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BROTHER'S BROTHER FOUNDATION



2024 ANNUAL REPORT

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THE YEAR IN REVIEW

A Message from the Board Chair and President

2024 saw another year where your support and generosity, along with the efforts of our partners, Board of Trustees, and staff members, allowed BBF to provide much needed and often lifesaving assistance to so many here at home and around the world. We are pleased to report that BBF continued to expand its relief and development work which included responding to natural disasters and man-made crises, shipping medications and supplies to recipients in need, addressing healthcare needs for underserved community members, providing solar panels to schools and remote clinics and helping build water wells, assisting with maternal health programs, and providing computers, and education material for students. It is indeed your thoughtful donations that enabled 2024 to be a tremendously impactful year as we continue to help those in need.

In 2024, BBF sent essential medical and humanitarian supplies, pharmaceuticals, educational materials, and grants to recipients in 35 countries. We sent 171 total shipments and awarded more than $1.3 million in grants and program support. Our Healthcare Program delivered 133 shipments, exceeding $167 million in support through pharmaceuticals, medical supplies, and equipment. This included the shipment of over 280 million doses of medicine to countries in dire need of such help. With the understanding that all partners have critical needs, countries that received over a $1 million each in relief shipments, included Cote d'Ivoire, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Grenada, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mali, Philippines, and the United States.

As a significant part of our relief efforts, BBF responded to 15 major disasters which included hurricanes, tornadoes, earthquakes, and wildfires. Our disaster response efforts spanned 26 shipments that provided more than $5 million in relief supplies. The start of the year focused on BBF's response to the year-end 2023 Cyclone Michaung in Chennai, India, followed by the tornado outbreak throughout the Midwest. Our support extended to those affected in Kentucky, Oklahoma, Texas, Arkansas, and Iowa in the aftermath of the storms. The fall saw BBF responding to two massive natural disasters, Hurricane Helene which caused

catastrophic damage across several southern states, and Hurricane Milton, which cut across the state of Florida. These efforts included supporting foodbanks, Federally Qualified and Free & Charitable Health Clinics, local community associations and non-profits providing relief, the purchasing and shipping of generators for those without electricity, along with shipments of medical supplies, water, hygiene kits, cleaning supplies, tarps, and hard hats, to assist those impacted by the storms.

In 2024, BBF sent over $15 million in books and educational materials to support students worldwide. This included funding for the establishment of a library and computer lab for schools in the Volta Region of Ghana, along with the donation of 150 computer tablets to support BootUp, a program of local Pittsburgh partner Community Forge, which provides technology access and training programs to elementary, middle school, and high school students and adults. The construction project for St. Andrew's Secondary Boys School in Mulanje, Malawi which started in 2023 continues on schedule and we expect the school to open for the Fall 2025 school year. Additionally, BBF also funded trauma surgery and other first responder and mental health training for healthcare professionals in Ukraine.

Lastly, we remain committed to assisting members of our underserved communities here at home utilizing the mobile clinic program. BBF's latest addition to support these efforts is an audiology van that will come into service in Pittsburgh by the middle of 2025. It will be run in collaboration with the Eye & Ear Foundation and will be the fifth mobile clinic that BBF has provided to partners to serve those in need at no cost.

We hope this Annual Report provides you with an overview of the difference your generosity is helping make in so many lives here at home and around the world. Thank you for your invaluable support of our work – we truly could not do it without you!

Yours in gratitude,

Terry Murphy
Chair



Ozzy Samad
President





VISION

A world where aid leads to sustainable development.

MISSION

BBF helps bridge the gap between aid and sustainability by supporting localized programs and providing essential resources in the areas of Healthcare, Infrastructure, Disaster Response, and Education (H.I.D.E).

BACKGROUND

Brother's Brother Foundation was founded in 1958 by Dr. Robert A. Hingson, a renowned innovator in public health. During his career, Dr. Hingson developed several medical devices crucial in alleviating pain and distributing vaccinations and inoculations. His most well-known invention, the needleless jet-injector or "peace gun," dramatically increased medical capabilities in developing countries by allowing for the inoculation of 1,000 people per hour with several simultaneous vaccines. Dr. Hingson's vision of a world free from diseases such as smallpox, measles, cholera and more led to the creation of Brother's Brother Foundation.

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2024 IMPACT

35
COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES SERVED

171
TOTAL SHIPMENTS

$1.3M+
GRANTS AND PROGRAM SUPPORT

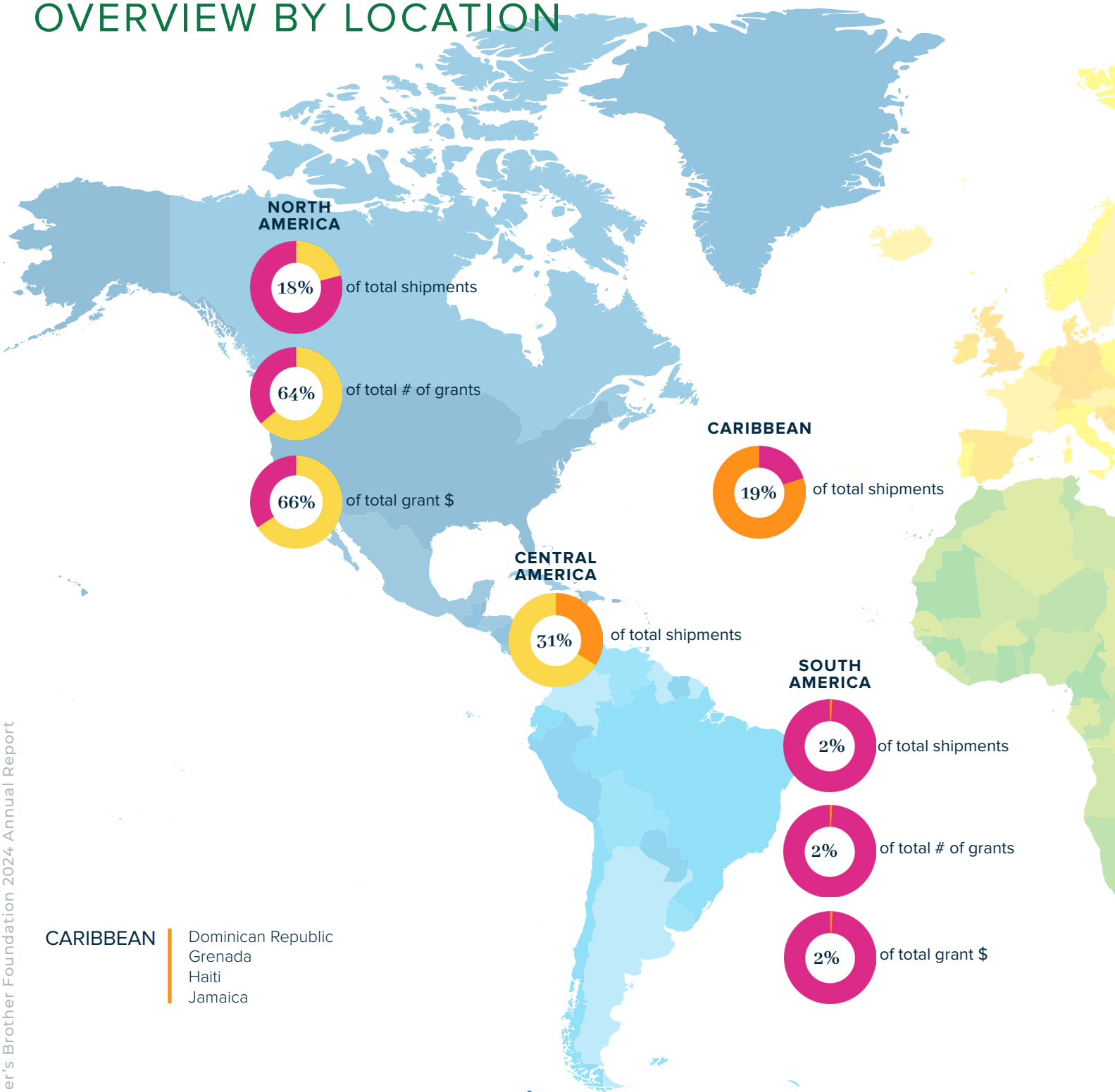
$189M+
TOTAL IMPACT





H.I.D.E.

OVERVIEW BY LOCATION



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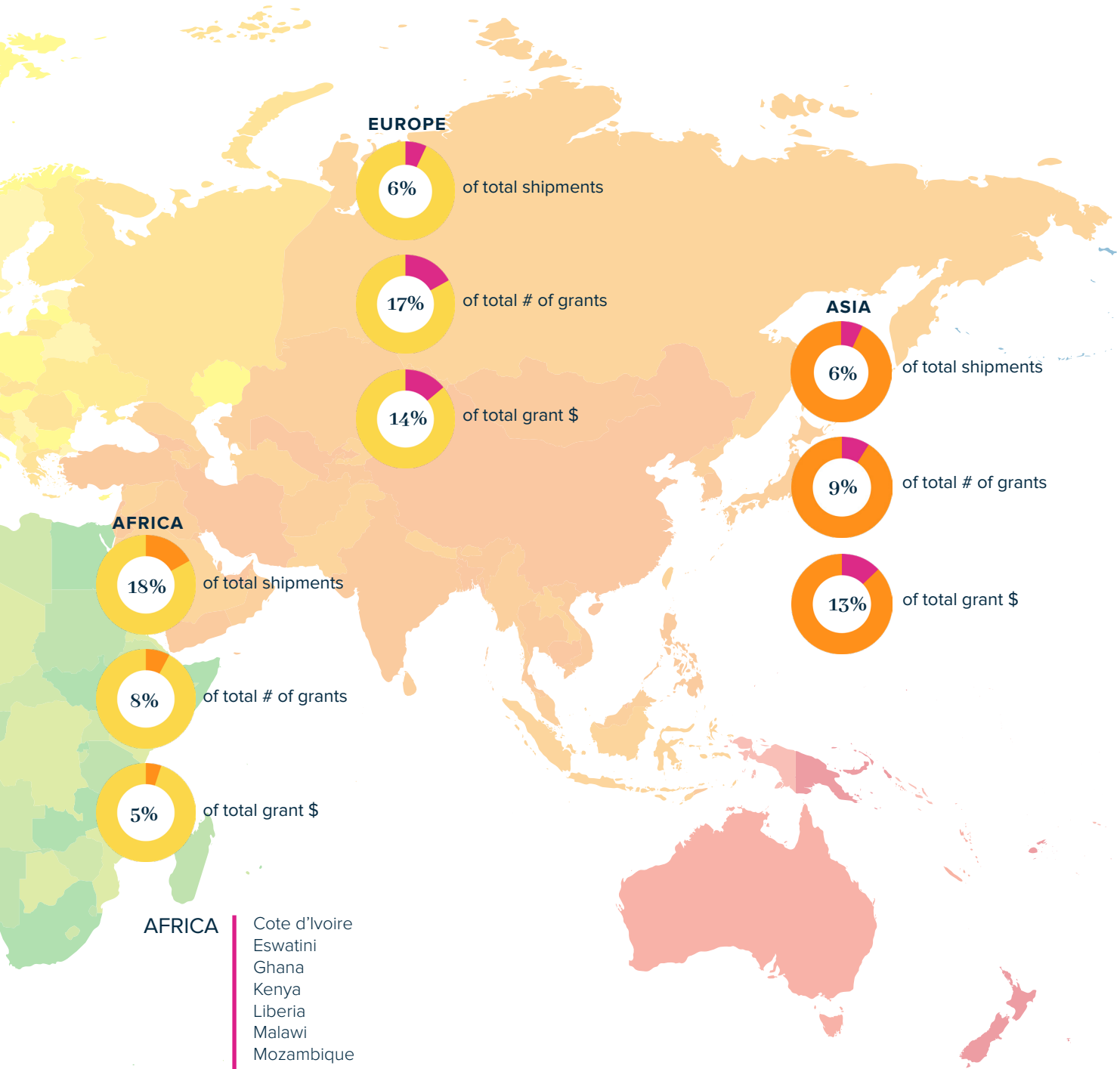

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Sierra Leone
Tanzania
Uganda
Zambia
Zimbabwe

EUROPE

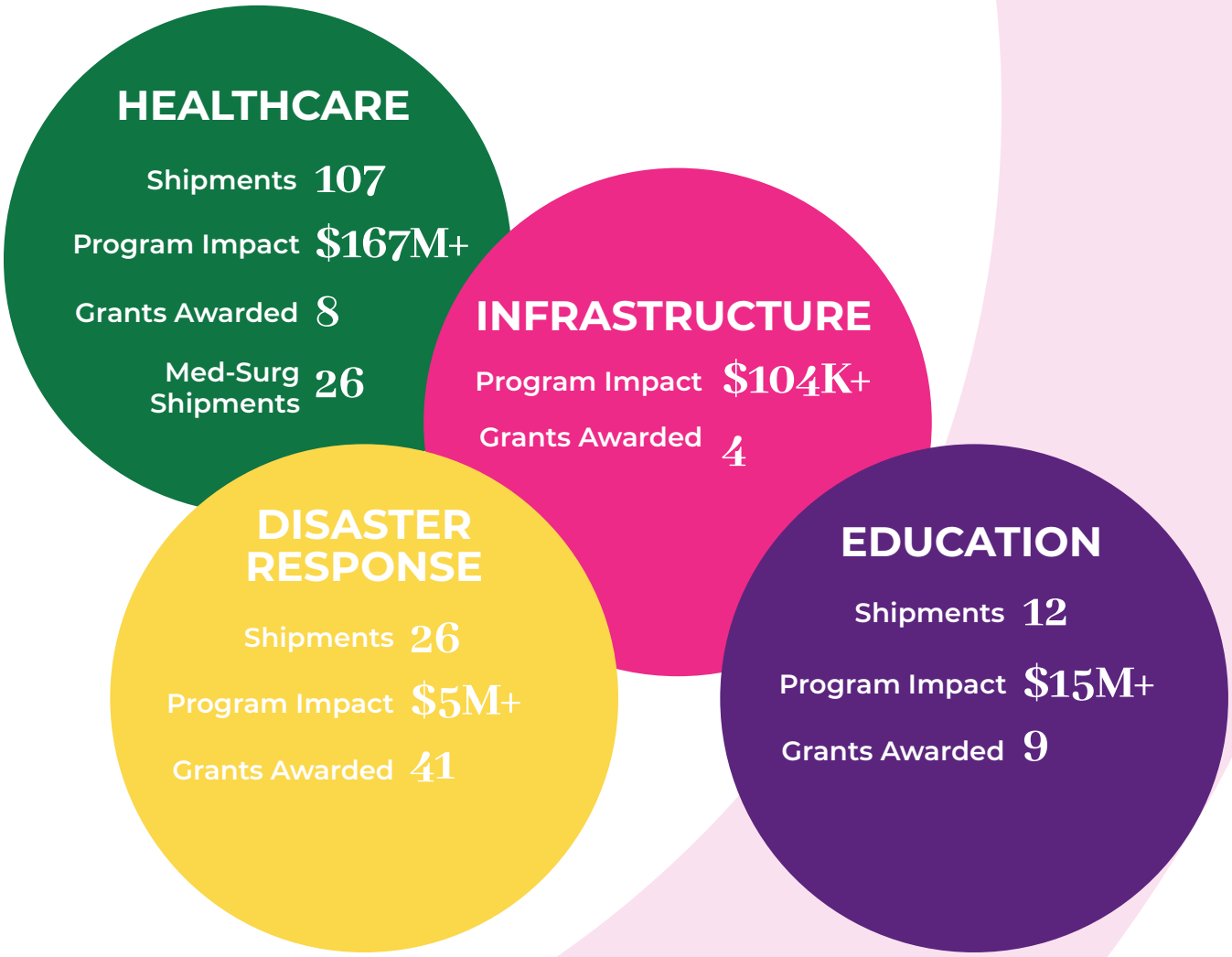
Ukraine

ASIA

India
Israel
Nepal
Pakistan
Philippines
Turkey

2024 PROGRAM OVERVIEW

In 2024, BBF supported communities in 35 countries through the delivery of essential medical supplies, pharmaceuticals, educational materials, and humanitarian aid. A total of 171 shipments were sent across all programs, and more than $1.3 million was provided in grants and program support. BBF also responded to 15 major disasters—including hurricanes, tornadoes, earthquakes, and wildfires—sending 26 shipments of more than $5 million in relief supplies.





HEALTHCARE



$167+
MILLION
Impact in Healthcare Programs

The Healthcare Program is composed of three complementary areas.



Pharmaceutical Donations

The pharmaceutical program dates to 1972 when BBF began shipping pharmaceutical products to partners around the world. We receive medicine from manufacturers, wholesalers, and suppliers, which we donate to a network of partners in developing countries. Patients receive the medications through local hospitals, health systems, clinics, and health centers in Latin America, the Caribbean, Sub-Saharan Africa, and Asia.

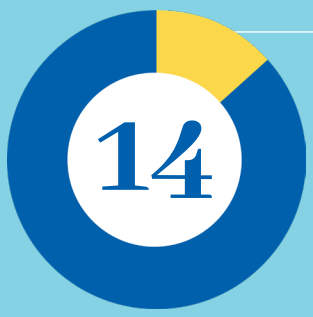
Medical Equipment and Supplies

BBF collects medical equipment and supplies from hospitals and other donors. We ship these items, along with pharmaceuticals, to medical facilities around the globe.

Med-Surg Trips

BBF provides pharmaceuticals to physician-led teams who travel internationally and provide medical care to underserved populations. BBF provided 26 Med Surg trips with pharmaceuticals and supplies in 2024. These trips represented medicine and healthcare services to 16 countries, including Nigeria, Ghana, Liberia, Ethiopia, Jamaica, Honduras, El Salvador, Dominican Republic, and Peru.

107 Healthcare Shipments



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Sierra Leone
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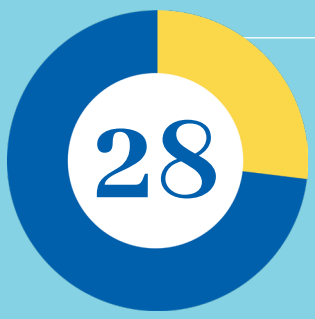

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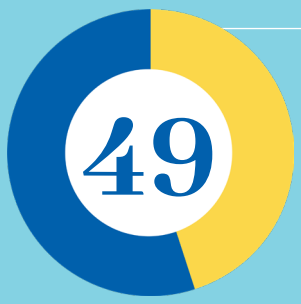

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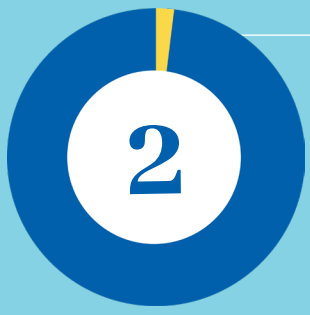
Honduras
El Salvador



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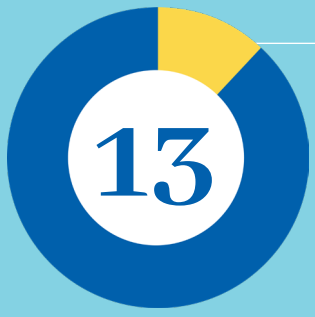

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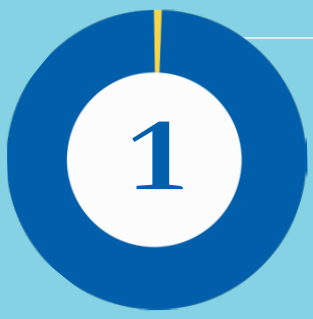

SOUTH AMERICA

Peru

Blossoming Beyond



BBF's Blossoming Beyond Breast Cancer Fund focuses on two key areas of survivorship: access to mental health and improved early detection through imaging. Through grants to partners in the U.S. and Vietnam, BBF helped address the emotional and diagnostic challenges many breast cancer patients continue to face after diagnosis and treatment.

In 2024, BBF awarded two grants to Keepers of the Flame Foundation (KotF) in Georgia. Breast cancer survivors were able to access therapy sessions at low or no cost. By the end of the year, the program had delivered more than 50 hours of counseling, helping participants process trauma and navigate uncertainty after treatment.

The fund also supported an international initiative in partnership with RAD-AID to improve radiology services in southern Vietnam. At University Medical Center (UMC) in Ho Chi Minh City—one of the country's largest referral hospitals—RAD-AID provided training and support to address gaps in mammography capacity. RAD-AID staff conducted on-site lectures and assessments with radiologists and technologists at UMC and three additional hospitals.

Mobile Health Clinic Program



In 2024, BBF expanded the Mobile Health Clinic Program with the launch of a fourth mobile health clinic. The new van was donated to Allegheny Health Network (AHN) in Pittsburgh. The van is used to provide primary care services to individuals throughout Western Pennsylvania who face financial or geographic barriers to accessing healthcare. AHN began operating regular clinics in June, providing student physicals, helping identify underlying health concerns while supporting access to care for youth and families.

BBF's Mobile Health Clinic Program was first launched in 2022 in response to unmet eye care needs in Pittsburgh. Since then, the program has expanded to address broader health challenges, including primary care, vision and diabetes screening, and chronic disease management. As of 2024, BBF has donated four mobile clinics to local healthcare providers in Pennsylvania, Florida, and Kentucky. These mobile clinics serve as an important point of access to care in underserved communities, improving health outcomes and helping connect patients to ongoing support services.

Hôpital Albert Schweitzer, Haiti

Hôpital Albert Schweitzer Haiti (HAS) serves as a vital healthcare provider in the Artibonite region of Haiti. In 2024, HAS operated under extreme pressure due to the deteriorating security situation in Haiti. Growing gang violence, political instability, and widespread economic hardship disrupted healthcare across the country. Dangerous road conditions limited patient access and delayed the arrival of medical supplies, while the suspension of flights from the U.S. further strained the hospital's supply chain.

BBF sent a 40-foot container of medical equipment to HAS. The shipment included manual hospital beds, exam tables, crutches, canes, and wheelchairs. The beds addressed a critical gap in the hospital's pediatric malnutrition ward, where durable, comfortable beds support both treatment and recovery. HAS reported that the manual beds improved patient flow and allowed more individuals to be cared for in appropriate settings. Additional mobility aids, such as wheelchairs and crutches, also helped meet day-to-day needs, expanding the hospital's capacity to serve patients with dignity and efficiency during a time of national crisis.

> "We extend our deepest gratitude to Brother's Brother Foundation. Your donations have made a tangible difference in our ability to provide high-quality medical care despite the hardships we face. We look forward to continuing our partnership and working together to build a healthier, more resilient future for Haiti.
>
> - Hopital Albert Schweitzer

Ponce Medical School Foundation, Puerto Rico



Nearly half of the 200,000 residents in Ponce, Puerto Rico live below the poverty line. BBF provided a grant to Ponce Medical School Foundation to help fund their mobile health clinic, Clínica del Sur. The mobile clinic has addressed ongoing healthcare challenges made worse by natural disasters and a shortage of medical professionals.

Over the course of the year, Clínica del Sur hosted 20 community health clinics and reached more than 1,300 individuals. Services included cancer screenings, dental exams, mental health evaluations, and chronic disease education. The program also provided training opportunities for medical students from Ponce Health Sciences University, helping build the next generation of healthcare professionals committed to serving Puerto Rico's most vulnerable communities.

Vincent Obioma Ohaju Memorial (VOOM) Foundation, Nigeria



The Vincent Obioma Ohaju Memorial (VOOM) Foundation is a nonprofit organization that brings a team of cardiothoracic surgeons to Nigeria biannually to perform heart surgeries at no cost to patients. The foundation was formed as a way to address the financial and educational barriers that prevent tens of thousands of Nigerians each year from receiving the open-heart surgeries they need to survive.

With BBF's support, VOOM funded four open-heart surgeries for indigent patients in 2024. Among them was Vincent, a 12-year-old boy who previously received a mitral valve replacement through VOOM's program. During the fall mission, Vincent returned for his two-year post-operative appointment and was reported to be in good health.

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TOTAL SHIPMENTS	MED-SURG TRIPS/ SHIPMENTS	PHARMACEUTICAL DOSES DONATED	GRANTS AWARDED



Cross Catholic Outreach, Caribbean and Central America

In 2024, BBF sent 21 shipments of essential medicines, durable medical equipment, and health supplies to longtime partner Cross Catholic Outreach (CCO). Shipments supported hospitals, clinics, and medical outreach programs in El Salvador, Honduras, Guatemala, and the Dominican Republic.

In regions with high rates of chronic illness and limited access to medication, BBF's donations played a vital role in supporting patients living with conditions such as asthma, epilepsy, hypertension, and diabetes. Equipment including walkers, mobility carts, canes, and crutches also helped improve quality of life for individuals with mobility limitations, enabling greater independence and freedom in daily activities.

Fundacion Una Mano Amiga, El Salvador

José Amaya lost the use of his legs more than two decades ago in a car accident and has since faced extreme physical and logistical challenges getting around his community. Until recently, he relied on a pair of mismatched crutches and often crawled to navigate his home and reach his cornfields. With the delivery of a hand-powered mobility cart provided through one of BBF's shipments, José now has a reliable and dignified way to move independently on the unpaved roads near his home.

The Pearl Association, Honduras

Policlinico Santa Rita is the primary healthcare facility for Santa Rita and seven surrounding towns in Yoro, Honduras. The clinic serves approximately 150 patients each day, most with chronic conditions and limited ability to pay for care. BBF provided a shipment of essential medicines during a period when the clinic's supply was critically low. The donation included broad-spectrum antibiotics and stomach medications that are otherwise unaffordable or unavailable to the community. This support helped ensure that patients received the treatment they needed at no cost.

Friends for Health and Life Association, Guatemala

The San Cristobal Clinic in Totonicapán serves more than 1,300 patients each year. Most patients speak K'iche', and language barriers have made access to care difficult. BBF supported the clinic by sending over 4,000 bottles of medication to treat high blood pressure and other cardiovascular conditions. These medicines addressed a critical need in a region where hypertension is a leading cause of death.

Food for the Poor, Caribbean and Central America

Hôpital de l'OFATMA, Haiti

In 2024, BBF continued our longstanding partnership with Food For The Poor by providing 50 shipments of essential pharmaceuticals, medical supplies, and equipment to communities facing severe hardship. These efforts were especially critical in Haiti, where the ongoing political crisis, violence, and instability have disrupted the country's fragile healthcare infrastructure.

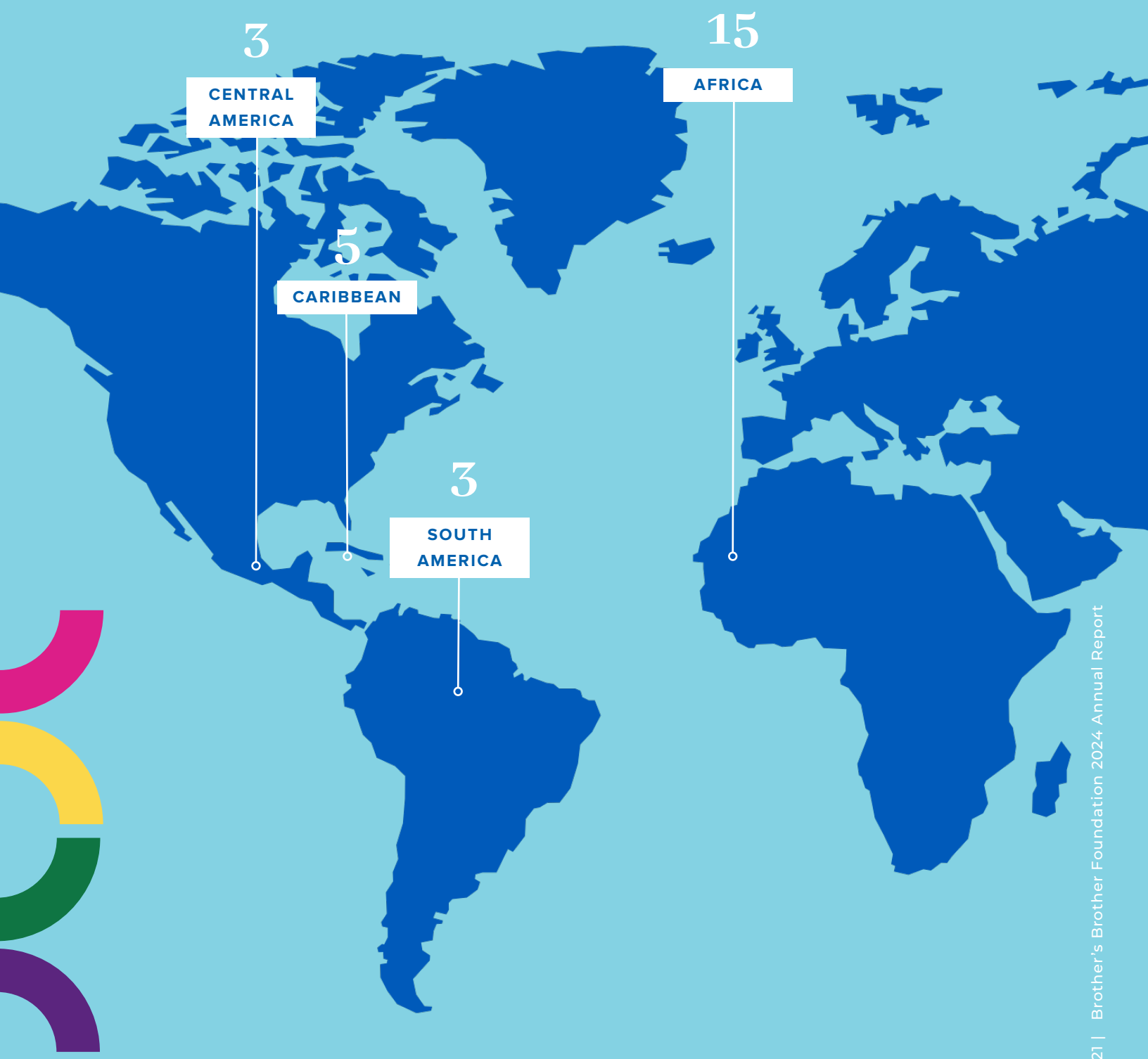
Hôpital de l'OFATMA in Port-au-Prince is a key public hospital serving the general population of Haiti's capital. The hospital provides emergency and diagnostic services and includes two surgical suites and a maternity unit. In recent years, OFATMA has faced severe supply chain disruptions that limit its ability to provide safe and effective care. In particular, infection control remains a major concern due to the lack of basic protective equipment, such as isolation gowns and shoe covers.

To address these shortages, BBF sent a shipment of pharmaceuticals and medical supplies, along with nearly 300 shoe covers and more than 5,000 isolation gowns. These resources allowed staff to provide safe, hygienic care amid challenging circumstances.

The shipment strengthened the hospital's capacity and also reached vulnerable individuals whose lives were transformed by access to essential resources. One such individual, Eric, a 22-year-old orphan, arrived at OFATMA after suffering a critical stab wound. During surgery, Eric went into cardiac arrest caused by bradycardia, an abnormally slow heart rate. Thanks to the availability of the intravenous medication atropine—provided through BBF's shipment—the medical team was able to stabilize him and save his life.

> "The items received in this container have helped to improve healthcare access in the medical facilities and enhance the lives of the Haitian people," said Valentine Guirand, Food For The Poor's in-country partner representative. "These donations have been invaluable to us."

26 Med-Surg Trips



INFRASTRUCTURE



In 2024, BBF participated in infrastructure projects in five countries and territories.

The Infrastructure Program invests in solar power and WASH (water, sanitation, and hygiene).



Solar

Since early 2015, BBF has provided grants to help local partners install solar panel systems. The program was initiated in Liberia and has since expanded to Puerto Rico, Ghana, and India.

WASH

The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals highlight WASH as an international public health priority. BBF provides grants to install water and sanitation stations in developing countries, which include toilets, plumbing, hand washing stations, rainwater harvesting, and water filtration systems.

Life for Relief and Development, Gaza

BBF partnered with LIFE for Relief and Development to install 10 latrines in Rafah and Deir al-Balah, providing private, designated restroom facilities for 1,000 displaced individuals in Gaza. With nearly 2 million people displaced, many were living in overcrowded tent encampments where access to sanitation was limited. In some areas, individuals had to walk up to 20 minutes to reach a latrine and wait in line for an hour or more. The lack of adequate facilities contributed to outbreaks of diseases including Hepatitis A.



The latrine installation was one of several projects BBF and LIFE completed together during the year. Other joint efforts included distributing food to more than 2,000 people in Rafah and middle Gaza, and providing tents to 70 individuals in Khan Yunis. “Providing a tent or the minimum requirements of humanity, such as the ability to use toilets or even provision of meals that save the starving from death, means saving lives,” said Omar Elridi, Gaza emergency programs manager for LIFE.

Nyadire Connection, Zimbabwe



BBF provided a grant to The Nyadire Connection to support the in-country purchase of materials for the Girl Empowerment Pad (GEP) Program in Zimbabwe. The GEP program helps girls stay in school by equipping them with reusable sanitary supplies and the skills to make their own.

Founded in 2011, the GEP program addresses a key barrier to education—school absenteeism due to lack of access to menstrual hygiene products. In addition to helping girls manage their menstrual health, the program teaches tailoring skills and provides age-appropriate health and hygiene education. BBF’s grant ensured that locally sourced materials could be used to sustain and grow this long-running, community-driven initiative.

Hope for Ghana, Ghana

BBF partnered with Hope for Ghana to fund a 10kW solar power system for a new school in the village of Klokpe. Prior to construction, students were learning in makeshift conditions—some under a tree or in temporary shelters. The new 12-classroom facility serves students from kindergarten through 9th grade and includes a library, computer lab, staff room and bathrooms. BBF's grant funded a borehole and reverse osmosis system to provide clean drinking water, as well as a 10kW solar array that now powers 100 percent of the school's electricity needs.

The solar system supplies energy for the school's lights, fans, computers, and water system, making it fully independent from the national power grid. With a reliable source of electricity, the school remains open into the evening and gives students and their families a safe place to study and read after dark.

$104K PROGRAM IMPACT

4 GRANTS AWARDED

5 COUNTRIES & TERRITORIES

Pickering Energy Solutions, Liberia

BBF partnered with Pickering Energy Solutions to bring sustainable solar energy to healthcare facilities in Liberia. A team of six electricians and two nurses traveled to Bong County to upgrade the wiring at Phebe Hospital and plan future solar projects at clinics across the region. Solar power systems were installed or improved at six clinics, a new system was added at Gbarna Outpatient Clinic, and maintenance work was completed at Zwedru Community College. In addition, damaged power inverters were replaced at both Phebe and Curran Hospitals to keep systems running reliably.

The team also began testing new lithium batteries that last longer and work more efficiently than traditional models. Plans are in motion to begin making these batteries locally in Liberia, which will help create jobs while supporting long-term energy solutions. Switching to solar power has both environmental and financial benefits—each upgraded system helps reduce carbon emissions and saves money for the healthcare system.

> “Thank you so much for supporting our ongoing solar program. I am truly honored to be partnering with you as we improve the quality of healthcare and lives in Liberia.
>
> -Chip Pickering, President of Pickering Energy Solutions

Solar Village Project, India

Vivekananda Tribal Residential School, Kerala

BBF provided a grant to Solar Village Project to install three solar power systems with battery backup at the Vivekananda Tribal Residential School in Kerala, India. The school serves 108 students and 27 staff and provides both education and housing. Located in a remote area with an unreliable connection to the electric grid, the campus frequently experiences power outages that disrupt learning and daily life.

The project funded the installation of three 1 kW solar systems—one each for the main school building, the boys’ hostel, and the girls’ hostel. The new systems ensure access to continuous electricity across the campus, improving living conditions and supporting the school’s efforts to educate additional children affected by recent landslides in the region.





$104,800

Infrastructure Impact

DISASTER RESPONSE



$5+ MILLION

Impact in Disaster Response Programs

In the Disaster Response Program, BBF works directly with local partners to provide medical and humanitarian support in areas impacted by natural disasters and conflict.



BBF has responded to disasters and humanitarian crises for many decades. We work hand-in-hand with first responders and relief agencies to provide ongoing support. We source and stage resources, create partnerships with transportation networks, provide grants, and coordinate with a variety of organizations such as Voluntary Organizations in Disaster (VOADs), Ministries of Health, hospitals, NGOs, and other medical facilities. BBF's support extends beyond medical care to address humanitarian needs such as refugee sustenance and shelter.

In 2024, BBF responded to 15 major disasters, including hurricanes, tornadoes, earthquakes and wildfires. Our disaster response efforts included 26 shipments and provided $5 million in relief supplies and funds. These disasters included Cyclone Michaung in India, flooding in Puerto Rico, landslides in Nepal, the war in Ukraine, wildfires in California, Hurricanes Debby, Milton and Helene, and tornadoes in Kentucky, Tennessee, Arkansas, and Iowa.

Solar Village Project, Cyclone Michaung, India

In December 2023, Cyclone Michaung brought heavy rains and powerful winds to India's southeastern coast. Widespread flooding caused rivers and lakes to overflow, and submerged low-lying neighborhoods. Over 41,000 people were evacuated and power supplies were cut in flooded zones. The cyclone highlighted the vulnerability of critical infrastructure, particularly access to safe drinking water in affected communities.

In response, BBF funded the installation of a solar-powered water filtration system at the Velappanchavadi Government School in Chennai. The school, which also serves as an emergency shelter during disasters, previously lacked reliable access to clean water. The new system included a solar array, borewell pump, 1,000-liter-per-hour filtration unit, and elevated storage tank. The project has provided safe drinking water to the school's 400 students and more than 12,000 residents in the surrounding area. The availability of clean water helps reduce the risk of waterborne illness and supports public health year-round.

Food Banks, Spring Tornadoes, Arkansas, Iowa, Kentucky, Oklahoma, Texas

In the spring of 2024, a powerful wave of tornadoes swept across Arkansas, Iowa, Kentucky, Oklahoma, and Texas, causing widespread destruction and displacing thousands of residents. The storms brought high winds, flash flooding, and significant damage to homes, schools, and local infrastructure. Communities across the region faced an urgent need for basic necessities like food and clean water.

BBF provided grants to five regional food banks working on the front lines of relief and recovery. These included the Food Bank of Iowa (Iowa), Food Bank of Eastern Oklahoma (Oklahoma), Feeding America: Kentucky's Heartland (Kentucky), Tarrant Area Food Bank (Texas), and Northwest Arkansas Food Bank (Arkansas). Each organization used the funding to expand emergency food distribution, support mobile pantries, and ensure that families affected by the tornadoes had reliable access to meals.

With BBF's support, the Northwest Arkansas Food Bank was able to conduct 60 mobile pantry distributions, serve 21,274 individuals, and provide food to 7,228 households, totaling 245,177 pounds of relief products between May and November. Their downtown Feed Rogers pantry, which had been damaged in the storms, successfully reopened in November.

> "The generosity of partners like Brother's Brother Foundation allowed us to meet this urgent need, ensuring that families had access to the resources they needed to begin rebuilding their lives. Together, we proved that our community is stronger when we come together in times of crisis."
>
> — Northwest Arkansas Food Bank

26 Disaster Response Shipments



HURRICANE HELENE



PUERTO RICO HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS



HURRICANE MILTON



UKRAINE WAR



HAITI CRISIS



PITTSBURGH LOCAL DISTRIBUTION

Ukraine War

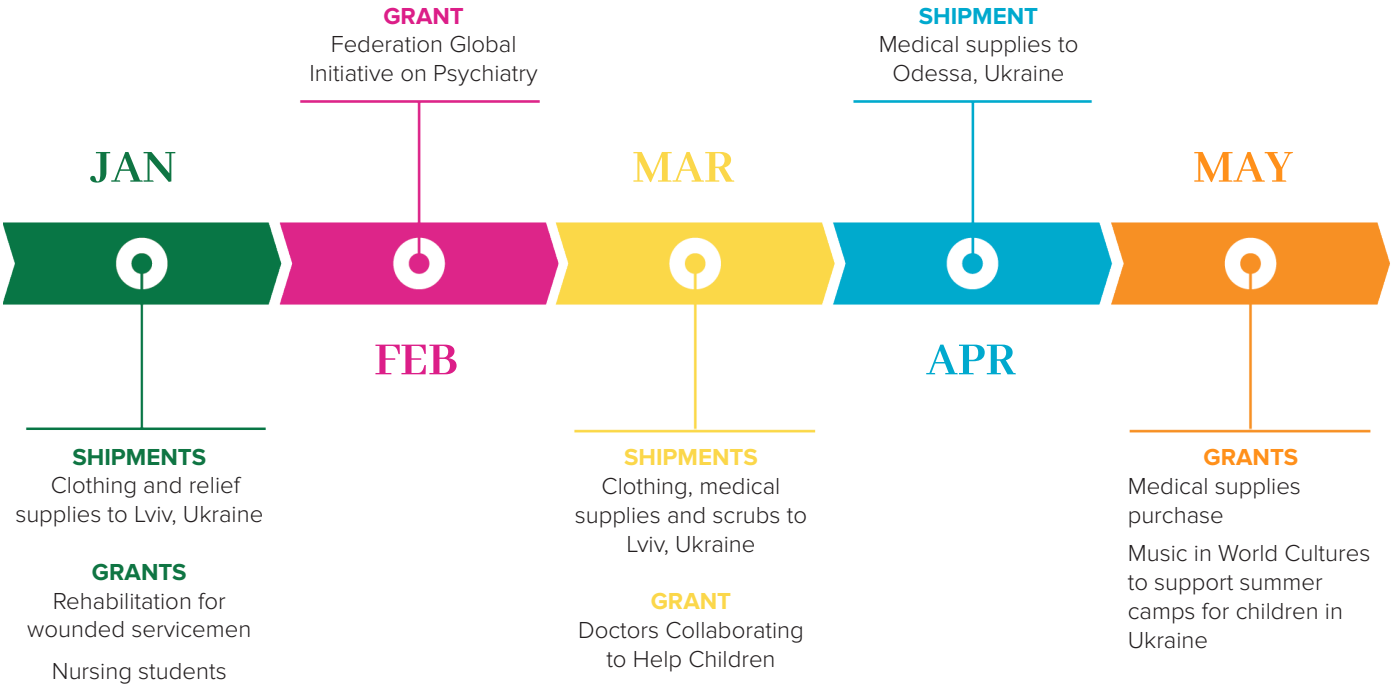
BBF's response to the war in Ukraine has continued into its third year, evolving to meet the country's changing needs. In 2024, BBF coordinated 10 shipments of medical and humanitarian supplies and provided six grants to support mental health care, emergency food distribution, and critical infrastructure. These efforts addressed both immediate needs and longer-term recovery priorities, and included support for hospitals, displaced families, and children affected by the war.

Ukraine Neurology Fund

BBF has worked closely with physicians in the United States and Ukraine to support those suffering from neurological illness in Ukraine. There are approximately 250,000 people living with epilepsy in Ukraine, 40,000 of those are under 15 years old. During the war, many lost access to therapeutic medications, which can have life threatening complications. BBF has been supplying critical medications to treat epilepsy and other neurological conditions to children and adults in Ukraine. We ship medications directly to trusted neurologists on the ground, which are then distributed to hospitals and directly into the hands of patients at home. In addition, we supply medical equipment such as EEG, ultrasound, and neurorehabilitation machinery to Ukrainian hospitals and rehabilitation centers around the country.

Operation Renew Prosthetics

Operation Renew Prosthetics (ORP) is a program run by Medical Center Orthotics and Prosthetics (MCOP) to provide prosthetics for Ukrainian soldier amputees injured in the ongoing war in Ukraine. The program operates out of MCOP's US offices and through its European facility in Malta. It provides prosthetics and rehabilitation services for wounded soldiers, with rehabilitation services being provided by the Adventist Healthcare System. Two other partners, Future for Ukraine (FFU) and Revived Soldiers Ukraine (RSU), assist with transporting, housing, and feeding the soldiers and their traveling companions.



Doctors Collaborating to Help Children



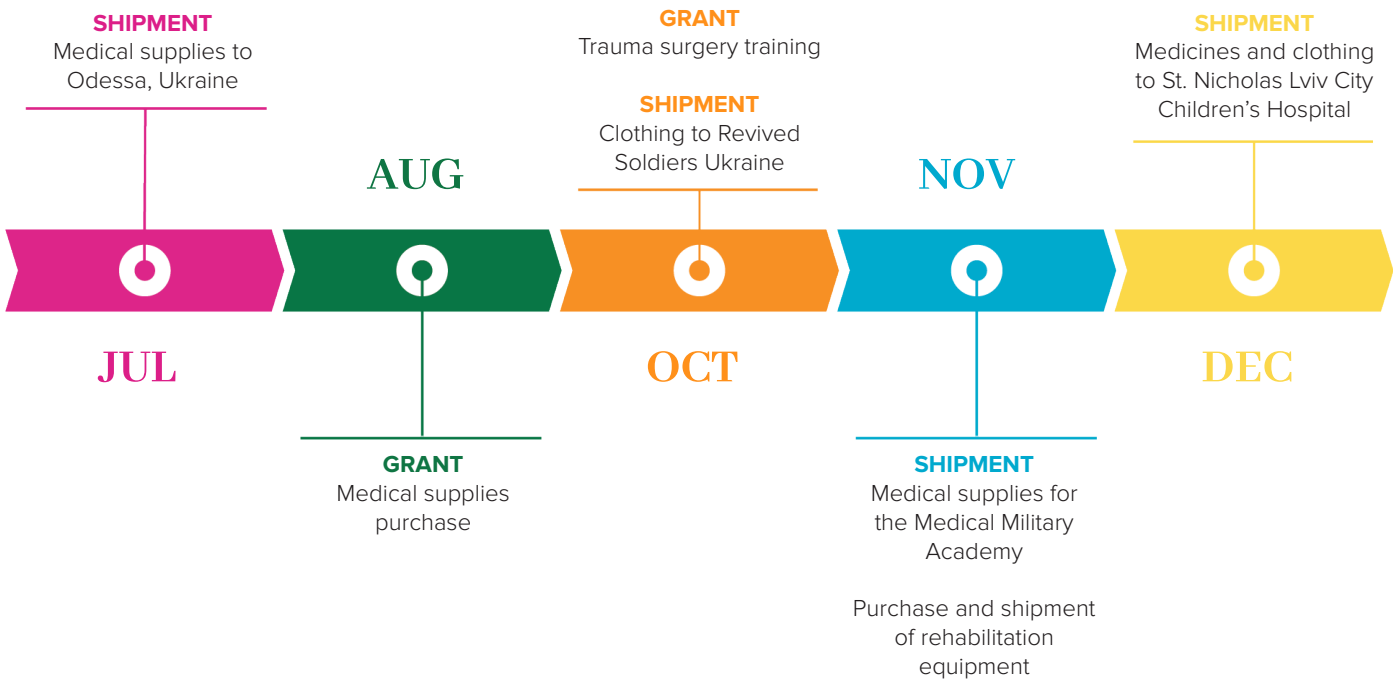
BBF provided a grant to Doctors Collaborating to Help Children (DCTHC) to support mental health services for Ukrainian families displaced by war. The program delivered trauma-informed care to three families temporarily living in Boston while their children received critical medical treatment at Shriners Children's Hospital. BBF's grant supported mental health evaluations for six patients and ten counseling sessions per individual, helping them cope with trauma and regain a sense of emotional stability during an extraordinarily difficult time.

DCTHC has long worked to ensure children injured in conflict zones receive the care they need. Since the war in Ukraine began, the organization has brought severely injured children to Boston for treatment, supported access to prosthetics, and performed surgeries on wounded pediatric patients both in the U.S. and abroad.

Federation Global Initiative on Psychiatry

BBF provided a grant to the Federation Global Initiative on Psychiatry to support a three-day conference in Kaunas, Lithuania, focused on the mental health needs of Ukrainian war veterans. The event brought together more than 100 veterans and mental health professionals to explore trauma recovery strategies in low-resource settings. BBF has previously supported FGIP's efforts by funding a mental health crisis center in Lithuania and providing generators and headlamps to Ukrainian clinics affected by power outages.

> "The Brother's Brother Foundation has been a key supporter of our work since the invasion, understanding that extreme situations need an immediate response. BBF has been there all along and made it all happen." Robert van Voren, chief executive of FGIP



Himalayan Health Care, Landslides, Nepal



In November 2023, a 6.4-magnitude earthquake struck Jajarkot, Nepal, killing more than 150 people and damaging or destroying over 50,000 structures. In response, BBF provided a grant to Himalayan Health Care (HHC) to deliver emergency relief supplies requested by the Ruby Valley Rural Municipality. The grant funded the distribution of 50 family-size tents with waterproof ground sheets, 150 tarps, 150 blankets, solar lamps, mats, and utensils to families, schools, and local health facilities affected by the disaster.

The relief effort provided critical shelter to 179 displaced individuals. The tents also enabled 2,500 students to resume classes across 15 schools, serving as temporary classrooms and offices for teachers. Two tents were used to set up temporary clinics, allowing health posts to continue treating patients in remote villages.

Second Harvest of the Big Bend, Hurricane Debby, Florida

Hurricane Debby was a slow-moving and destructive storm that caused widespread flooding across the eastern United States in August 2024. In Florida, rainfall totals reached nearly 20 inches near Sarasota, leading to significant damage to homes, infrastructure, and essential services in multiple communities.



In response, BBF provided a grant to Second Harvest of the Big Bend Food Bank to support recovery efforts in the hardest-hit areas of Florida. The food bank distributed ice, water, ready-to-eat meals, dry goods, and fresh produce to individuals and families affected by the storm. BBF's grant helped Second Harvest meet the growing demand for food assistance as the region worked to recover in the weeks and months that followed.

> Because the donation arrived quickly, we were able to activate emergency food distributions within hours—reaching some of the most isolated and devastated communities in our service area. The grant helped us serve thousands of individuals and families, particularly in rural counties where food insecurity is already among the worst in Florida and local resources are limited.



Hurricanes Helene and Milton, Florida, Georgia, and North Carolina, USA



Hurricane Helene made landfall in Florida's Big Bend region as a Category 4 Hurricane. Catastrophic inland flooding, extreme winds, deadly storm surge, and numerous tornadoes devastated portions of the southeastern United States and southern Appalachians. Helene is responsible for at least 250 fatalities in the United States, and was the deadliest hurricane in the contiguous U.S. since Hurricane Katrina in 2005.

BBF immediately responded by sending three truckloads of relief shipments including bottled water, nutritional supplements, and hygiene kits, to Asheville, North Carolina; Macon, Georgia; and Tampa Bay, Florida. BBF provided financial assistance to seven food banks across North Carolina, Georgia, and Florida, along with ten Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) and free clinics located in communities heavily impacted by the disaster. As power outages persisted and temperatures dropped, BBF sent an additional three truckloads of generators to help families as they began recovery efforts.

In total, BBF provided nearly $1 million in grants, shipments, and donated supplies to support Hurricane Helene relief efforts. BBF provided $140,000 to food banks, $100,000 to FQHCs and free clinics, $195,000 to community associations and local nonprofits, and $25,000 to public school districts, and sent eleven shipments of critical supplies delivered to affected areas. BBF continued to support local community organizations leading recovery and rebuilding efforts across the storm-hit regions.

Golden Harvest Food Bank, Georgia



Golden Harvest Food Bank, which serves communities in Georgia and South Carolina, responded quickly to the surge in food and water needs caused by Hurricane Helene. Even before the storm, food insecurity in the region had reached a 15-year high. BBF provided a grant to Golden Harvest to support large-scale emergency food distributions and direct deliveries to the hardest-hit areas. In the weeks that followed, they distributed more than 915,000 meals and 1.8 million servings of water, helping families cope with an already challenging situation made worse by the disaster.

Second Harvest Food Bank of NWNC, North Carolina

In the immediate aftermath of Hurricane Helene, Second Harvest mobilized to support neighbors in western North Carolina and first responders. BBF's grant supported their efforts, including the distribution of emergency meal boxes in areas cut off from electricity and running water. As conditions evolved, Second Harvest expanded their response to include mobile food distributions, donations of equipment to replace what was damaged or destroyed, and shelf-stable food boxes for residents who lost homes and businesses.



Bounty and Soul, North Carolina

BBF provided a grant to Bounty & Soul in Black Mountain, NC, to support recovery efforts following Hurricane Helene. In the storm's aftermath, Bounty & Soul quickly adapted its operations to meet urgent needs and delivered 2,000 hot meals daily for three weeks to 19 of the hardest-hit neighborhoods, including Swannanoa, Black Mountain, Fairview, and Old Fort. Bounty & Soul worked with local restaurateurs and volunteer chefs, to use fresh, often local, ingredients to prepare meals, while also distributing household supplies and essential equipment to affected families.

Harry Chapin Food Bank, Florida



Harry Chapin Food Bank is the oldest food bank in Southwest Florida and decades of experience responding to hurricanes and other disasters. A grant from BBF supported the organization's immediate relief efforts following Hurricane Milton, including the rapid distribution of emergency food, ice, and water to families in the hardest-hit areas. This support helped ensure that community members had access to essential supplies during the critical first days after the storm.

EDUCATION



$15+
MILLION
Impact in
Education
Programs

The Education Program seeks to provide students in need with the tools to achieve their academic goals and develop into responsible members of society.



Books & Supplies

The Education Program began when publishers donated books to BBF to supply schools around the world. BBF's donors range from publishers such as McGraw Hill to local schools undergoing curriculum changes. Since then, we expanded the program to include a large variety of supplies such as computers, software, and sewing machines to meet the specific needs of our partners.

Facility Rehab and Enhancement

Overlapping with the Infrastructure Program, BBF works with local communities to rebuild and enhance educational buildings damaged by natural calamities. Installation projects include solar systems and sanitation stations.

Educational Training

In 2021, BBF began providing grants to support the development of local education and vocational programs.

ChildFund International, Honduras and Children International in Philippines

BBF partnered with McGraw Hill to deliver over 120,000 textbooks and vocabulary cards to schools in the Philippines and Honduras. The materials were distributed by ChildFund International and Children International to schools serving students from kindergarten through ninth grade. The donation was valued at more than $15 million, and it supported classroom learning and provided students and teachers with up-to-date educational resources.

BBF's long-standing partnership with McGraw Hill spans more than 15 years and has provided over $344 million in educational materials to underserved communities in 47 countries. This program helps address critical shortages of quality textbooks in schools and supports student success by expanding access to essential learning tools.

The Education Partnership, Pittsburgh PA



BBF provided a grant to sponsor West Liberty Elementary School through The Education Partnership's Adopt-A-School program. Located in Pittsburgh's Brookline neighborhood, the school serves students from pre-K through fifth grade. The grant ensured that every student received essential school supplies, helping to remove barriers to learning for children from economically disadvantaged households.

Students received "Power Tools Homework Kits" filled with grade-appropriate items such as markers, glue, notebooks, and pencils. These kits are designed to equip students with the basic tools they need to fully engage in their schoolwork, both in the classroom and at home. BBF has supported West Liberty Elementary through this program since 2022.

Turkish Education Foundation, Turkey

BBF provided a grant to the Turkish Education Foundation to fund scholarships for high school and university students in the Karaeli district of Hatay, one of the areas hardest hit by the February 2023 earthquakes. The funding helped students continue their education despite the significant disruptions caused by the disaster, ensuring access to academic opportunities during a period of recovery and rebuilding.



EDUCATION

BY THE NUMBERS

12

TOTAL SHIPMENTS

6

COUNTRIES SERVED

$15M+

TOTAL IMPACT

Music in World Cultures, Ukraine

BBF provided a grant to Music in World Cultures (MWC) to support five summer music camps at four locations across Ukraine. The camps offered hundreds of children a safe space to sing, play instruments, and process the trauma they've experienced since the start of the war. Through music and creative expression, the children were able to reconnect and regain confidence after years of disruption and insecurity. MWC reported that many participants showed noticeable changes in just a few days—they were more open, expressive, and connected with their peers.

Hope for Ghana, Ghana



BBF partnered with Hope for Ghana to fund a new library and computer lab in the village of Wlitey. The facility includes six computers preloaded with educational software, as well as textbooks and storybooks for students. These resources provide students with access to learning tools that were previously out of reach. The new library and lab are helping students in Wlitey build foundational skills and expand their educational opportunities.

St Andrews School, Malawi

St. Andrew's Mission Secondary School is one of Malawi's top-performing schools and is known for exceptional academic outcomes - boasting a 100% pass rate on Malawi's national college entrance exam. The school was originally designed to serve 200 students, but now operates well beyond capacity. Dormitories are so overcrowded that students are forced to live in hallways.

The Eden Hall Foundation funded construction of a new secondary school campus to ease overcrowding. The facilities will open in 2025 and offer housing and classrooms for students. Plans include a dormitory, restrooms, four classrooms, a biology lab, and a computer lab. BBF is managing the funds and overseeing construction with a local builder in Mulanje.



VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

BBF's Hygiene Kit Program plays a critical role in our disaster response efforts, providing individuals and families with essential personal care items during times of crisis. Each kit contains items such as soap, shampoo, toothpaste, and deodorant, supplies that help protect health and restore dignity following a disaster.

Throughout the year, volunteers assemble hygiene kits at BBF's Pittsburgh facility, ensuring we maintain a ready supply for rapid deployment. In 2024, volunteer groups gathered on a weekly basis, including representatives from Amazon, FedEx, BNY Mellon, Dollar Bank, Pitt Football, Allied Community Health, local church groups, and students from area schools. In addition, individual volunteers and small community groups contributed their time to this effort. Their collective work made it possible for BBF to ship 6,353 hygiene kits to communities in need across the United States and Puerto Rico.

6K+
HYGIENE KITS
Assembled by volunteers

Condensed Statement of Activities and Change in Net Assets

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024

REVENUE AND PUBLIC SUPPORT	
Donated Materials and Supplies	$162,924,184
Individuals	3,442,686
Foundations	1,397,206
Program Service Fees	438,283
Corporate and other Organizations	145,677
Subtotal	**$168,348,036**
Investment (Loss) Income	61,174
Rental Income	3,350
Special Events Revenue	192,551
Total Revenue and Public Support	**$168,605,111**
Revenue By Program:	
Healthcare	147,863,456
Infrastructure	45,059
Disaster Response	1,964,234
Education	15,984,062
General Operating	2,748,300
FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES	
Program Services:	**$192,460,537**
Healthcare	171,109,783
Infrastructure	213,832
Disaster Response	5,062,666
Education	16,074,256
Support Services	
Management and General	975,592
Fundraising	676,228
Total Functional Expense	**$194,112,357**
Net Assets:	
Beginning of Year	$49,246,829
End of Year	23,739,583

Condensed Statement of Financial Position

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024

Assets:	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	$4,029,134
Accounts Receivable	256,032
Investments	260,073
Inventory	16,796,420
Prepaid Expenses	51,996
Property and Equipment, Net	2,593,666
Total Assets	**$23,987,321**
Liabilities	
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	$247,738
Total Liabilities	**$247,738**
Net Assets	
Without Donor Restrictions	$21,635,080
With Donor Restrictions	2,104,503
Total Net Assets	**$23,739,583**
Liabilities and Net Assets	**$23,987,321**

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