

Apothecary Project: Pharmacists promoting sustainable development



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Apothecary Project is an initiative from Pharmacists without Borders Spain to promote the professional role of pharmacists in:

International Cooperation for Development Humanitarian Aid Social Action









Pharmacists without Borders Spain





Non-governmental organization

Mission:

Provide pharmaceutical assistance to the populations that suffer the health consequences of poverty











Pharmacists without Borders Spain's milestones

1991 Founded in Spain

2004 Social Action activities in Spain

2006 Drug Bank

2010 Online training platform Apothecary Project CDAF-2.0

2012



Apothecary Project





TRAINING of pharmacists in the course Specialization in Pharmaceutical Cooperation.

PARTICIPATION of trained pharmacists in development projects in the field.

Creation of an E-PORTFOLIO as a source of qualified human resources for non-governmental organizations working on projects likely to be assisted by a pharmacist.





Specialization in Pharmaceutical Cooperation

Length October-June - Understanding how Third Sector organizations in the field of pharmacy work. To provide training in the management of nonprofit organizations. - Instruction in the identification, design, implementation and **General Objectives** evaluation of programs, projects and activities in International Cooperation, Humanitarian Aid and Social Action. - Training in the execution of international cooperation projects in the pharmaceutical field. **Online** On-site 190 hours 16 hours Methodology

E-learning platform CDAF-2.0

Pharmaceutical Cooperation Annual Meeting





Specialization in Pharmaceutical Cooperation SYLLABUS

UNIT 1:

MANAGEMENT OF

NON-GOVERNMENTAL

ORGANIZATIONS (NGOs)

- Introduction to associations and non-profit movements
- Health and nonprofit sector: Third Sector and Pharmacy
- Management of a NGO
- Transparency and good governance in NGOs
- Information and Communications Technologies (ICT) and NGOs

UNIT 2: PROJECT MANAGEMENT

- Concept and context of Cooperation for Development
- Health, Pharmacy and Development Cooperation
- Types of projects in Development Cooperation
- Project management

UNIT 3:

AREAS OF WORK IN PHARMACEUTICAL COOPERATION

- Infectious Pathologies
- Pharmaceutical Assistance Networks
- Humanitarian aid and medicines
- Food and hygiene
- Water and Sanitation





Specialization in Pharmaceutical Cooperation PHARMACEUTICAL COOPERATION ANNUAL MEETING







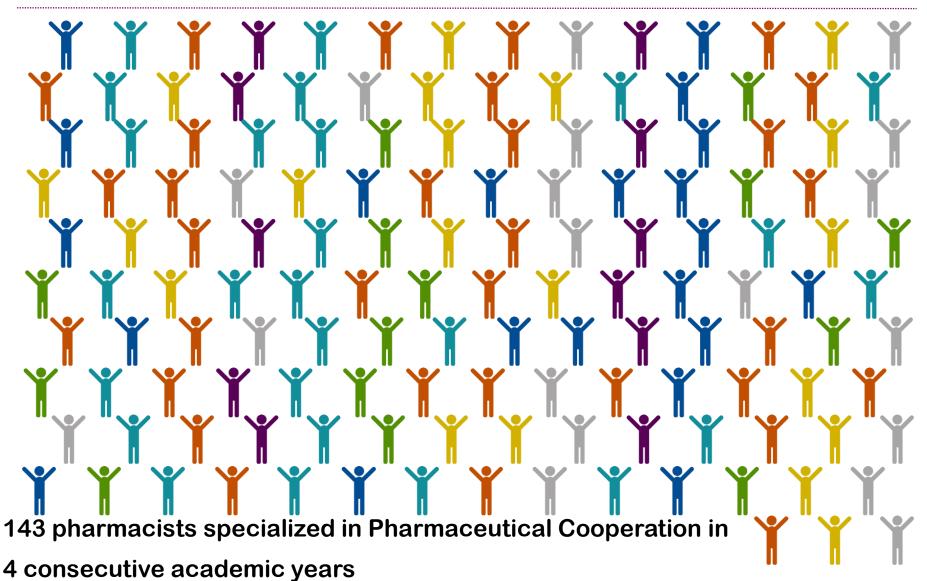








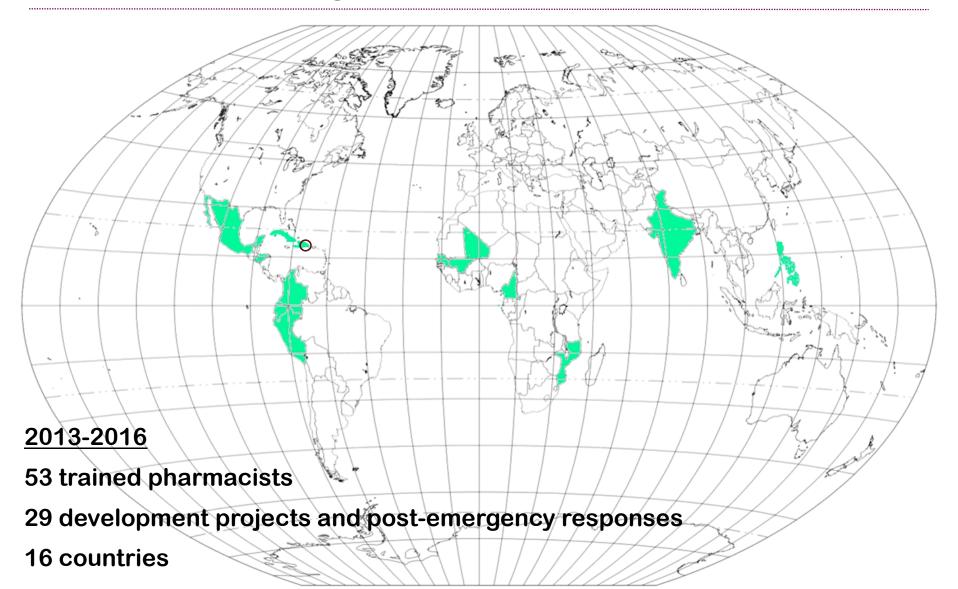






Apothecary Project: Working in the field







Organisations:





Location:

Ensanche Libertad, Santiago de los Caballeros, Dominican Republic



Aid workers:











Strengthening the Pharmacy Service of Padre Pedro Mahamud's Foundation: PROJECT BACKGROUND

















To promote the good health of the inhabitants of the Ensanche Libertad and to facilitate the access to affordable medicines to those most in need

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Pedro Mahamud's Foundation Social and Health Care Center:

- General & Specialized Medicine
- Social Pharmacy

7,000 medical consultations/year

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Social and Health Care Center Team













Strengthening the Pharmacy Service of Padre Pedro Mahamud's Foundation: INITIAL CONTACTS









Needs: Self-sustainable Social Pharmacy Pharmaceutical care improvement



FSFE* collaboration necessary?

FSFE collaboration possible?

*Pharmacists without Borders Spain

Strengthening the Pharmacy Service of Padre Pedro Mahamud's Foundation: to ensure and to optimize the access to medicines and their rational drug use



Pharmacists aid workers





1 month in the field in 2014





1 ½ months in the field in 2015



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2 months in the field in 2015



Identification of specific needs

Improve pharmacy visibility



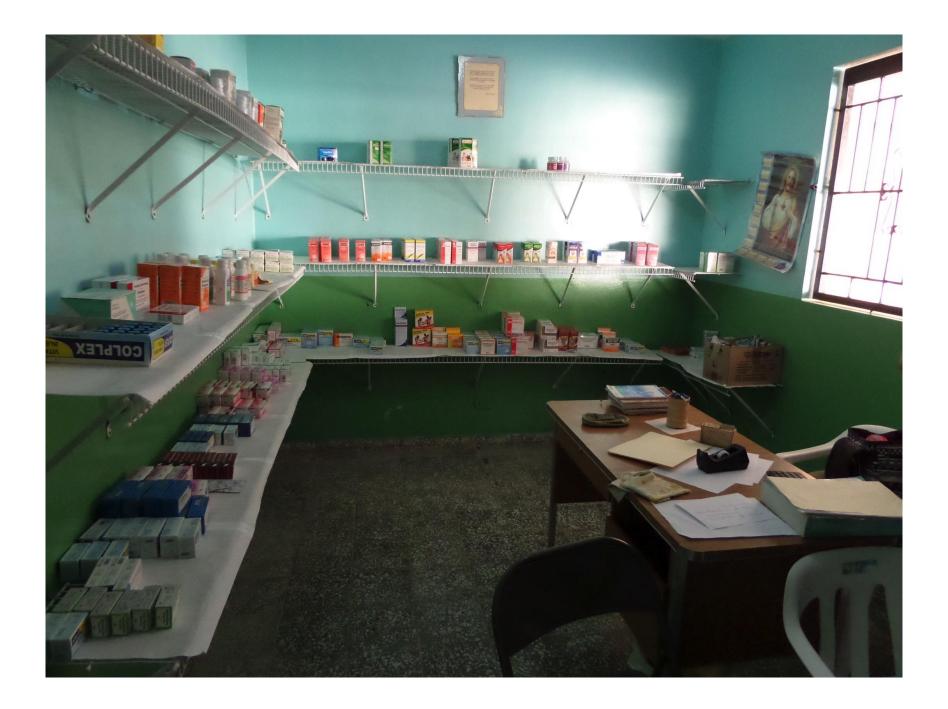


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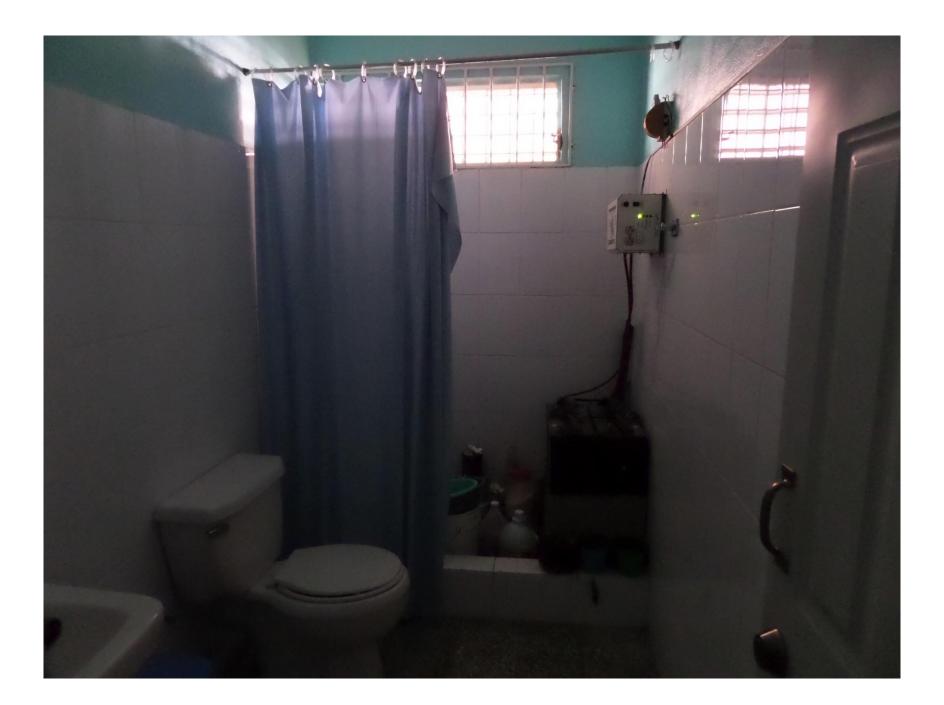
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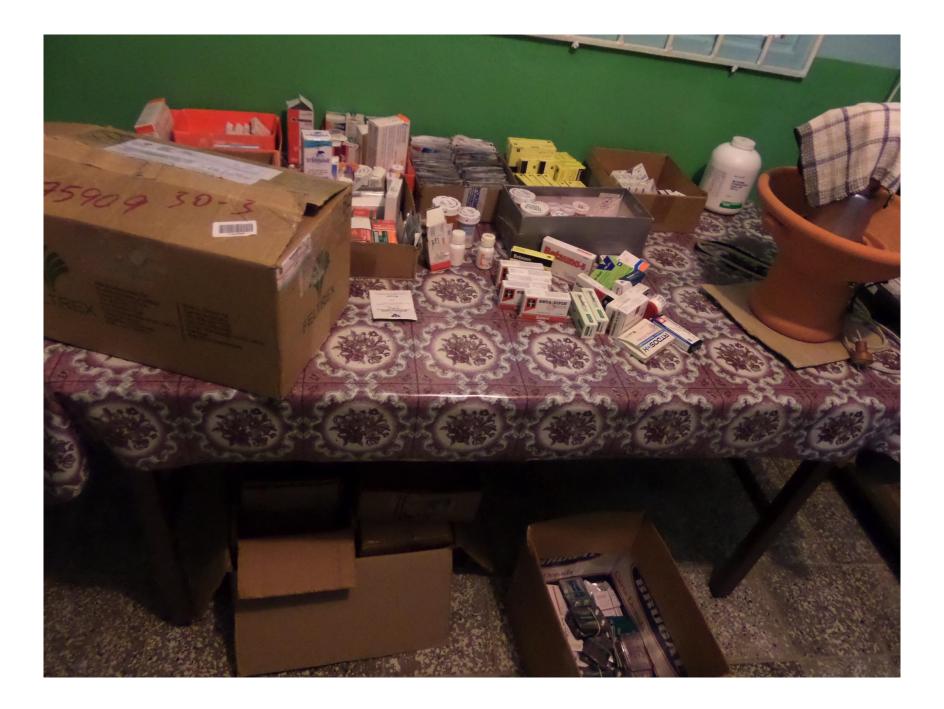
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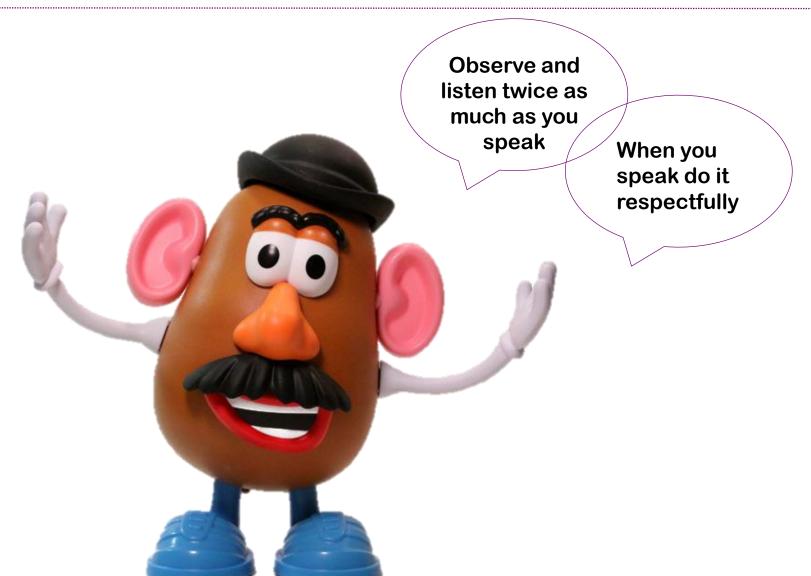


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- Procure a reliable, easy and quick to use, reference material about medicine usage: indications, dosage, adverse effects...
- Sort out free medical samples











Be aware of the cultural difference and cultivate patience and tolerance

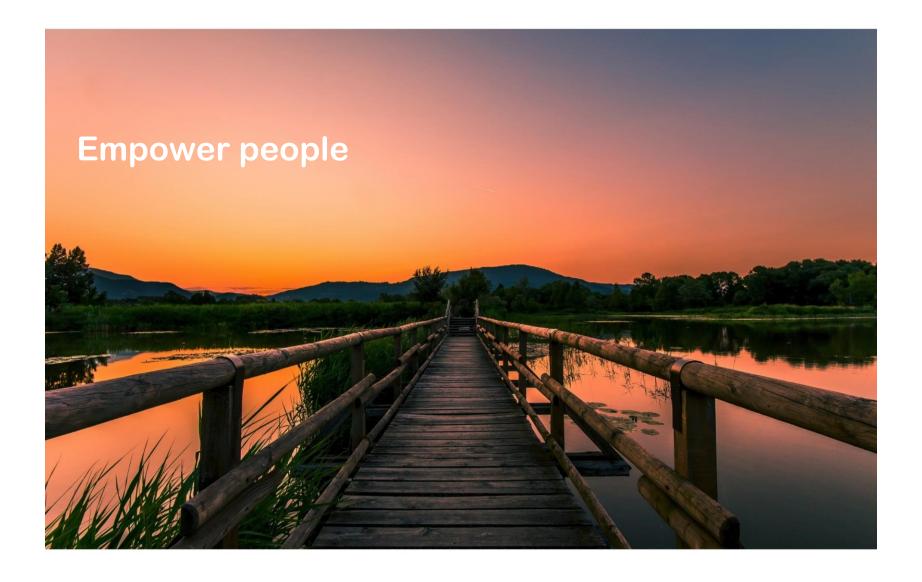




Establish horizontal relationships with other team members

Value the experience of the local team







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optimize the access to medicines of the beneficiary population and a

rational drug use







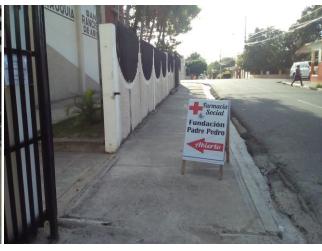




Improving pharmacy's visibility & accessibility











Pharmacy's team grows!



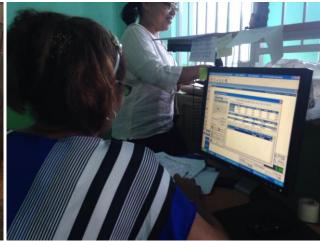




Pharmaceutical Management, Pharmaceutical Care and Rational Drug Use















Optimizing drug purchasing process => Larger variety of medicines, Lower retail prices, Higher benefits





Tidying free medical samples and putting them to a good use









ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS





WHAT ABOUT YOU?







Get Involved!!





En que invierto lo que soy y quien soy? Who benefits from my know-how and from what I have to offer?

Hope to see you again soon!



