

TEXAS DE PERU

Medical Missions for the Peruvian Andes

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Texas de Peru was formed as a cooperative effort of the Texas Medical Community to leverage our collective strength, resources and expertise to improve healthcare in the High Andes of Peru. To that end we work with local leaders and volunteers to send medical missions, equipment, supplies, and expertise to Peru.



Since our first surgical mission in 2013, Texas de Peru has cared for over 700 patients, performed nearly 100 surgeries, and provided thousands of dollars in donated medical supplies and equipment to help the neediest in Peru. We serve as a bridge to more than 200 healthcare organizations in North Texas, representing over 40,000 medical professionals. We enjoy the support of a number of these leading health systems, whose donations, along with our other generous sponsors and contributors, go a long way. Additionally, we are directly connected the Kausay Wasi Clinic, a trusted friend where the poor can receive care without fear of being turned away.

Texas de Peru Supports Women's Health

Poverty rates in the highlands are more than double the national rate for Peru. Poverty rates are even higher among women. Andean women often grow the food and feed their families. Many of the women suffer years of painful ailments easily treated in the U.S. but impossible for the poor in the Andes. Our women's health focused missions treat hundreds of women during each of our week long gynecological campaigns and our surgical volunteers provide life-changing treatments that would otherwise not be available.



For information on volunteering or donating please go to www.texasdeperu.org



THE KAUSAY WASI CLINIC

25,000

The number of patients the Kausay Wasi Clinic treats each year.

38

The number of full time staff the Kausay Wasi Clinic employees. This includes 3 full time physicians.

9

The clinic has a highly regarded reputation and patients from as far as Bolivia (9 hours away) make pilgrimages to the clinic to heal their sick.

2000

The number of donated surgical procedures performed at the clinic.

High in the Andes in Coya, Peru, Kausay Wasi Clinic delivers quality healthcare to the poorest people in Southern Peru. The people of the area are primarily farmers, and there is a tremendous need for primary and specialized medical care.

To meet the demand and provide quality care, the Kausay Wasi Clinic (which means Healthy House in the indigenous language of Quechua) maintains a full time staff. The clinic has 5 exam rooms, 2 surgery theaters, 1 preoperative room, 1 ICU room, and a post op that can support 15 patients.

Additionally, the Kausay Wasi Clinic provides the only prosthetic limb facility in the region, providing limbs to thousands of people.



SPONSORSHIP

Organizations wishing to make special financial or in-kind contributions are appreciated.

Please contact us at info@texasdeperu.org

YOUR CONTRIBUTION

Along with expenses associated with transport, your contributions cover medical supplies and equipment, shipping and logistics, and basic operational and promotional expenses. Every tax-deductible dollar you donate will impact the delivery of care across the high Andes of Peru.

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