



Dr. Karen Calderón and colleagues of the Wampusirpi Health Network in Honduras



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Dorm bed surplus from Pittsburgh improving health in Honduras



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## Honduran Communities Go to Great Lengths for Equipped Health Posts

Some health networks are harder to reach than others. In Wampusirpi, a municipality in Eastern Honduras, infrastructure is scarce, electricity is not readily available, and there are only unpaved roads or rivers. However, these factors did not stop the community from making 8 trips to unload and transport a shipment from Global Links to ensure their local health posts were adequately equipped.

For example, no longer needed beds from dormitories in the U.S. become life-altering wards in remote areas like this one. Dr. Karen Calderón, the director of the Wampusirpi Health Network, writes, "Thank you all for your help, we are very grateful. Thanks to your donation we have been able to face Covid-19. We have been able to give better care [to our patients] and we continue in the fight!"