

- A non profit two story hospital designed for AIDS patients, pregnant women and infants and children.
- The building will have a total number of 28 rooms (up to 8 patient beds in each ward) as well as a laboratory, pre-natal ward, pediatric ward and two large surgery rooms.
- It will have the potential of serving a village of about 35,000 people, in a predominantly Muslim community whose access to quality healthcare is mostly non-existent.
- The clinic will provide jobs for 30-60 people.

*Below: the foundation was laid in June 2010 through a generous donation from one of our partners!*



The total cost of construction is approximately \$200,000. We are pleased to announce that a generous donor has covered the total cost of constructing the Clinic! The targeted date for completion is March 2012.

***We now need an additional \$200,000 to equip the clinic with hospital beds, surgical tools, and all medical supplies necessary for us to provide quality healthcare***



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## Why Build a Clinic?



- Nigeria suffers from extremely inadequate healthcare infrastructures. According to the World Health Organization, Nigeria's health system ranks 187 out of 190 countries.

- Although Nigeria is the most populous nation in Africa (1 in 5 Africans is a Nigerian) it is often ignored by Western donors. Nigeria receives about \$6 per person in development assistance while sub-Saharan Africa receives over \$20.

- The average life expectancy of Nigerians has dropped to 45 years of age.

- The majority of Nigerians cannot pay for healthcare. Nigeria is classified among the 20 poorest countries in the world despite its rich oil reserves, natural resources, agricultural potential and impressive human capital.

- Roughly 70% of Nigerians live below the poverty level of \$1.00 per day.

## Staggering Health Statistics

- One in five Nigerian children dies before the age of five, approximately one million every year.
- Nigeria has the second highest number of maternal deaths annually, behind only India. Every ten minutes at least one Nigerian woman dies in childbirth.



- Nigeria has the second largest HIV-infected population in the world. According to the World Health Organization, it also has the third highest level of unmet need for anti-retroviral therapy in the world.

- Nigeria has the largest number of AIDS orphans in sub-Saharan Africa, and there are more Nigerian children living with HIV than in any other country in Africa.

- Every 29 seconds a child dies of malaria in Africa. Although malaria is both easily preventable and treatable, 300,000 Nigerian children and 7,000 mothers die annually from this disease.

## Your Partnership Is Vital

**Will you join us in equipping this clinic that will help heal God's most hurting and vulnerable children?**

**Here is how you can be involved:**

- Become a **Gold Partner** with a gift of \$10,000 or higher: a gold plaque in your honor will be placed in the clinic entryway
- Become a **Silver Partner** with a gift of \$5,000 - \$9,999: a silver plaque in your honor will be placed in the clinic entryway
- Become a **Bronze Partner** with a gift of \$1,000 - \$4,999: a bronze plaque in your honor will be placed in the clinic entryway
- Become a **Life-changing Partner** with a gift in any amount!

