



## Surplus Initiatives with University Campuses

Global Links and the University of Pittsburgh collaborated on two important surplus initiatives that together rescued 23,185 pounds (10.5 tons) of materials from campus to improve health for local and global neighbors. In March 2022, Pitt hosted its annual Clean & Swap event for office, equipment, and other supplies which included a student-led focus on recovering medical supplies for swap with other departments and donation to Global Links.

Additionally in summer 2022, Global Links partnered with Pitt on the replacement of mattresses in Panther and Irvis Halls. 922 mattresses (filling 4 semi-trucks) were kept from disposal and used to support Global Links' international partners. Thank you Pitt Sustainability, Housing, Surplus, and additional donating departments in partnering on Global Link's mission to improve health in communities with need.

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Global Links is a Pittsburgh-based non-profit dedicated to improving health in communities with need. Global Links collaborates with U.S. healthcare institutions and the community to rescue hundreds of tons of high-quality surplus medical materials every year.