



**Global Partners in Care has a new home with Hospice Foundation but we want to assure you that our mission and vision remain the same. The following information will help answer questions we have received about the transition.**

- ❖ Is Hospice Foundation a non-profit organization?
  - Yes.
- ❖ Is Hospice Foundation a US organization? Have they been involved in international relationships previously?
  - Yes, to both questions. The Hospice Foundation a US organization involved in international partnerships.
- ❖ Will the financial commitment be the same? Will US partners continue to wire funds to their international partners through Global Partners in Care? Will the 10% retention percentage be the same?
  - Yes, to all three questions. There are no plans to make any changes to the current wiring or financial arrangements in the foreseeable future.
- ❖ Is the assumption that all of the partnerships continue to operate as they have in the past?
  - Yes, every partnership will continue to operate under the Global Partners in Care umbrella.
- ❖ Will the advisory council still continue its work? What will the staffing look like?
  - Hospice Foundation plans to work closely with the established advisory council, which has knowledge about the history of the program and experience in working with a variety of international partners. The Hospice Foundation's chief operating officer has been a member of the council since its inception.
  - As part of their duties, a total of six Hospice Foundation staff members will work on various aspects of Global Partners in Care. Additional staff will be available to assist on an as-needed basis.
- ❖ Will the nursing and social work scholarship programs continue?
  - Yes, we anticipate the application and award processes will remain the same.
- ❖ Will the Global Partnership Award remain the same?
  - The application process will remain the same. The 2017 award will be presented at the Global Partners in Care Luncheon at MLC (see details below).
- ❖ How will new American partners be recruited?
  - Global Partners in Care will have a presence at NHPCO's Management and Leadership Conferences (MLC). The next conference is May 1-3, 2017 and plans are already underway to organize 2017's annual Global Partners in Care Luncheon, to which all current and prospective partners will be invited.
  - Global Partners in Care will have an exhibitor booth at this year's MLC.
  - Prospects will be identified through the Hospice Foundation's work with various hospice programs across the country and through its affiliation with Center for Hospice Care.
  - Hospice Foundation has well-established collaborations with various well-respected institutions working to address hospice and palliative care issues in developing countries, including the University of Notre Dame, Indiana University School of Medicine, Eck Institute for Global Health and Holy Cross College, to name a few.
  - Potential partners will also be recruited through screenings of the Hospice Foundation's documentaries, "Okuyamba" and "Road to Hope."