

2019 ANNUAL REPORT

A publication for the friends of Luke's House Clinic

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From Executive Director

Dear friend of Luke's House,

I truly cannot thank you enough for the support you gave us in 2019. Your support allows us to truly change the lives of over 1,000 people in our community. From the medical students who get the privilege of learning from our volunteer providers to the patients who receive free medical care, free health education, and free navigation to community clinics and specialty care at hospitals, your support makes all this possible. Instead of listening to me, though, I thought we'd let our students and patients share their experiences.

"The experience and education that I gained volunteering at Luke's House Clinic equipped me to succeed in my clinical rotations. I was already accustomed to and more comfortable with interviewing and examining patients, presenting to residents and attending physicians, and developing a plan for my patients. But equally as important, I was also able to gain an appreciation for the unique opportunity that medical students have to spend a little extra time with patients to engage them in their healthcare and ensure they are appreciated as some of our most valuable teachers." -Allie, a third-year medical student at LSU

"All of my formative clinical experiences have been at Luke's House, it is where I learned how to take blood pressure, use a stethoscope, take a thorough patient history, and how to present to an attending." -Jake, a fourth-year medical student at Tulane

"Son muy buenos. Se los recomendaría a cualquier personas porque le ayudan mucho a las personas. Gracias. Muchas Gracias."

Translation: "Everything is very good. I would recommend them to anyone because they help everyone a lot. Thank you. Thanks a lot." -patient of Luke's House

"La clase estuvo muy interesante porque se hablo de la azucar en las bebidas y la sal en las comidas. El smoothie estuvo delicioso. La verdad la clase estuvo muy entendible y muy practica, me gusto mucho."

Translation: "The class was very interesting because we talked about sugar in drinks and salt in food. The smoothie was delicious. Honestly, the class was very understandable and practical, I really liked it." -Cooking class participant

These patients, students, and community members, and hundreds more, have heartfelt compliments regarding the work being done at Luke's House. Thank you, to each of our over 120 volunteers, and to all of our donors who make this work possible. It is because of you that we're able to have such a positive impact on the health of our community. In 2020, we want to continue to grow the work we're doing by hiring a community health worker to help even more people in our community achieve good health. Let's keep making our community healthier for everyone!

With sincere gratitude,



Adam Bradley
Executive Director
Luke's House: A Clinic for Healing and Hope

WHAT WE DO

MEDICAL CLINICS AND SERVICES

General Clinic

On Tuesday and Thursday evenings the clinic provides general care services for adults and children, including school and work physicals, tetanus and flu vaccines, blood pressure and blood sugar checks.

GYN Clinic

Focused on gynecological health, breast health, prevention of mother-to-child transmission of HIV/AIDS and other STDs, family planning, nutritional support and education, and routine PAP smears.

Vision Clinic

Free eye exams and glasses.

Asylum Clinic

Clinical evaluations of asylum-seekers are performed to provide forensic evidence regarding an asylum-seeker's legal case. People who receive forensic evaluations are 66% more likely to be granted asylum.

Prescription Assistance

Our prescription assistance program provides our patients with a free one-month supply of medications.

Patient Navigation

Help assist patients establish primary care, specialty care, social services, and financial assistance or insurance.

Health Education

Healthy cooking classes, in-clinic activities and individual health education sessions. Salud con Sabor Latino, our 4 week-long healthy cooking class, graduated 3 different cohorts for 2019, the classes explored topics such as how to choose healthy food, reading nutrition labels, portion sizes, and mental health. Waiting room healthy cooking demonstrations and individual sessions engaged clinic patients in discussions about nutrition and prevention of diseases such as diabetes and hypertension.



2019 by the Numbers

General Clinic 606

Gynecology 66

Vision 70

Asylum 13

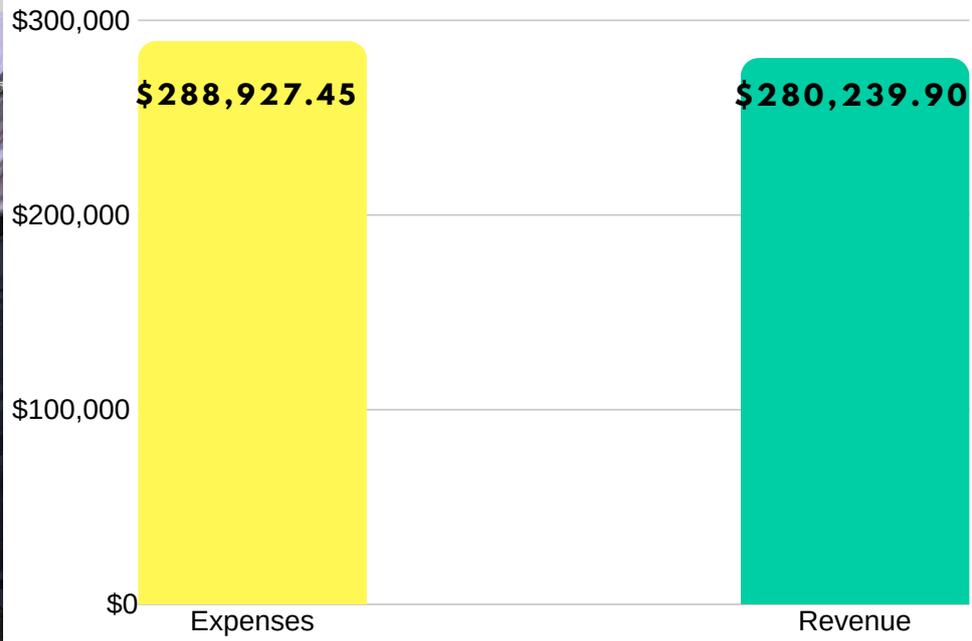
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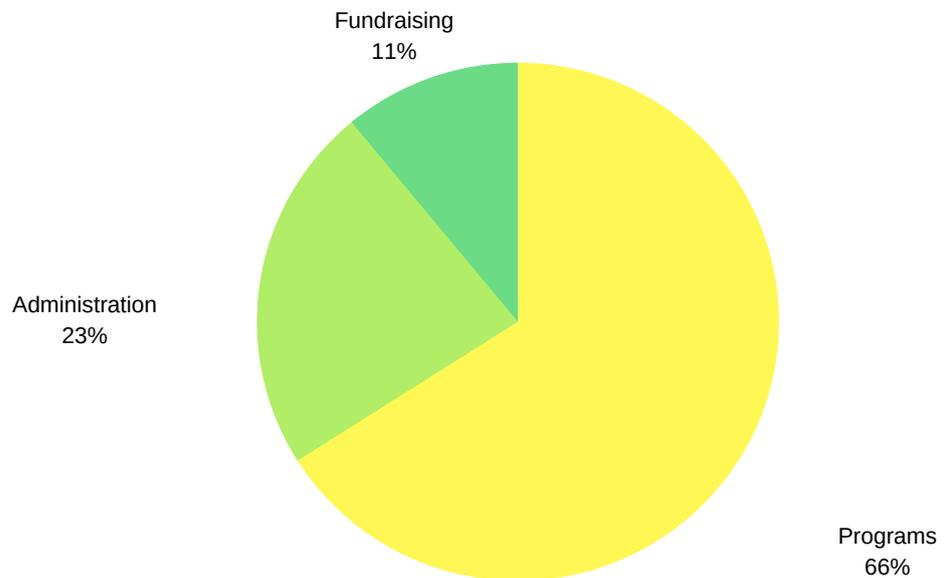
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FISCAL YEAR JANUARY- DECEMBER



BUDGET SUMMARY \$288,927.45



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