

IMPACT REPORT 2024

Creating a Better Future for
Vulnerable Children and Families



NPH USA
Raising Children. Supporting Families.
Transforming Lives.





Our Calling

Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos (NPH), which translates to “Our Little Brothers and Sisters” in Spanish, is dedicated to helping children and youth break the cycle of poverty by providing access to nutritious food, quality education, healthcare, and vocational training. NPH USA supports this mission through fundraising and volunteer initiatives across the United States.

Established by Father William Wasson in 1954, NPH has transformed the lives of tens of thousands of vulnerable children and young adults throughout Latin America and the Caribbean.

Delivering love and essential social services, NPH empowers families and helps children grow into independent, compassionate adults who give back to their communities—creating brighter futures for themselves, their families, and their neighborhoods.

NPH USA also serves a vital role in backing **St. Damien Pediatric Hospital**, Haiti’s only hospital dedicated to pediatric and high-risk maternity care, and the sole facility in the country offering pediatric oncology services.

The Difference We’re Making

REUNITING AND STRENGTHENING FAMILIES:

Poverty often forces families apart, as parents may lack resources to provide care for their children. NPH prioritizes the safety, well-being, and rights of each child, working to reconnect them with family members whenever it’s safe and feasible. With careful planning and support, children and adolescents are reintegrated into their biological families. Specialists, including psychologists and social workers, provide targeted support and ongoing monitoring to safeguard children and empower them to thrive.

PROVIDING LIFE-CHANGING FAMILY WRAPAROUND SERVICES:

Underprivileged communities often lack fundamental social services, including access to healthy food, education, child daycare, therapy, or medical care. NPH identifies and addresses these critical gaps. It’s not merely what NPH provides to help children and families, but how they provide compassionate and holistic care. Throughout the decades, NPH has maintained exceptional schools, medical clinics, food and agricultural programs, and vocational and life skills training initiatives, helping interrupt the cycle of generational poverty and promote long term well-being.

OPERATING SAFE, NURTURING HOMES:

NPH began by offering homes to highly vulnerable children who were orphaned or abandoned—raising and nurturing them together in a loving family environment. These homes were built alongside medical clinics, schools, farms, therapy centers, and chapels to support comprehensive child development. Currently, these homes shelter children who cannot be fully reintegrated with biological family members for various reasons, while also extending support to hundreds of children in surrounding communities through “on-campus” services and programs.



9,000+ children and families supported

82,826 services provided through community outreach programs





WHERE YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS ARE MAKING AN IMPACT

NPH Operations

- Bolivia** San Ignacio de Sara, Portachuelo, Montero
- Dominican Republic** San Pedro de Macoris, Monte Plata
- El Salvador** Texistepeque, Santa Ana
- Guatemala** Parramos, Chimaltenango
- Haiti** Kenscoff, Tabarre, Pétionville
- Honduras** La Venta, Catacamas, Talanga, Guaimaca, Mata de Plátano, Tegucigalpa
- Mexico** Miacatlán, Cuernavaca, Matamoros, Monterrey
- Nicaragua** Jinotepe, Managua, Ometepe Island, Rivas
- Peru** San Vicente de Cañete

	Family and Community Strengthening	Education and Development	Support for Those with Disabilities	Youth and Economic Empowerment	Health and Wellbeing
Bolivia	Family-style homes Family reunification Parenting workshops Seed capital initiatives Neighborhood projects	Individualized school support Vocational workshops Scholarships	—	Farm Homes for transition to independent living	Medical clinic
Dominican Republic	Family-style home Temporary home for at-risk children Family reunification	School (K-12) Vocational workshops Scholarships	Special needs program Therapy program for community families	Farm & greenhouse Empowerment programs Preparing for independence program	Medical clinic Ambulatory surgery center
El Salvador	Family-style homes Daycare center	School (K-9) Vocational workshops Scholarships	—	Farms Empowerment programs	Medical clinic
Guatemala	Family-style homes Family & daycare centers Family reunification	School (Pre-K-9) Vocational workshops Scholarships	Special needs program	Farm & greenhouse Empowerment programs	Medical clinic
Haiti	Family-style homes	Schools (K-10 & K-12) Scholarships	Special needs program Neurological rehabilitation therapy centers	Farm & greenhouse	Medical clinic St. Damien Pediatric Hospital.
Honduras	Family-style homes Temporary homes for at-risk children Family & daycare centers Family reunification	School (K-9) Vocational workshops Scholarships	Special needs program Home for children with severe disabilities Therapy program Inclusive recreational park	Farms Empowerment programs	Medical clinic Home for elderly Soup kitchen Surgery center
Mexico	Family-style home Family reunification Community service by NPH youth	School (K-9) Technical high school Scholarships	—	Farm & greenhouse	Medical clinic Art therapy workshop
Nicaragua	Housing for university students Family reunification Workshops for parents	School (K-11) Vocational workshops Scholarships	Therapy center for children with disabilities and parent education	Farms & greenhouses	Medical clinic
Peru	Family-style home Family center Family reunification	Vocational workshops Scholarships	—	Farm Home for transition to independent living	Medical clinic Dental and ophthalmic care



Family and Community Strengthening

We help build healthy families by providing essential resources such as nutrition, counseling, health care, training, and financial support—giving families an opportunity to thrive.

Our family support initiatives delivered targeted interventions that strengthened entire communities:

In Honduras, parenting workshops benefit both NPH families and the broader community.

In Bolivia, personalized plans improve family bonds, economic stability, and housing conditions through workshops and seed capital initiatives.

In Mexico, community outreach includes parenting guidance, home visits, and recreational activities, with students actively participating in community service, cultural celebrations, and collaborative projects.

In Peru, the Padre Wasson Community Family Center offers comprehensive support through academic reinforcement classes, benefiting 19 children, and financial literacy workshops for 17 mothers, significantly improving education outcomes and household management skills.

Support for Those with Disabilities

In regions we serve, living with a disability is unimaginably difficult. NPH provides essential care to some of the most marginalized populations through residential support and outpatient therapy centers offering medical care, occupational therapy, inclusive education, and unconditional love. Our disability support programs have achieved significant impact across multiple countries.

In Honduras, improved care has reduced mortality rates among people with disabilities, while inclusive education initiatives have integrated students with physical disabilities into regular classrooms.

Haiti's Special Needs Program includes Kay Germaine, which provides specialized education and rehabilitation; Kay Gabriel, offering therapies for neurological disorders and serving over 500 outpatients; and Kay Eliane, which supports young adult graduates with skill development and community integration.

In Guatemala, the newly established Fr. William Wasson Family Center offers specialized therapies and workshops specifically designed to support children with disabilities and their families.



1,573 beneficiaries living with NPH

6,222 beneficiaries living in the community, including 348 children living with family following reintegration community children



9,980 specialized therapeutic treatments

987 children and adults with disabilities or special needs supported

487 children and adults with chronic conditions, disabilities or special needs are living at NPH



Education and Development

Our education programs in communities give vulnerable youth access to schools, tutoring, and counseling. Whether we provide schooling directly or provide scholarships for NPH pequeños to attend college or vocational schools, the end result is better educated and more productive young citizens.

In 2024, we achieved significant educational milestones:

Dominican Republic: Received authorization to build a polytechnic school, expanding vocational opportunities for NPH children and the surrounding community.

El Salvador: Celebrated 19 kindergarten graduations and 15 students advancing to high school.

Guatemala: Students completed various academic levels, including technical courses and even a master's degree in finance.

Haiti: Despite severe challenges, we successfully concluded the academic year with graduation ceremonies that symbolized resilience and hope.

Honduras: Celebrated eight university graduates—including three from the community who now work at NPH.

Mexico: Recognized student graduations across all educational levels.

Nicaragua: Maintained an impressive 96.5% student retention rate, a testament to the commitment to academic excellence of students and staff.



4,809 children access education through NPH

826 graduated from K-12

141 graduated from technical or vocational schools

39 graduated from university



Youth and Economic Empowerment

Helping young people in the communities we serve transition into productive adults is the key to breaking the generational cycle of poverty. NPH provides university scholarships, vocational education, and life skills training to ensure young people are equipped to support themselves and their communities.

Our transition program in Bolivia equipped young adults leaving residential care with essential job placement skills and social network development for successful independent living.

In Honduras, 70 out of 71 vocational training students earned certifications significantly expanding technical education opportunities throughout the community.

NPH Nicaragua students completed specialized workshops in electricity, welding, computer skills, and English with certifications pending. The program celebrated significant academic achievements with two students graduating from university, one in Physiotherapy and the other in Nursing, plus another two students completing technical degrees, one in Gastronomy and the other in Pharmacy Assistance.



2,240 local people employed at NPH homes, facilities, and programs

1,508 children and adults participated in empowerment programs

79 NPH youth did a year of service, not only giving back to their NPH family, but gaining job skills



Health and Wellbeing

Every NPH home has an on-site medical clinic to ensure children have access to health care. Most of our homes also offer health-care services to the surrounding community—serving as a lifeline for those who would not otherwise have access to health care.

Our healthcare initiatives in Honduras successfully maintained essential medication supplies despite shortages, while strengthening relationships with public health centers. Additional improvements included hiring an on-site dentist and expanding vaccination programs to cover hepatitis and HPV. The new San José Family Center now provides comprehensive health care, psychosocial support, and education services.

In Peru, the Padre Wasson Community Family Center launched several successful initiatives to improve family wellbeing. Dental and ophthalmic services benefited 44 individuals, significantly improving overall community health outcomes.

St. Damien Pediatric Hospital

NPH's St. Damien Pediatric Hospital located in the Tabarre area of Port-au-Prince, Haiti, is the only hospital dedicated exclusively to pediatric and prenatal care in the country of 11.5 million people. St. Damien provides the only pediatric cancer care in Haiti, is one of the few facilities equipped to handle high-risk obstetrics and NICU cases, and serves as a leader in providing HIV education and care. Simply put, St. Damien offers health and hope to the people of Haiti who have nowhere else to turn.

Throughout 2024, St. Damien Hospital remained an essential healthcare provider in Haiti despite facing severe political instability, limited resources, and significant staff departures. The hospital's dedicated team demonstrated extraordinary resilience, ensuring the continuous delivery of critical services through strategic planning and unwavering commitment to providing compassionate, high-quality care with dignity and excellence.

The pediatric department was especially active, conducting 8,046 consultations—an average of 670 per month—and admitting approximately 329 children monthly.

St. Damien's maternity department maintained exceptional service quality despite challenging circumstances. On average, the team handled 184 consultations, 110 admissions, and 105 births each month, demonstrating the staff's capacity to manage both routine and high-risk pregnancies.



NPH MEDICAL CLINICS

19,517 medical consults
(exclusive of St. Damien
Pediatric Hospital)

1,424 vaccinations

1,084 dental
treatments

ST. DAMIEN PEDIATRIC HOSPITAL

47,290 services provided
to women and
children in need

6,600 admissions

3,955 emergency
room visits

2,211 maternity
visits

1,260 babies
delivered

1,187 HIV program
consults



Finding Family at NPH

Discovered abandoned at the gates of NPH's St. Helene home in July 2012, baby Alfonso found his first true home with NPH. With no note or family information, and St. Helene unable to accommodate infants, Alfonso was welcomed into the St. Anne Baby House, joining a family of 40 young children who lived, played, and learned together.

From his earliest days, Alfonso's personality shone through. As a toddler, he developed into an expressive, cheerful child with boundless curiosity and an infectious smile. St. Anne coordinator Marie Ange noted his intelligence and early speaking abilities, along with his love for hugs and cuddles from his caregivers.

Now 13 years old, Alfonso has grown into a lively, happy boy in good health. Though he faces some academic challenges, he remains focused in school, and his spirit remains bright. Alfonso enjoys drumming. He recently participated in a special summer camp course at St. Hélène to learn more about playing the drums. He has developed meaningful friendships, especially with his good friend Emmanuel, and takes pleasure in simple joys like his favorite meal of stew and rice.

Through NPH's consistent care, Alfonso has transformed from an endangered infant to a thriving teenager with a supportive community he can truly call family.

Lucy Thrives Through OneFamily's Supportive Reintegration

Through NPH's OneFamily program, Lucy has transformed from a vulnerable child begging on the streets to a resilient young woman with bright prospects. After entering NPH at age five following her mother's passing, Lucy received essential care and stability before being reintegrated with her extended family in 2018 through the OneFamily initiative.

Now 19 and living with her grandparents in Alubaren, Honduras, Lucy thrives despite challenges including lack of electricity and a family member with schizophrenia. The OneFamily team provides consistent support through regular visits and communication, helping the family navigate difficulties together.

Lucy excels academically in high school, maintaining good grades in Computer Science, Chemistry and Physics despite limited resources. Her determination stems from deep gratitude and a profound desire to help others. She dreams of creating an organization similar to NPH while supporting her beloved grandparents, whom she describes as her "invaluable joy."



With her sociable nature, Christian values, and remarkable resilience, Lucy embodies the transformative impact of family reintegration. Her journey illustrates how proper support enables vulnerable children to become confident young adults poised to make meaningful contributions to their families and communities.



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Message from the National Board Chair



Dear Friends,

“If you want to change the world, start with the children.” These words from our founder, Father William Wasson, continue to guide everything we do at NPH. For more than 70 years, children have been at the heart of our mission and remain at the center of all we do today.

Whether in our residential homes or through our community strengthening programs, every action we take begins with the child in mind. Across Latin America and the Caribbean, NPH has been a beacon of hope — a place where vulnerable children and families discover not just shelter and education, but love, dignity, and opportunity. Through our holistic programs and the life-saving care at St. Damien Pediatric Hospital in Haiti, we are planting seeds of transformation — one life, one family, one community at a time.

The world around us is changing faster than ever. Violence, food insecurity, economic instability, and unrest threaten the lives of countless children. Yet, even amid these storms, NPH stands firm. Guided by our core values of Love and Security, Responsibility, Sharing, Work, Faith, and Service, we continue to grow and evolve — not by moving away from who we are, but by leaning more deeply into our mission to break the cycle of poverty through compassion, opportunity, and purpose.

Every challenge calls us to be bolder. Every child’s story inspires us to reach higher. And every act of kindness — every gift from generous supporters like you — builds the foundation for a future filled with promise. Because of you, children are not only surviving; they are thriving. They are dreaming bigger dreams, stepping into leadership, and lifting up their communities with the same spirit of service and hope that once lifted them.

This 2024 Impact Report is a celebration of what we can achieve together. It is a testament to the extraordinary ripple effect of your belief in our mission — a belief that when you nurture a child’s potential, you truly change the world.

Thank you for walking with us, for believing in the power of love to heal and transform, and for helping us write the next chapter of NPH’s extraordinary story.

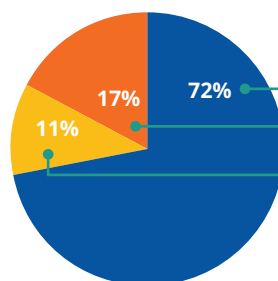
With heartfelt gratitude and hope,

Dr. Jeffrey Kempf
National Board Chair, NPH USA

2024 REVENUE: \$16,213,269

Contributions	\$13,099,438	81%
Bequests	\$385,735	2%
Special Events	\$1,979,563	12%
Investment	\$748,533	5%

2024 EXPENSES: \$17,568,124



Program Services	\$12,624,500
Fundraising	\$2,967,762
Management & General	\$1,975,862



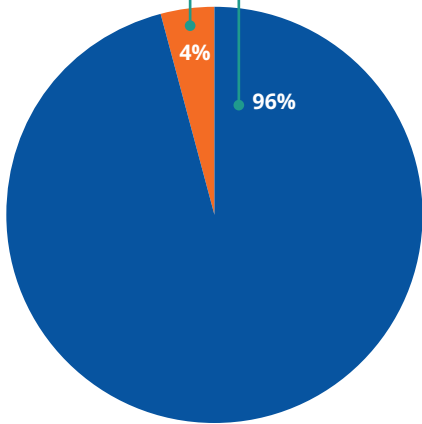
2024 NET ASSETS: \$24,919,581

2024 REVENUE: \$6,457,337

Contributions	\$3,615,523	56%
Investment Income (net)	\$2,841,814	44%

2024 EXPENSES: \$1,066,199

Program Services	\$1,025,600
Management & General	\$40,599



The Fr. Wasson Legacy Endowment

The Fr. Wasson Legacy Endowment Inc. (FWLEI), a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation, Tax ID # 91-2005679, was established in 1995 to help provide long-term financial stability for the homes and programs of Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos (NPH). The Endowment is composed of a diversified portfolio of equity, fixed income assets, and cash, and is governed by an independent board of directors and professionally managed.

2024 Highlights

Reported by Jack Hansen, Chair, FWLEI Board

As Chair of the Fr. Wasson Legacy Endowment (FWLEI), I am pleased to report the significant growth realized within the endowment portfolio over the past fiscal year (ending June 30, 2024).

At fiscal year-end 2024, FWLEI endowment assets totaled \$24.9 million compared to \$19.5 million the previous year. The portfolio delivered a 15.0% return over the 12-month period, and a 7.9%, compounded annual return over the past 10 years. Our portfolio performance continues to closely track market performance while delivering a modest level of excess re-turn after all costs. These results are consistent with FWLEI's stated policy goal of closely tracking but modestly exceeding long-term market outcomes while thoughtfully managing risk and keeping costs low.

Over the last year, the receipt of living legacy and estate gifts also significantly contributed to portfolio growth. These generous gifts help serve children, families, and communities now and long into the future.

So why is FWLEI so essential to NPH's long-term success in serving vulnerable children and communities? Because it represents a reliable and sustainable source of funding for NPH's ongoing operations. Set up as a perpetual pool, FWLEI aims to distribute approximately 5% of its value annually to support NPH's work. In 2024 alone, FWLEI provided over \$1 million in support of the NPH mission.

The FWLEI Board is privileged to be guided by an extremely talented and passionate team of volunteers. Together, we are focused on generating attractive portfolio returns, the development of a deep, diverse and capable leadership team and effectively communicating the importance of FWLEI to the NPH mission for the children which extends long into the future.

In closing, I want to again thank all those that have contributed to FWLEI. This includes the very capable and dedicated board members, those who have made gifts in the past, and current FWLEI contributors. Thank you for helping to build a brighter future for thousands of children and families.

On behalf of the Fr. Wasson Legacy Endowment Board—and especially the children we serve across all our homes and programs, I am truly grateful to all who make possible this life-changing work.

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Every child needs a dependable champion

Children living in extreme conditions due to poverty are often left to think that dreams belong only to those in better places.

The global NPH family believes that every child needs a reliable champion to help them achieve their potential. YOU can be that champion by choosing to sponsor children in a variety of ways through a recurring donation. YOUR RECURRING GIFT is a gift of love, giving highly vulnerable children an education, nutritious food, health care, practical skills, values, and the ability to build brighter futures for themselves, their families, and their communities.

Here are some of the ways you can sponsor a child through consistent monthly support and be a light and a lifeline—someone who supports and believes in them.

Be a Godparent

nphusa.org/godparent

As a Godparent, you have an opportunity to provide material support and to have two-way communication. Your letters to your Godchild give encouragement and a sense that the child is important to someone outside their own world.

Empower Families

nphusa.org/donate

Your reliable support protects and prepares children so they may break the cycle of poverty by growing up healthy, safe, educated, and economically independent. A monthly commitment enables us to sustain our life-changing programs.

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Provide Lifesaving Medical Care to St. Damien Pediatric Hospital

nphusa.org/helpstdamien

With your consistent monthly support, the valiant staff at St. Damien hospital in Haiti can count upon funding for modernized equipment and a steady stream of medication and supplies to serve sick children and at-risk expectant mothers.

Sponsor a University or Vocational Student

nphusa.org/education

Your gift to of an education or vocation is a true poverty-buster. You are providing students with the opportunity to fully excel, helping create local job opportunities and successful pathways to independence and to serving their fellow brothers and sisters.

Other Ways to Help

- Give with a Donor Advised Fund, stocks, or securities
- Remember NPH USA in your estate plan/will
- Attend or host a local fundraising event
- Volunteer at a local office, event, or at an NPH home
- Take a trip of a lifetime by visiting those we serve in Latin America and Haiti
- Spread the word about the transformative work of NPH! Share our emails and social media posts. Invite others to virtual or in-person events.



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