

I CARE

INTERNATIONAL, INC.

Because of the generosity of people like you, over 200,000 people have received vision examinations, prescription eyeglasses, and sunglasses. 4,000 have received hearing aids. 400 have undergone cataract surgery. Each year I Care volunteers see approximately 3,000 patients during their two to three annual missions. Your support now, and in the future, will continue to help those in need of these essential medical services both nationally and globally.



How you can help...

Become a member! Become a member of a dedicated team of volunteers working to spread the word about I Care in your community. As a member of I Care International you receive updates, news, and information on upcoming events!

Volunteer! I Care offers numerous opportunities to volunteer. We are always looking for dedicated volunteers to collect new and used eyeglasses and hearing aids, prepare glasses and equipment for mission trips, or help us out at fundraising events. You can even join us on a mission!

Make a donation! I Care accepts monetary donations to assist us on upcoming volunteer trips. Many supporters have requested memorials be made to I Care in lieu of flowers upon the passing of a loved one. We are also always looking for medical and computer equipment, and used hearing aids and eyeglasses to expand our outreach. Another special way to support I Care is to sponsor an optometry student to go on a mission trip.



Keep in touch..

For more information on donations and volunteering, please contact us at:

I Care International
880 Bedford Rd.
Morris, IL 60450
Phone: 815.942.8004

icareint@att.net
www.icareinternational.org

You can help us change people's lives for the better!

- Annual membership - \$30
- Family membership- \$60
- Scholarship- help sponsor an optometry student volunteer

- Help with fundraising, publicity or equipment donations
- Volunteer: please contact me about upcoming trips
- Personal Donation

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Phone: _____ **Fax:** _____

E-mail: _____

Please mail your reply card to:



880 Bedford Rd.
 Morris, IL 60450



I Care International, Inc. is a non-religious, non-political, non-discriminatory organization. Those from all walks of life are welcome to join, volunteer, or seek services. I Care's goal is to help others improve their quality of life by providing the gift of better vision and health. From the little boy who smiles because he can now see the clouds in the sky, to the elderly lady who cries because she can now sew and earn an income, I Care International is changing lives one by one.

I Care International grew from the experience and dreams of people dedicated to helping others. I Care International was formed by Dr. Philip Ortiz, the late Dr. Charles D. Cools, along with a group of volunteers as a nonprofit organization whose mission it was to provide eye care services to less fortunate men, women, and children around the world. Since then, vision professionals and scores of volunteers have ventured to sites in both Latin America and the United States to provide tens of thousands of people with free eye care, medications, and eyeglasses. Volunteers have served in Costa Rica, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Peru, Arizona, Florida, and Illinois. From time to time the organization has also been able to expand its services by providing hearing tests, hearing aids, and health screenings that coincide with its vision clinics.



I CARE
INTERNATIONAL, INC.

I CARE
INTERNATIONAL, INC.

880 Bedford Rd.
Morris, IL 60450