



ANDERSON UPDATE



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“Nothing has impacted my professional life as what you have shared these two years. It’s changed everything I am as a believer and in Public Health service.” – **Professor**

“When you see your teacher sit down to learn from someone else, you do not question whether or not you need to participate. You go yourself to learn.”

– **Regional Doctor from North**

Trip to Côte d’Ivoire

Verlin’s trip to teach CHE at the university and to handle other ministry responsibilities far exceeded our greatest hopes. This Thanksgiving gives angels and us many reasons to rejoice. Below are *a few* highlights of his six weeks there:

- All began smoothly in getting residency papers for our next term. We were invited to live and minister in Cote d’Ivoire by a group representing multiple Christian organizations.
- The second year of CHE training at the University of Abidjan was an overwhelming success. The dates, program, and location for 2015’s training are already set. Level 1 and Level 2 trainings were done simultaneously with 4 Ivorians, 1 Nigerian, 1 Togolese, 1 Frenchman, and an American (Verlin) serving as trainers. 26 medical or government leaders from throughout the country received the first level; 11 of the 17 university leaders from last year continued to the second level of training. Verlin passed on much more organizational responsibility this year. University staff arranged that all expenses for lodging, transportation, and materials were paid. Every graduate student of public health is already being exposed to use CHE and how to coordinate with a growing number of Christian



clinic and church-based teams. All anticipate much improved health – good relations with Creator God, others, themselves, and the creation. Local workers know new churches will be planted as the gospel is shared, as well.

- The weeks before, during, and after training, Verlin met with individuals to hear reports of CHE projects already in progress and to provide encouragement or sought advice. One doctor has initiated two programs in the last year. A second leader works to develop a project for use nationwide that targets reducing early childhood illness and mortality. A Bible Institute in the northwest

now plans to train all their students to use CHE; another denomination seeks regular training to use CHE everywhere. One successful agricultural CHE outreach had grown from 5 to 7 locations in the past year. A sister project will soon add to the 3 churches planted.

Groups of women who successfully created individual micro-enterprises through CHE Bible studies now focus on evangelism. A village CHE leader evangelizing among Muslims received help troubleshooting and planning the next stage of outreach

- In repeated settings, the questioning plea was made, “When will you be back to help us better coordinate, spread, and understand ministry through CHE?”
- The only negative bit of news was the sale of our rented home to a new owner who wants to live on the property instead of rent it. Downsizing to a smaller location is a good move for us. The Lord quickly provided a temporary location for our belongings until we return and negotiate rental of a new home.



Stateside Activities

Since Verlin's return, it has been our privilege to speak in Michigan, Tennessee, and North Carolina. In early November we participated in the Global Health Missions Conference in Louisville, Kentucky. Ebola survivors, including Dr. Kent Brantly, and missionaries who cared for Ebola patients shared their testimonies and expertise. That same week Collaborative for Neighborhood Transformation (CNT) members gave a two-day seminar which we attended with 5 other FWB friends. The training introduced how to use CHE in the American context, where it is active in 15 cities nationwide. CNT's and our goal is to teach others the essentials of how to organize communities by obeying God with healthy interaction.

Plans to Return:








The end of March 2015 is our target date to return to Cote d'Ivoire for our next term. This is now a bold goal made in faith of God's people, trusting the Lord to call those who will complete our ministry partner team. Around 40% of our monthly support is pledged, with four new supporters in recent days. Scheduling services in advance has been complicated by following up on continuing CHE ministries which made returning to Cote d'Ivoire necessary and the need to establish a permanent U.S. address.

We'd like to see our ministry funds arrive in ways that Africans can imitate to raise their own funds for



spreading the gospel – from friends and churches who share a similar vision of outreach.

Pray for:

-  Ivorian pastor Théophile Behi and family, as their son Emmanuel died in early November of typhoid fever, complicated by sickle cell anemia. Pray a CHE program develops. He lived longer and better because of information given, but typhoid is overcome primarily by community effort with medical intervention.
-  The CHE Africa teen program's need for house parents of orphans in Kortorkor, Ghana.
-  Debbie to successfully schedule surgery on her right knee prior to the end of 2014.
-  Corbin's maturing as a godly young man while at Union University.
-  Verlin's CDC training in early January to work in and use Ebola Treatment Units (ETUs).
-  Spirit-led services as we continue travels to share our burden for Cote d'Ivoire.
-  The remaining financial pledges so that we can return to ministry the end of March, 2015. U.S. housing and residency issues have unexpectedly cost us weeks of time since returning.

Thank you for your prayerful and loving support.

Sincerely,
Verlin & Debbie Anderson

Anderson Third Quarter Financial Account Report

Budget: The current working 2014 budget anticipated \$96,184 to permit U.S. report visits, visas, a set aside for a vehicle purchase, maintain our Ivorian housing with storage, maintenance and repair expenses during our absence. It leaves us a net gross income for tax purposes of \$22,500 not counting health insurance (*This is \$42,205 minus housing, est. Social Security, and retirement*). We operate with what we have.

Financial contributions to our CHSC account #0118 for the third quarter of 2014 are shown below. They are listed in the order received per our reports. For donor confidentiality purposes, we simply show the sender's zip code. Senders from the same zip code are differentiated by the addition of letters. We can accommodate limitless donors this way and make it relatively easy for each to identify their separate contributions. Please contact us if you believe a donation made is missing. We can be reached by call or by text at (615) 477-1129. You may also contact the Christian Health Service Corps (CHSC) directly via info@healthservicecorps.org.

CHSC Anderson Account #0118 Income : July 2014 through-September 2014

| Donor by ZIP code | Report Mo./Yr. | Amount | Donor by ZIP code | Report Mo./Yr. | Amount | Donor by ZIP code | Report Mo./Yr. | Amount |
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| 48380 | 07/14 | \$ 11.00 | 37644 | 08/14 | \$ 200.00 | 37743 | 09/14 | \$ 100.00 |
| 48328 | 07/14 | \$ 20.00 | 37644 | 08/14 | \$ 55.00 | 62951 | 09/14 | \$ 201.95 |
| 48066 | 07/14 | \$ 50.00 | 37643 | 08/14 | \$ 10.00 | 25621 | 09/14 | \$ 125.00 |
| 48017 | 07/14 | \$ 20.00 | 29588 | 08/14 | \$ 100.00 | 28705 | 09/14 | \$ 100.00 |
| 48092 | 07/14 | \$ 500.00 | 28705 | 08/14 | \$ 360.67 | 28705 | 09/14 | \$ 30.00 |
| 38501 | 07/14 | \$ 250.00 | 27597 | 08/14 | \$ 200.00 | 48017 | 09/14 | \$ 20.00 |
| 28705 | 07/14 | \$ 100.00 | 27545 | 08/14 | \$ 300.00 | 24230 | 09/14 | \$ 100.00 |
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| 48185 | 07/14 | \$ 221.00 | 48066 | 08/14 | \$ 50.00 | 38501 | 09/14 | \$ 250.00 |
| 24844 | 07/14 | \$ 174.00 | 24844 | 08/14 | \$ 110.00 | 37214a | 09/14 | \$ 50.00 |
| 48073 | 07/14 | \$ 333.98 | 37209 | 08/14 | \$ 225.31 | 48092 | 09/14 | \$ 349.45 |
| 83338 | 07/14 | \$ 382.00 | 48073 | 08/14 | \$ 494.04 | 48073 | 09/14 | \$ 362.56 |
| 28527 | 07/14 | \$ 50.00 | 48329 | 08/14 | \$ 20.00 | 24844 | 09/14 | \$ 177.98 |
| 48092 | 07/14 | \$ 500.00 | 28705 | 08/14 | \$ 100.00 | 83338 | 09/14 | \$ 307.00 |
| 27743 | 07/14 | \$ 100.00 | 37214 | 08/14 | \$ 50.00 | 37214 | 09/14 | \$ 35.00 |
| 24230 | 07/14 | \$ 100.00 | 83338 | 08/14 | \$ 269.50 | 28527 | 09/14 | \$ 50.00 |
| 48071 | 07/14 | \$ 150.00 | 37214a | 08/14 | \$ 250.00 | | | |
| 28705 | 07/14 | \$ 30.00 | 24230 | 08/14 | \$ 100.00 | | | |
| 33851 | 07/14 | \$ 91.05 | 41129 | 08/14 | \$ 400.00 | | | |
| 37214 | 07/14 | \$ 35.00 | 28527 | 08/14 | \$ 50.00 | | | |
| 42327 | 07/14 | \$ 200.00 | | | | | | |

CHSC 2014 Q2 Report Account Balance: \$24,420.24

Donation Totals (July'14-September'14): **\$ 9,920.99**

Fees : Credit Card (\$4.50), 5% Admin (\$495.84); Prayer cards (\$556.00) <\$1,056.34 >

CHSC 2014 Sept cumulative Report Account Balance: **\$ 33,284.89**

Personal: IRS Allowable Expenses incurred Jan-Mar 2014: <\$ 3,687.57>

Personal: IRS Allowable Expenses incurred Apr-June 2014: <\$ 5,532.55>

Personal: IRS Allowable Expenses incurred July-Sept 2014: <\$ 8,906.11>

Expense Reimbursements via CHSC #0118 thru Q3: **\$0**

Salary Payment accepted from CHSC #0118 thru Q3: **\$0**

Please consider making a special contribution this holiday season to this ministry that is now proven daily to equip West Africans to save West African lives spiritually and physically. Christ equips them through our joint effort with know-how that only comes from our speaking and working together. We know this is a high-demand season, but we know that this ministry lets Africans have credit for their successes. In so doing, you and we together multiply solutions they generate to life threatening difficulties, like Ebola, and save ourselves too.

Begin Multiplying your donations this 2014 ministry season, and perhaps that of your church. Take a minute to see if - and how - an employer will match gifts. Check it out at our missionary page at the Christian Health Service Corps www.healthservicecorps.org, or go directly to

<http://www.healthservicecorps.org/moto/page-47>

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