 239 trained by instructors.
- 1998-2002. • **Birth and Maternity Training** • 44 MD & RN instructors trained, 260 trained by instructors.
- 1993-95 • **Cardiac Resuscitation Training** • 202 MDs & RNs (incl.31 instructors) trained, 5,389 trained by instructors.
- 1991-92 • **Critical Care Nursing Training** • 27 RNs trained.

Lithuania

- 2008 • **Cardiac Resuscitation Update Training** • 47 MDs & RNs trained.
- 2004 • **Infant Stabilization Training** • 10 instructors trained. 109 additional trained by instructors.
- 2003 • **Neonatal Resuscitation Training** • 18 instructors trained. 849 additional trained by instructors
- 1998-2003 • **Cardiac Resuscitation Training** • 104 MDs & RNs (incl.32 instructors) trained, 1,946 trained by instructors
- 1998-2002. • **Infant Care Training** • 24 MD & RN instructors trained, 70 additional trained by instructors.

- 1998-2002 • **Birthing and Maternity Training**
 - 24 MD & RN instructors trained, 80 additional trained by instructors.
- Romania**
- 2007-08 • **Infant Stabilization Training**
 - 86 MDs & RNs instructors trained. 486 practitioners trained by instructors
- 2005-06 • **Neonatal Resuscitation Training**
 - 136 MD & RN instructors trained. 982 practitioners trained by instructors.
- 1992-2000 • **Neonatal Intensive Care Training**
 - 32 MDs & RNs trained.
- 1993-94 • **Ear, Nose and Throat Surgical Training**
 - 18 MDs & RNs trained, 88 surgeries.
- 1993-97 • **Cataract Surgical Training**
 - 27 MDs & RNs trained, 125 surgeries.
- Viet Nam**
- 2008-pres • **Neonatal Resuscitation Training**
 - 79 MD & RN instructors trained. 322 practitioners trained by instructors.

SURGICAL/CLINICAL OUTREACH

Brazil

- 1997 • **General Surgery/ Cataract Surgery**
 - 85 surgeries performed.
- **Cleft Palate and Burn Surgery**

Ecuador

- 1995-96 • **Cleft Palate, Burn & Cataract Surgery**
 - 112 surgeries, 125 patients treated.

Fiji Islands

- 2001-03 • **Cleft Palate & Burn Surgery**
 - 52 surgeries, 125 patients treated.
- 2000-01 • **Cataract Surgery**
 - 38 cataract surgeries performed, 308 patients treated.

Guatemala

- 1992-93 • **General Surgery/ Cataract Surgery**
 - 141 surgeries, 825 clinical patients. treated, 233 dental patients treated.
- **Cleft Palate and Burn Surgery**

Honduras

- 2007 • **Cataract Surgery/Ear, Nose and Throat Surgery**
 - Hundreds of patients examined, 33 surgeries.
- 2006 • **Cataract Surgery/Ear, Nose and Throat Surgery**
 - Hundreds of patients examined, 51 surgeries.
- 2003 • **Cataract Surgery**
 - 32 surgeries performed.
- 2002 • **Cataract Surgery**
 - 30 surgeries performed.

Mexico

- 1999-2006 • **General Medicine / Women's Health**
 - Population of 200,000 served.
- 1989-1992 • **Cleft Palate & Cataract Surgery**
 - 92 surgeries performed.

Papua New Guinea

- 2008 • **General Surgery & General Medicine**
 - 25,000 + patients treated and 346

- Romania**
 1991 • (USNS Mercy) • surgeries performed.
 • Ear Surgery (Romanian orphans) • 24 surgeries performed.

DISEASE PREVENTION & HEALTH PROMOTION

Fiji Islands

- 2003-06 • **Operational Expenses for Medical Clinic** • Hundreds of families helped.
 • **Schools & Facilities-repair/remodeling** • Hundreds of families helped.
 • **Educational Assistance for Disadvantaged Children** • School lunches for 47 children.
 • Tuition for 13 children.
 • Special tutoring for 4 children.
 • Books & supplies for 13 children.
 2004-2009 • **Humanitarian Aid Shipment** • \$188,961 in medical supplies and other equipment delivered.

Honduras

- 2002-pres. • **Humanitarian Aid Shipments** • \$36.4 million in medicines and supplies delivered

Ivory Coast

- 2007-pres. • **Humanitarian Aid Shipments** • \$6.3 million in medicines and supplies delivered

Latvia

- 1992-2004 • **Humanitarian Aid Shipments** • \$13.1 million in medical supplies delivered.

Liberia

- 2003-pres • **Humanitarian Aid Shipments** • \$6.2 million in medicines and supplies delivered.

Lithuania

- 1998-2008 • **Humanitarian Aid Shipments** • \$10.9 million in medicines and supplies delivered

Mexico

- 2004-pres. • **Tijuana–Disabled Children’s Center Construction** • Children with disabilities helped
 2001-04 • **Tijuana–16 bed hospital construction** • Hundreds of families helped.
 1998-2006 • **Community Health Worker Training & patient care** • 100+ Health Workers trained & hundreds of families treated.
 1991-2001 • **San Quintin - clean water/sanitation** • 60 families helped (300 people).
 1990 • **Rancho Piloto - clean water/sanitation** • 40 families helped (200 people).
 1990-91 • **Usila - village clinic construction** • 100 families (500 people) helped.
 1988-1990 • **Oaxaca - regional clinic construction** • Hundreds of families helped.
 1989 • **Oaxaca - village clinic construction** • 30 families helped.
 1989 • **Oaxaca - clean water/sanitation** • 20 families helped (100 people).
 1989 • **Mexico City - clean water/sanitation** • 40 families helped (200 people).

Sierra Leone

- 2007-pres. • **Humanitarian Aid Shipments**
- \$181,176 in medical & educational supplies delivered.

South Africa

- 2004-08. • **Food Aid to men, women and children living with HIV/AIDS**
- 11,000+ beneficiaries, 12 million meals.
- 2001-04 • **Helped establish Mothers 2 Mothers -- Peer to Peer education & support for HIV-positive pregnant women and new mothers.**
- Babies born HIV free.
 - HIV de-stigmatized.
 - Mothers empowered.

Uganda

- 2006-pres • **TeenSave, a comprehensive psycho-social support program for adolescents living with HIV/AIDS**
- Providing life-skills training, HIV/AIDS education, vocational training and scholarships to help hundreds of adolescents.