

Yes, I would like to sponsor a bed at Mulanje Mission Hospital

Name
Address
Email
I would like to sponsor __ bed(s) for __ year(s).
I have transferred
£ / \$ / € _____ into the MMH account.
Date
Signature



Flame tree in the maternity courtyard

Costs

The cost of one bed is MK150,000 per year (approx. £600 / €700 / \$1000).

If you sponsor a bed at MMH, your donation will be spent entirely on the purposes mentioned overleaf.

If you would like to help

Please send your details on this form or email to director@mmh.mw

Payment should be made to the National Bank of Malawi, PO Box 945, Blantyre, Malawi. Swift code NBMAMWMW

Account details: Mulanje Mission Hospital
USD account no 407275
GBP account no 286818
Euro account no 380873

We will send confirmation when the funds reach the hospital account, and send you a copy of our quarterly newsletter.



Accountability

An externally audited financial report is produced every year and copies are available to enable you to verify the financial accountability of the hospital.

Support Mulanje Mission Hospital



Sponsor a bed in Malawi



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Malawi

Malawi is one of the poorest countries in the world, with some of the worst health indicators in sub-Saharan Africa.

Life expectancy is low, at 38 years, 2 in every 1000 mothers die in childbirth, and one child in every five dies before the age of five.

More than 60% of hospital admissions and outpatient visits are related to HIV infection and associated cases of TB and other related infections.



Mulanje Mission Hospital

MMH was founded in 1910 by Scottish missionaries. It is now owned by the Central Church of Africa Presbyterian (CCAP), and reports to the Health Board of Blantyre Synod.

MMH provides community services to the population of 75 villages in the hospital catchment area, and, with 210 inpatient beds including a large maternity unit, we provide hospital services to a much wider population from within and beyond Mulanje.

Do hospital beds need sponsoring?

Yes! The annual budget for the hospital is MK350million (\$2million / £1.4million / €1.7 million). Whilst salaries are mainly paid by the Government of Malawi, all other expenditure has to come from donations or patient fees. At present patient fees account for only about 10% of hospital income as these are heavily subsidised. Fees cannot be raised as people already have difficulties in paying their hospital bills. The costs of drugs, clinical supplies, and the indirect costs of running a 200-bedded hospital must all be met from donations every year.

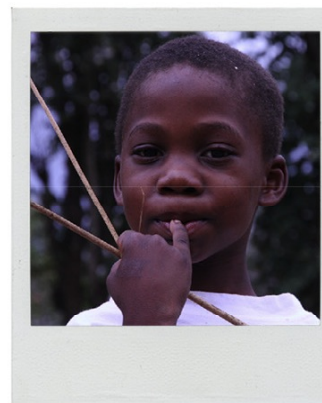
Why sponsor a bed?

The current economic situation in Malawi poses many challenges for the provision of basic health care. By supporting the hospital through bed sponsorship, you are enabling MMH to continue to serve the people of Mulanje, and enabling us to continue to train nurses, medical assistants and clinical officers who will be of long-term benefit to Malawi.

What will your money be spent on?

All those things that are needed to run a hospital! Electricity and water, fuel for ambulances, needles and syringes, catheters, anaesthetics, drugs...

The cost of sponsoring one bed will provide care for about 40 patients during a whole year at MMH.



Early morning view of Mulanje Mountain from the Hospital

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