

**TZU CHI MEDICAL FOUNDATION**  
**SERVING WITH COMPASSION | 2014**





*Among the eight sufferings of life, illness is the most painful. With the aim of patient-centered medical care that respects patients as teachers, Tzu Chi's medical staff will shoulder the responsibility of caring for people's lives and must ensure proper care of the body, mind, and soul of the patients.*

*— Dharma Master Cheng Yen*

In 1966, Dharma Master Cheng Yen and five disciples started Tzu Chi to inspire people to help the poor. After spending six years among the disadvantaged population of eastern Taiwan, Master Cheng Yen realized that many families became poor following a major illness. She decided to mix idealism with perseverance and tackled the problem of providing medical care to the poor. The first medical service occurred in 1972 when a free clinic was opened in Hualien. Thus began Tzu Chi's medical mission.

Their funding began with thirty housewives dropping a couple cents of grocery money each day into small bamboo banks before shopping. The message was simple: when pooled together, even a little bit of change can make a big difference.

Nearly 50 years later, Tzu Chi counts more than 10 million members and provides relief in over 90 countries around the world. The foundation's mission started with Charity and expanded into Medicine, Education, and Humanistic Culture, followed by Bone Marrow Registry, Environmental Protection, Community Volunteerism, and International Relief.

Tzu Chi has grown into a global medical mission guided by the principles of respecting life and providing patient-centered medical care. They operate six hospitals in Taiwan, manage the world's fifth largest bone marrow bank, and administer the Tzu Chi International Medical Association (TIMA) with more than 10,000 physicians and volunteers who provide free medical services for 1.4 million people around the world.

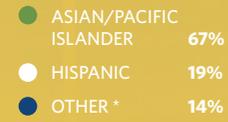
Dedicated to providing patient-centered, high quality community health services to low-income residents in the United States, the Buddhist Tzu Chi Medical Foundation was established in 1993 as a 501(c)(3) charitable non-profit. They are a volunteer-based humanitarian organization that provides clinical services, outreaches, group support programs, and preventive health education, all at minimal or no cost primarily to underserved communities in California.

In Chinese, “Tzu Chi” means “compassion and relief” and true to the meaning, the Tzu Chi Medical Foundation is dedicated to relieving the suffering of all living beings on earth. From humbly giving, to graciously receiving, Tzu Chi has provided primary medical care and health services in the United States for over 20 years. There are many reasons a person may end up without health care, but at Tzu Chi, we believe there are also many ways to help. With love, compassion, and a respect for life, we give fully with both hands to all people in need.

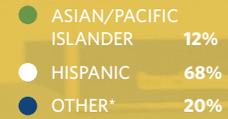


# A diverse patient population

## PERMANENT CLINICS



## OUTREACH



\*OTHER Includes Non-Hispanic White/Black, Native American, not specify

4,203 | volunteers in 2014

47,901  
patient visits  
in 2014



## AREAS OF SERVICE

### MEDICAL

The Tzu Chi Medical Foundation is a 501(c)(3) community-based, volunteer medical organization that provides quality health care services to financially disadvantaged residents, regardless of age, race, sex, or religious affiliations. The first clinic opened in Alhambra, CA. Volunteers include doctors, nurses, and healthcare workers.

### DENTAL

The Tzu Chi Dental Clinic provides low-cost dental care to the uninsured, working poor, and their families. Services include general dentistry, oral surgery, dentures, and oral hygiene education. The staff and volunteers include dentists, dental assistants, hygienists, and endodontists.

### ACUPUNCTURE

Tzu Chi's Acupuncture Clinics offer low cost medical treatment based on the principals of Traditional Chinese Medicine. Our licensed professionals offer acupuncture, acupressure, cupping, Tui-Na, herbal remedies, special stretching exercises, and dietary regimens to help patients recover from their ailments.

### VISION

The Tzu Chi Vision Clinic offers low-cost vision services including optometry and ophthalmology. Both optometrist and ophthalmologists perform comprehensive eye examinations to check eye health and do focused exams to diagnose and treat eye diseases. Optometrists determine the need for prescription glasses.



## DELIVERY OF CARE

### CLINICS

Tzu Chi Medical Foundation operates permanent clinics in Alhambra, Wilmington and South El Monte and a free clinic in Hawaii. All provide free or low-cost medical care to the poor, including medical, dental, vision, acupuncture and outreach programs.

### MOBILE

Tzu Chi's mobile medical clinic offers medical exams and testing services. Three mobile dental clinics are equipped for cleanings, fillings, and extractions. The vision mobile clinic offers optometry, ophthalmology, eye exams, and provides free glasses to patients.

### TIMA

The Tzu Chi Medical Association (TIMA) consists of volunteer medical professionals who donate their time and medical expertise to provide medical services locally and worldwide. TIMA doctors and nurses assist the world's most vulnerable populations affected by disasters.

## ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS

### HEALTHY COMMUNITY

The Healthy Community program offers health education to local residents and their families with diet and nutrition classes, cancer screenings, health management classes, and support groups. The goal is to create an awareness of preventive health information to improve patients' overall health and wellbeing.



Dear Friends,

With the mission of serving needy individuals with compassion, providing patient-centered medical care, and respecting patients as teachers, the Buddhist Tzu Chi Medical Foundation began as a free clinic in Alhambra, California in 1993. We provide dental, medical, vision, and acupuncture services to underprivileged residents regardless of religion, age, gender, ethnicity or ability to pay. With the goal of optimizing patients' physical and mental health, we emphasize quality medical services, warm care, and love toward patients—as if taking care of our own family members.

I started my meaningful journey with Tzu Chi in 1994. Appointed Chief Executive Officer in 2002, I served as CEO for six years. In 2014, I accepted this position for a second time. My goal is to lead the Medical Foundation toward the advancement of sustainability in operations and service excellence, alongside Tzu Chi's remarkable team of volunteer physicians, nurses, and other health professionals.

In California communities where basic health care is unavailable or unaffordable, Tzu Chi delivers medical care, prescription drugs, and health education. Our five mobile medical units have delivered clinical services to thousands of

*Fundamental to Tzu Chi's charitable work is the mission to inspire love and goodness within each person—both the receiver and the giver.*

patients at outreaches held in collaboration with Care Harbor, Molina Healthcare/Molina Medical, Pacific Clinics, and homeless service organizations. In addition, our Healthy Community programs promote awareness of preventive health measures with health education classes, exercise classes, and support groups. Total mobile service encounters topped 18,188 in 2014.

Our 2015 service expansion goals include accepting insured patients, establishing a permanent clinic in Fresno, adding another vision mobile unit to serve Central California and welcoming our new prostate cancer screening mobile unit.

In the following pages, you will see the progress we have made in our programs and you will meet the dedicated staff and volunteers who make Tzu Chi's mission possible. We thank our many donors, volunteers, and supporters who have stood with us through the years. We appreciate your contributions. They go a long way in aiding those who need it most.

Gratefully,  
William Keh, M.D.  
Chief Executive Officer



Dear Tzu Chi,  
Thank you for your kindness and mercy to provide medical care to the low-income people. I didn't have a job and you and your volunteers treated me kindly. Though I haven't got insurance yet, I got a job recently. Attached is my donation to support your ministry as a token of my appreciation.

— Judith P., Alhambra, CA

## MEDICAL SERVICES

Tzu Chi provides primary health care services to medically underserved communities and vulnerable populations. Staff and volunteer doctors, nurses and translators deliver quality medical care with routine checkups, women's health services, medical exams, follow-up care and prescription drug coverage. For most low-income and no-income patients, Tzu Chi is the only accessible and affordable (or free) medical care they receive; that also includes education and translation.

2014  
patient  
visits

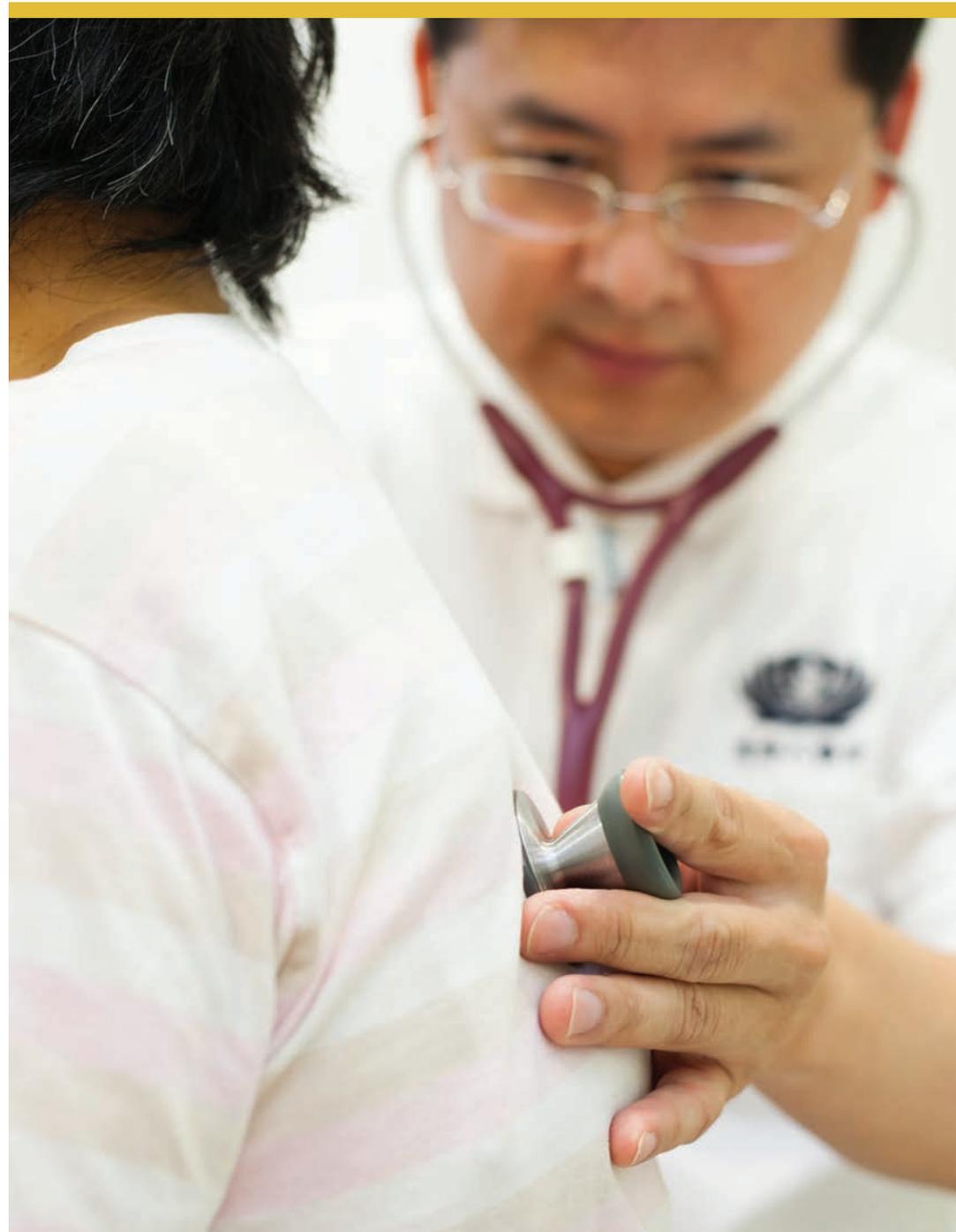
PERMANENT CLINICS

15,262

OUTREACH

8,660

- 1993 ● FIRST TZU CHI MEDICAL CLINIC was established in Alhambra, CA.
- 1994 ● TZU CHI DOCTORS PROVIDED medical services to victims of the Northridge Earthquake in Los Angeles County.
- INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL outreach was held in Mexico.
- 1995 ● FIRST BONE MARROW TEST event was held at Tzu Chi Free Clinic in Alhambra.
- 1996 ● TZU CHI MEDICAL OUTREACH IN San Dimas, California served hundreds of low-income Hispanic residents.
- TZU CHI INTERNATIONAL Medical Association (TIMA) was established.
- 2002 ● FIRST MOBILE MEDICAL VAN was built.
- 2003 ● MEDICAL CARE EVENT was held in Skid Row, Downtown Los Angeles.
- FIRST MOBILE MEDICAL CLINIC provides free medical services to low-income migrant workers in Fresno.
- 2005 ● US TIMA PROVIDES EMERGENCY medical services to tsunami victims in Sri Lanka.
- TZU CHI OPENS MEDICAL CLINIC in South El Monte, CA.
- 2012 ● PERMANENT MEDICAL OFFICE opens for weekly mobile clinic in Fresno.



**Above:** Dr. Denq listens to the lung fields of a patient who is short of breath.

**Opposite page:** Routine testing plays a crucial role in protecting health throughout a person's lifetime.



## MEDICAL SERVICES

The Tzu Chi Medical Foundation is a community-based, volunteer-driven organization that provides comprehensive primary health care services to medically and financially disadvantaged uninsured children and adults. The first clinic opened in Alhambra, CA in 1993. An evening free clinic is open in Hawaii.

Tzu Chi's on-site services include Family Medicine, Internal Medicine, ENT, Pediatrics, Podiatry, Immunizations, Women's Health, Optometry and Ophthalmology. With over 600 professional volunteers, the medical staff is comprised of physicians, pediatricians, podiatrists, optometrists, oncologists and nurses who focus on humane, patient-centered care, including checkups, medical exams, lab tests, x-rays, minor surgery and medical social work. Selected prescription drugs are dispensed free to our patients who cannot afford to purchase these medications.

The low administrative costs and large volunteer base helps keep the pricing affordable for the uninsured, underinsured and financially disadvantaged patients. Volunteers and medical staff also organize cancer, diabetes, and dialysis support groups.

*On a monthly basis, nearly 1,300 patients visits are scheduled at our Alhambra clinic. No one is turned away, regardless of age, sex, race or religious beliefs.*

Every year Tzu Chi participates with our partners in three major medical outreach events in Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Fresno. For most patients and their families, Tzu Chi is their only option for comprehensive medical care, follow-up care and prescription medications. These events are free of charge for patients.

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*According to the Kaiser Family Foundation, in 2013, nearly 8 in 10 uninsured were in a low-income family with a worker, and nearly 6 in 10 have family income below 200% of poverty. People of color are at higher risk of being uninsured than non-Hispanic Whites.*

*Tooth decay remains one of the most common chronic childhood diseases in the United States and untreated tooth decay among children aged 2-8 was twice as high for Hispanic and non-Hispanic black children compared with non-Hispanic white children.*

*— Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 2015*



## DENTAL SERVICES

The first Tzu Chi Dental Clinic opened its doors in 1993 to provide access to affordable and free dental care to homeless and low-income residents. Our professional staff and volunteers provide complete dental treatment to adults and children in our permanent clinics and three mobile dental vans. We provide general dentistry, oral surgery, dentures and oral hygiene education.

**2014**  
patient  
visits

PERMANENT CLINICS

4,774

OUTREACH

5,530

- 1993 ● DENTAL DEPARTMENT OF TZU CHI MEDICAL CLINIC was established in Alhambra, CA.
- 1994 ● FIRST DENTAL OUTREACH WAS held for children from low-income families in the Valle Lindo School District (K-8) in South El Monte, California.
- 2000 ● THE FIRST DENTAL MOBILE van was built.
- 2001 ● THE FIRST TZU CHI DENTAL assistant training was held.
- 2003 ● THE SECOND MOBILE VAN was built and it currently serves Fresno, CA.
- 2008 ● SOUTH EL MONTE DENTAL CLINIC opened its doors.
- THE THIRD MOBILE VAN was built.
- 2009 ● TZU CHI OFFERED FREE MOBILE dental services to homeless people in the Greater Los Angeles Area.
- 2010 ● TZU CHI COMMUNITY CLINIC in Wilmington was established.



**Above:** With a new set of upper dentures, Michael could not stop thanking the doctors and volunteers.

**Opposite page:** "Some people have never had their teeth cleaned and most of the people haven't been to the dentist for at least 10 years," explained volunteer dentist Dr. Shirley Chen.



## DENTAL SERVICES

At Tzu Chi, dental volunteers understand that it is hard to smile when your teeth hurt. Toothaches, tooth loss, an abscess or infection can cause pain, distress, lost school and workdays. For the working poor, homeless and medically underserved patients, dental insurance doesn't exist. As a result, maintaining proper dental hygiene is a challenge. Patients with poor dental care can easily end up in the emergency room due to chronic dental problems. A tooth infection, left untreated, can even lead to death. Even for individuals covered by Medicare and Medicaid, there is a deplorable lack of comprehensive dental services for adults.

By offering coordinated, continuous dental care, Tzu Chi strives to improve health status, access and health awareness of residents in medically underserved communities. The staff and professional volunteers include dentists, dental assistants, endodontists, and hygienists. Patient comfort is a top priority and services include emergency appointments, general dentistry, oral surgery, dentures, and oral hygiene education.

*Recognition of the importance of oral health has grown since the U.S. Surgeon General's 2000 report, which highlighted the prevalence of poor oral health among low-income groups and stressed that oral health is essential to overall health.<sup>1</sup>*

Patients made nearly 4,800 scheduled visits at our three California locations in 2014. Over 5,500 patients were treated in our mobile clinics. By providing low cost or free, high-quality dental services, patients are encouraged to return for routine check-ups to ensure that teeth and gums remain clean and healthy because good oral health is a key component of overall good health.

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1) U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Oral Health in America: A Report of the Surgeon General, Rockville, Md. (2000).



*Acupuncture promotes pain relief, decreases inflammation, and speeds patient recovery.*

## ACUPUNCTURE & TRADITIONAL CHINESE MEDICINE

Tzu Chi's Acupuncture Clinic strives to integrate the best medical knowledge of both East and West to provide preventive care and effective treatments suited to patients' needs. Traditional Chinese medicine helps patients bring their body into balance, make lifestyle changes, and be active participants in their health and medical treatments. Services offered include acupuncture, acupressure, cupping, Tui Na, herbal remedies, special stretching exercises, dietary regimens, health classes and workshops.

**2014**  
patient  
visits

PERMANENT CLINICS

9,305

OUTREACH

1,772

1993 ● ACUPUNCTURE DEPARTMENT of the Tzu Chi Clinic in Alhambra was established.

2005 ● ACUPUNCTURE DEPARTMENT of the Tzu Chi Clinic in South El Monte was established.

2010 ● ACUPUNCTURE DEPARTMENT of the Tzu Chi Community Clinic in Wilmington was established.



Above: Acupuncture Director Jeng-Shiang Chen explains the path of the main meridians to a patient.

Opposite page: Tui Na is a form of massage therapy often used in conjunction with acupuncture.



## ACUPUNCTURE

Tzu Chi Acupuncture Clinics offer cost-effective medical treatments based on the principals of Traditional Chinese Medicine. Our comprehensive approach to restoring health is always patient-centered and utilizes acupuncture, cupping, Tui Na (Chinese therapeutic massage), and herbal remedies, free from the worry of adverse side effects from toxic medications or invasive procedures.

Nearly 9,300 patient visits were made at our three acupuncture clinics in 2014. Licensed by the Acupuncture Board of California, Tzu Chi's nine acupuncturists are committed to giving each patient the highest quality health care with efficient, compassionate and effective treatments.

*Tzu Chi volunteers and staff firmly embrace the affirmation and altruistic vision that the suffering of the ill may only be extinguished holistically; by protecting life, guarding health, and spreading love.*

As said in Huangdi Neijing, the essential source for ancient Chinese medicine, "the superior doctor treats an illness before it has occurred." Tzu Chi Acupuncture Clinics follow this principle and offer patients preventive care by encouraging them to have "well visits" and by giving advice on diet, exercise, and lifestyle choices, thus allowing patients to continue to improve their health after clinic visits.



# VISION SERVICES

For the poor and medically underserved, unmet eye and vision care needs can significantly impair learning, job performance, employment opportunities and home safety. Tzu Chi's volunteer vision professionals are dedicated to helping underserved patients reach their maximum potential by offering on-going low-cost or free vision care. With same-day free prescription glasses, Tzu Chi's Mobile Vision Clinic services are in high demand in communities without eye care or vision services.

*"It is our honor and privilege to partner with Tzu Chi Foundation in bringing help and hope to those who are homeless in the San Gabriel Valley Region of Los Angeles County."*

— Connie Brehm, President of Board of Directors of the East San Gabriel Valley Coalition for the Homeless

2014 patient visits	PERMANENT CLINICS 372
	OUTREACH 2,226

- 2001 ● TZU CHI MEDICAL BEGAN TO offer vision screening at the Fresno outreach.
- 2008 ● TZU CHI SOUTH EL MONTE began to provide vision care services.
- 2012 ● TZU CHI'S VISION CARE SERVICES expanded and moved to the Alhambra Clinic.
- 2013 ● FIRST VISION MOBILE CLINIC was built and started to operate at Care 4 A Healthy I.E. in San Bernardino.



Above: Dr. Aye performs an eye exam in the Vision Mobile Van.

Opposite page: A volunteer optometrist examines a patient at 2014 Care Harbor Health Fair.



## VISION SERVICES

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, blindness or low vision affected more than 3.3 million Americans aged 40 years and older; this number is predicted to double by 2030 due to our rapidly aging U.S. population and the increasing epidemics of diabetes and other chronic diseases. Visual impairment is more than a health problem; it has economic, educational, and public safety implications. Like most preventive health measures, early detection and timely treatment of eye conditions has been found to be efficacious and cost effective.

In 2014, Tzu Chi volunteer vision professionals saw nearly 2,600 patients at our permanent and mobile vision clinics. All clinics have exam rooms, optometric equipment, and phoropters to check prescriptions and screen for eye diseases. With on-site optical grinding machines, patients who visit Tzu Chi's mobile vision clinics receive same-day service for new glasses.

*In 2013 an estimated 61 million adults in the United States were at high risk for serious vision loss, but only half visited an eye doctor in the past 12 months.<sup>2</sup>*

To better serve residents who are unable to travel to a vision clinic, the Tzu Chi Medical Foundation built a state-of-the-art Mobile Vision Clinic with funding support from Supervisor Michael Antonovich and the Fifth District of Los Angeles County. The new mobile clinic is dedicated to helping patients reach their maximum potential by offering no-cost vision services to all, regardless of ability to pay. These services are vital to working individuals, the uninsured, elderly, and students.

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2) Vision Health Initiative, U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

# DELIVERY OF CARE

Tzu Chi offers a variety of delivery methods for medically underserved patients in a wide geographic region, including areas that lack healthcare facilities. Tzu Chi also provides preventive health education to the general public. Through the Tzu Chi International Medical Association, Tzu Chi supports staffing for medical emergencies with a global service network of volunteer medical professionals who offer their services free-of-charge to victims of disasters.

## PERMANENT AND MOBILE CLINIC LOCATIONS

### Buddhist Tzu Chi Medical Center

1000 S. Garfield Ave. Alhambra, CA 91801

### Buddhist Tzu Chi Acupuncture Clinic

10414 Vacco St., South El Monte, CA 91733

### Buddhist Tzu Chi Community Dental Clinic

10414 Vacco Street, South El Monte, CA 91733

### Buddhist Tzu Chi Community Clinic

1355 Broad Avenue, Wilmington, CA 90744

### Buddhist Tzu Chi Free Clinic

100 N. Beretania St., Suite 122, Honolulu, HI 96817

### Buddhist Tzu Chi Mobile Clinic – Fresno

3898 North Ann Avenue, Fresno, CA 93727

### Buddhist Tzu Chi Dental Mobile Clinic – San Jose

175 Dempsey Road, Milpitas, CA 95035



## CLINICS

Tzu Chi Medical Foundation operates four permanent clinics located in South El Monte, Alhambra, Wilmington, and Hawaii.

Tzu Chi's four medical clinics provide primary health care, family medicine, internal medicine, pediatrics, immunizations, gynecology and mammograms, ophthalmology and optometry, vision care, podiatry, ENT, minor surgery, diet and nutrition consultations, free prescription medications, health fair and outreach programs, cancer and diabetic support groups, dental services, acupuncture and medical social work. Services are low-cost or free for qualifying patients and delivered to a wide geographic region, including areas that lack healthcare and medical facilities

SAN GABRIEL VALLEY REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE—2014 NON-PROFIT OF THE YEAR



## MOBILE OUTREACH

Tzu Chi's five mobile clinics offer comprehensive medical, dental and vision care services to patients who have no insurance or access to on-going medical care. The majority of these patients have family incomes that are below 200% of the federal poverty level. This group accounts for the largest number of the medically underserved.

The mobile clinics deliver services to migrant farm workers, the homeless, the working poor, students without insurance, and populations with language barriers in Los Angeles, Fresno, San Bernardino, Riverside, Orange and San Diego counties.

Tzu Chi operates three fully equipped mobile dental clinics, staffed with dentists, hygienists, and dental assistants. The new vision mobile clinic includes an exam room, optometry equipment, phoropters and a lens grinder machine. The mobile medical clinic provides basic health services including lab tests, internal medicine, pediatrics, dental, flu shots and immunizations. For most patients, Tzu Chi's free or low-cost services are the only care available. Patients are encouraged to return for annual exams and checkups.

ZERO-THE END OF PROSTATE CANCER  
DONATED MOBILE CLINIC VAN IN 2014



## TIMA

The Tzu Chi International Medical Association or TIMA is an organized global service network of over 8,600 licensed medical professionals who serve as volunteers to treat victims of disasters. TIMA's uniqueness is that not only do they have a group of well-trained medical professionals; most of the volunteers are highly experienced and understand the aim and scope of disaster relief projects. This enables the medical staff to provide comprehensive medical care.

Since its inception in 1972, medical volunteers have helped over 940,000 people in over 32 countries. They recently teamed with the Red Cross for disaster relief projects in the United States and assisted victims of Hurricane Sandy, and communities devastated by tornadoes in Texas and Oklahoma.

Members from all over the world serve at their own expense. No matter what nationality and what their beliefs are, TIMA members from countries near and far volunteer their help and support.

NOMINATED BY FEMA, TZU CHI USA NAMED MEMBER OF THE YEAR (2013) BY NATIONAL VOLUNTARY ORGANIZATIONS ACTIVE IN DISASTER (NVOAD) CONFERENCE.



Above: As part of their wellness education programs to promote healthy living, Tzu Chi provides vegetarian cooking classes (in English, Chinese and Spanish) for adults and children.

## HEALTHY COMMUNITY

The Tzu Chi Healthy Community Wellness Program seeks to engage patients in healthy lifestyles by offering wellness education classes and a variety of health improvement techniques. Professional staff and volunteer doctors offer community outreach programs with health clinics to promote good health and prevent disease. Additionally, our 2014 diabetes support program consists of healthy eating, stress management and a walking group. Participants who attended all program classes in 3 months improved their metabolic health. Other classes include vegetarian cooking, Laughing Yoga, Nature Qi Energy Flow, meditation, as well as a cancer support group. We will expand the program services in 2015 including the chronic disease support program and stress management series. Tzu Chi recently collaborated with the American Diabetes Association and the Asian Pacific Diabetes Coalition to assist local residents who have diabetes and are at high risk for diabetes.

The workshops and programs teach basic health literacy, which is fundamental to a successful interaction between health care professionals and their patients.

2000 ● CANCER SUPPORT GROUPS were started.

2013 ● WALK WITH THE DOCTOR project was started.

2014 ● DIABETES HEALTH MANAGEMENT project was started.

# FINANCIAL REPORT

SUPPORT AND REVENUE		
	2013	2014
CONTRIBUTIONS	\$ 305,629	\$ 355,037
GRANTS	\$ 3,056,996	\$ 2,044,851
CONTRIBUTED SERVICES	\$ 316,690	\$ 373,879
PATIENT SERVICE REVENUE	\$ 1,410,669	\$ 1,460,618
INTEREST AND OTHER	\$ 5,824	\$ 10,736
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 5,095,808</b>	<b>\$ 4,245,121</b>

ASSETS		
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
	2013	2014
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 881,051	\$ 748,716
Grants receivable	\$ 731,841	\$ 858,691
Inventories	\$ 12,263	\$ 2,263
Prepaid expenses	\$ 10,735	\$ 18,064
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 1,635,890</b>	<b>\$ 1,627,734</b>
<b>PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, AT COST</b>		
	2013	2014
Vans and automobiles	\$ 1,173,322	\$ 1,173,322
Computers and printers	\$ 184,049	\$ 207,905
Furniture and fixtures	\$ 62,888	\$ 64,117
Office equipment	\$ 96,824	\$ 96,824
Leasehold improvements	\$ 4,093,226	\$ 4,107,826
Medical equipment	\$ 673,207	\$ 673,207
	\$ 6,283,516	\$ 6,323,201
Less accumulated depreciation	(\$ 1,673,815)	(\$ 1,966,142)
Property and equipment, net	\$ 4,609,701	\$ 4,357,059
Construction in progress	—	—
Total property and equipment	\$ 4,609,701	\$ 4,357,059
<b>SECURITY DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$ 9,623</b>	<b>\$ 9,623</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 6,255,214</b>	<b>\$ 6,094,416</b>

EXPENSES		
	2013	2014
PROGRAM SERVICES	\$ 4,165,315	\$ 3,830,828
SUPPORT SERVICES	\$ 477,047	\$ 758,939
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 4,642,362</b>	<b>\$ 4,589,767</b>
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	\$ 453,446	\$ 344,646
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$ 5,623,982	\$ 6,077,428
NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR	\$ 6,077,428	\$ 5,732,782

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		
	2013	2014
Accounts payable	\$ 59,470	\$ 170,828
Accrued liabilities and other payables	\$ 111,406	\$ 185,571
Current obligations under capital leases	\$ 1,675	\$ 1,860
<b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$ 172,551</b>	<b>\$ 358,259</b>
<b>OBLIGATIONS UNDER CAPITAL LEASES</b>	<b>\$ 5,235</b>	<b>\$ 3,375</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$ 177,786</b>	<b>\$ 361,634</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		
Unrestricted	\$ 5,580,164	\$ 5,335,518
Temporarily restricted	497,264	397,264
Total net assets	\$ 6,077,428	\$ 5,732,782
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 6,255,214</b>	<b>\$ 6,094,416</b>

*“Our partnership with Tzu Chi aligns with our mission to deliver healthcare services to the underserved population with heart, compassion and respect. They think the entire process through from beginning to end. We share the same vision, meeting the global needs of the local low-income community in the Inland Empire.”*

*— Ruthy Argumedo, Associated Vice President Community Engagement, Molina Healthcare of California*

## TZU CHI MEDICAL FOUNDATION STAFF

### **William Keh, MD**

Chief Executive Officer

### **Steven Voon**

Chief Operation Officer & Executive Vice President  
Mobile Clinic/Outreach Director

### **Shirley Chen, DDS**

Executive Vice President

### **Katy Yoh**

Controller/Administrator

### **Stephen Denq, MD**

Medical Director

### **Richard Chang, DDS**

Dental Director

### **Stephanie Liu, DDS**

Alhambra Dental Clinic Director

### **Peter C. Chen, DDS**

South El Monte Dental Clinic Director

### **Lawrence Lai, DDS**

Wilmington Community Clinic Director

### **Shin-Cung Chen, Lic. Ac.**

Acupuncture Director

### **Eugene Taw, MD**

Healthy Community Director

## RECENT AWARDS AND COMMENDATIONS

**ZERO-The End of Prostate Cancer–2014**

Donated a Mobile Clinic Van

**San Gabriel Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce–2014, Non-Profit of the Year**

**White House–2013**

Champions of Change for Hurricane Sandy Disaster Relief

**Certificate of US Congressional Recognition–2013**

**Los Angeles Police Department–2013**

Certificate of Appreciation

**County of Los Angeles–2013**

Certificate of Commendation

**Harbor Community Benefit Foundation–2013**

Certificate of Congressional Recognition

**City of Fresno Proclamation–2013**

Fresno Tzu Chi Medical Service Day

**California State Assembly – 2013**

CalViva Community Solution Makers Award

**California Legislature Assembly – 2013**

Certificate of Recognition

## PARTNER AGENCIES

### HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

Asian Pacific Diabetes Coalition

Blue Shield of California

California Health Collaborative

CalViva Health

Care Harbor

Central California Legal Services

Centro La Familia

East San Gabriel Valley Coalition for the Homeless

Emory University

Flying Doctors

Glenkirk Presbyterian Church

Harbor Community Benefit Foundation

Henry Schein, Inc.

Kaiser Permanente

Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority

Lucky Farms

Molina Healthcare/Molina Medical Clinics

Pacific Clinics

Panda Cares/Panda Restaurant Group

St. Christopher’s Catholic Church

St. Dorothy’s Catholic Church

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

St. John Vianney Catholic Church

St. Martha’s Catholic Church

Univision Communications Inc.

### GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

Fresno County Department of Public Health

County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health

Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas, Los Angeles County, Second District

Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich, Los Angeles County, Fifth District

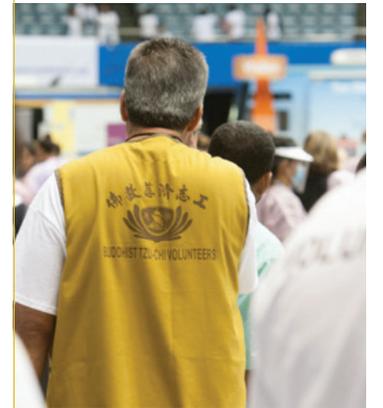
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