

# 2020 SUMMARY: "THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT"

## PANDEMIC FOOD RELIEF FOR SOUTH SUDAN REFUGEES

In May 2020, due to multiple cattle thefts, a large battle between local tribes occurred near Tonj, South Sudan, (cattle are a family's source of wealth equivalent to our own bank accounts). Over 200 people were killed within a week. Consequently, whole villages were moved into local displaced refugee camps. Due to COVID 19 shutdowns and the insecurity for road transportation, aid convoys have been unable to reach Tonj. Thousands of women and children were near starvation. A number of families were forced to eat leaves and grass to decrease their hunger pains. **Thanks to your generous donations Medical Teams Worldwide has been able to give and facilitating a total donation of \$13,000 dollars that purchased nearly 8 tons of food** for the 2,000 refugees in Tonj. This food will sustain the refugees for the next coming months. **The starvation risk is still great.** Due to ongoing Covid 19 restrictions, the usual planting season has been severely limited so next year's food availability will also be very limited. Continued support is still sorely needed.



Mother prepares leaves for tea to decrease family's hunger .



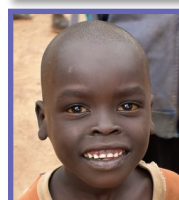
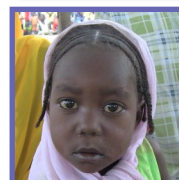
Mother and children with their relief supplies and food .



2000 refugees wait patiently for a food distribution to start



Mothers walk home from receiving the days relief food.







## SUDAN REFUGEE RELIEF AT KAKAUMA REFUGEE CAMP

Medical Teams Worldwide has continued to work with the 280,000 Sudanese refugees in Kakuma camp in Kenya-South Sudan border. Due to the generosity of our donors Medical Teams Worldwide was able to purchase and distribute nearly 5 tons of food along with soap bars and deworming medicine for 5,000 children. With Covid 19 the needs still are acute so any further donations are greatly appreciated.



Adults and children wait for their portions relief food.



A widow shows her amount of food relief.



A young girl waits for her food.



A mother takes her food

## ONGOING PROJECTS AND FUNDING NEEDS:

### SURGICAL EQUIPEMENT DONATION FOR TONJ HOSPITAL IN SOUTH SUDAN

Medical Teams Worldwide is donating \$20,000 in medical equipment to Tonj government hospital. One surgical table, 2 anesthesia machines and 4 sets of surgical operating instruments, enough for multiple abdominal and obstetrical operations. Shipping costs are about \$1500. The donated surgical equipment will greatly improve their surgical abilities.



IF YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO PARTNER WITH OUR MEDICAL AND VACCINATION PROJECTS,

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