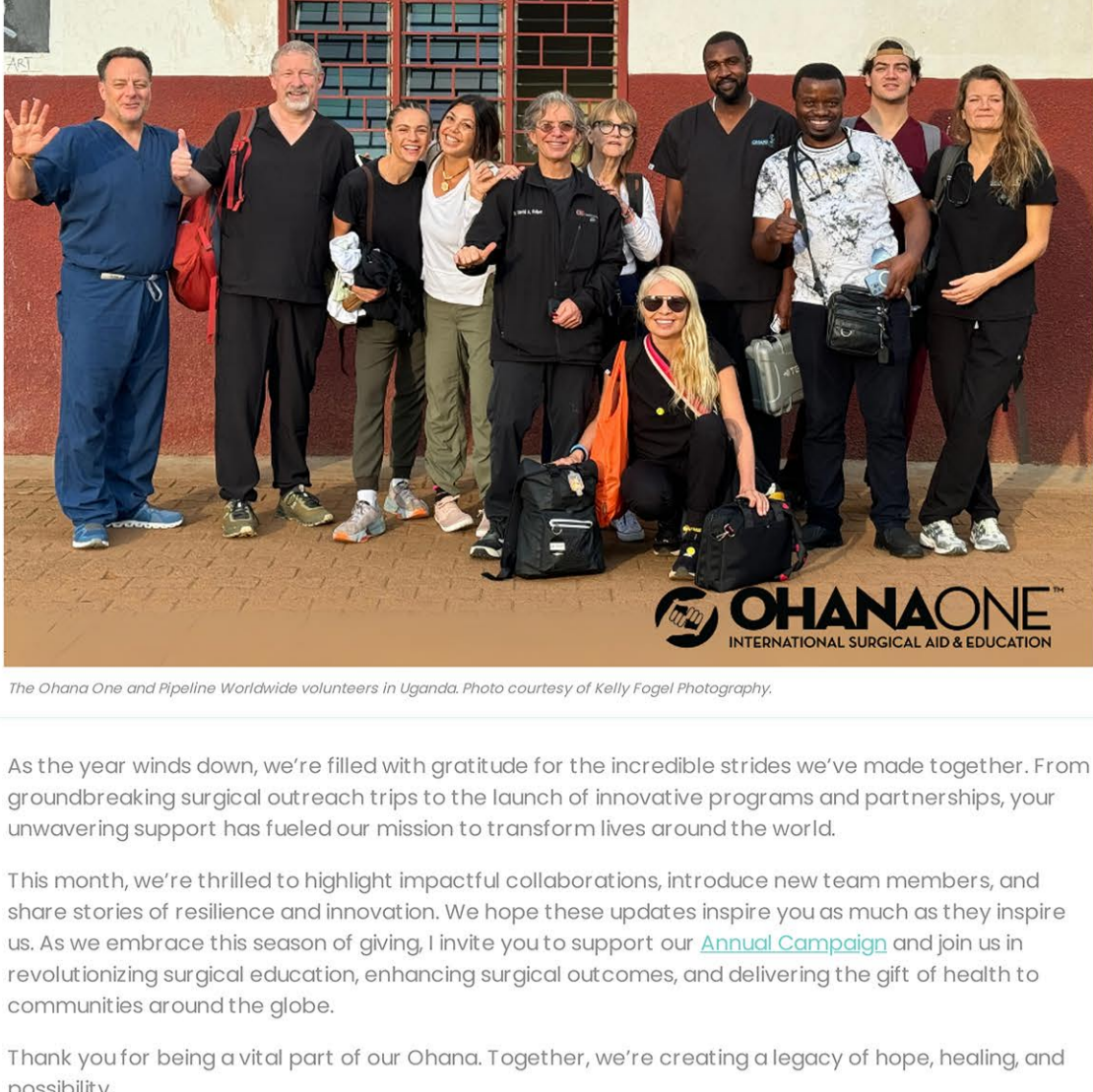


Insights

Holiday 2024



The Ohana One and Pipeline Worldwide volunteers in Uganda. Photo courtesy of Kelly Fogel Photography.

As the year winds down, we're filled with gratitude for the incredible strides we've made together. From groundbreaking surgical outreach trips to the launch of innovative programs and partnerships, your unwavering support has fueled our mission to transform lives around the world.

This month, we're thrilled to highlight impactful collaborations, introduce new team members, and share stories of resilience and innovation. We hope these updates inspire you as much as they inspire us. As we embrace this season of giving, I invite you to support our [Annual Campaign](#), and join us in revolutionizing surgical education, enhancing surgical outcomes, and delivering the gift of health to communities around the globe.

Thank you for being a vital part of our Ohana. Together, we're creating a legacy of hope, healing, and possibility.

Warmly,

Marchelle Sellers
Executive Director



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Ohana One and Pipeline Worldwide Partnership

Pipeline Worldwide, a U.S.-based nonprofit, is passionately committed to enhancing maternal and neonatal health in underserved regions, making a significant impact in Uganda's Moyo District through its initiatives at Moyo General Hospital. By tackling systemic challenges such as resource shortages and stigma, Pipeline Worldwide is effectively reducing mortality rates and fostering sustainable health solutions.

Central to this mission is their strategic partnership with Ohana One. Through this collaboration, Pipeline Worldwide integrates state-of-the-art telemedicine technology, including Smart Glasses and Remote View software, which facilitates real-time guidance from global medical mentors. This groundbreaking tool empowers local practitioners, like Dr. Chris Wasswa, to deliver expert care during high-risk pregnancies and emergencies.

Pipeline Worldwide's dedication extends beyond hospital care, as they also fund clean water initiatives to combat waterborne diseases like the Zika virus, which impact maternal health. This comprehensive approach highlights the organization's commitment to addressing root causes and enhancing overall health outcomes.

In collaboration with Ohana One, Pipeline Worldwide is spearheading change through mentorship, technology, and infrastructure, instilling hope and resilience in mothers and babies in Moyo and beyond.

Read the full story [here](#).



Introducing Ohana One's Field Coordinators for Africa: Peter and Cecilia Ronoh, and Welcoming Team Member Sara Stohl!

Ohana One is thrilled to welcome our Field Coordinators for Africa, Peter Ronoh and Cecilia Ronoh, as well as to introduce a passionate new member of our team, Sara Stohl. Each of them embodies dedication to expanding global surgical education and advancing access to quality healthcare.

Peter, a seasoned Biomedical Engineer and founder of Molgen Scientific, officially joined Ohana One in October 2024. With expertise in critical care systems, he is advancing precision medicine and empowering under-resourced communities across Sub-Saharan Africa. Peter's work ensures seamless mentor-mentee connections, supports partner NGOs, and brings innovative solutions like smart glasses technology to life-saving surgical outreach programs.

Cecilia, Co-Director of Molgen Scientific, joined Ohana One in November 2024, sharing her expertise in using technology to bridge healthcare gaps. From coordinating smart glasses programs to establishing virtual skills labs, Cecilia's passion lies in providing accessible care and education to underserved regions. She is driving impactful change through telepresence technology and training, fostering opportunities in rural and low-resource areas.

Sara began her role with Ohana One in October 2024, inspired by her studies on health inequality and global health issues. As part of our team, Sara is supporting our mission through messaging and content creation. Her passion for the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals and dedication to spreading awareness aligns perfectly with Ohana One's vision. In her short time here, Sara has already made an impact with her enthusiasm, creativity, and collaborative spirit.

Please join us in welcoming Peter, Cecilia, and Sara to the Ohana One family! Their dedication and expertise are invaluable as we continue to innovate and grow our impact across the globe.

Read more about Peter, Cecilia, and Sara [here](#).



OHANA ONE Annual Support

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Why Your Gift Matters

As the year comes to a close, we at Ohana One take a moment to reflect on the remarkable journey we've shared. What started as a visionary concept by Dr. David Kulber, Dr. Michele Dee, and Kylie Tanabe, PA-C, has flourished into a global initiative, revolutionizing surgical care across more than 70 countries and through 61 NGO partners.

Thanks to the life-changing support of donors like you, Ohana One is seamlessly integrating remote surgical technology, peer-to-peer mentoring, and technology grants. This has led to transformative advancements for hundreds of surgeons and thousands of patients worldwide. Yet, with an unanticipated demand for Ohana's innovative blend of technology and direct support, we urgently seek your assistance to meet this growing need. Your year-end contribution is more than just a donation; it's a vital lifeline to under-resourced surgeons and the patients they serve, helping to bridge the surgical gap and bring hope to countless individuals around the world.

Please donate today to be a part of our Ohana that is changing lives!

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Uganda Surgical Outreach Trip

Ohana One, in partnership with Pipeline Worldwide, recently participated in a life-changing surgical outreach trip to Uganda. The collaboration brought together a team of international medical professionals and local volunteers to deliver critical surgical care to children and their families at partner hospital Moyo and St. Mary's Lacor.

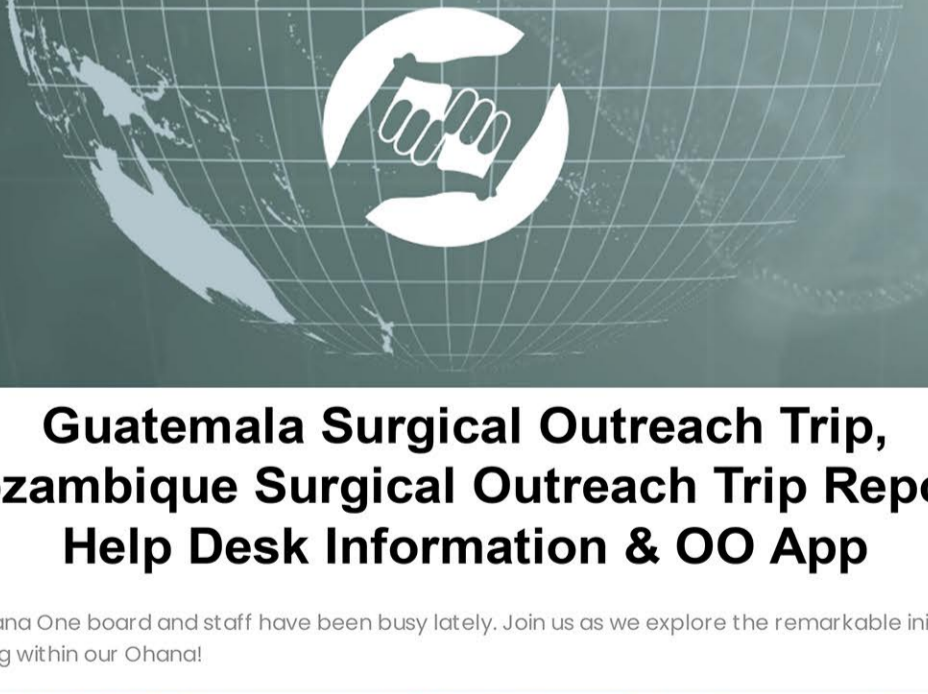
From the moment the team arrived, the need was evident—children and their mothers stood in line, some having waited over a month for care. Fueled by a shared mission of compassion and healing, the team worked tirelessly to ensure that no patient was left untreated. Over the course of the trip, they conducted **50 patient consultations** and completed **36 surgeries**, changing lives and restoring hope.

Technology played a pivotal role in the trip's success. Tools like ultrasound and videolaryngoscopes enhanced the team's ability to deliver precise and effective care, while training sessions conducted by team members empowered local anesthetic officers and nurses with new skills to sustain care long after the team's departure.

Local involvement was a cornerstone of this outreach. A team of 50 local medical volunteers worked alongside the visiting professionals to support logistics, patient care, and operations. Their dedication exemplified the power of collaboration and the strength of community.

"This trip was a testament to what can be accomplished through partnerships like ours with Pipeline Worldwide," shared Anne Marie Roust, a Danish Anesthesiologist on the trip. "By working together with local professionals and volunteers, we didn't just provide surgeries—we built capacity, shared knowledge, and created lasting change."

Ohana One remains committed to advancing surgical care worldwide, and this trip to Uganda was a powerful example of how compassion, expertise, and collaboration can transform lives. Keep an eye out for our Uganda Surgical Outreach Trip Report coming soon!



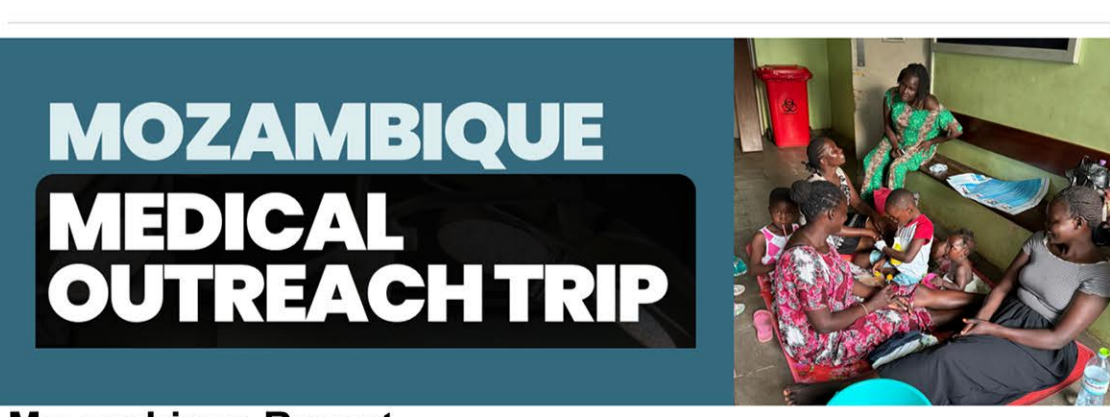
Guatemala Surgical Outreach Trip, Mozambique Surgical Outreach Trip Report, Help Desk Information & OO App

The Ohana One board and staff have been busy lately. Join us as we explore the remarkable initiatives unfolding within our Ohana!



Guatemala Surgical Outreach Trip

Ohana One will be embarking on a surgical outreach trip to Guatemala from May 3-9, 2025, at the Moore Center in Guatemala City. This combined pediatric trip's mission will focus on providing specialized Urology and Plastic Surgery care, offering life-changing surgeries and medical expertise to children in need. Our dedicated team of surgeons, medical professionals, and volunteers is committed to improving lives and advancing medical care for underserved communities. Are you a surgical professional interested in volunteering? If so, please fill out this [form](#).



The OO App

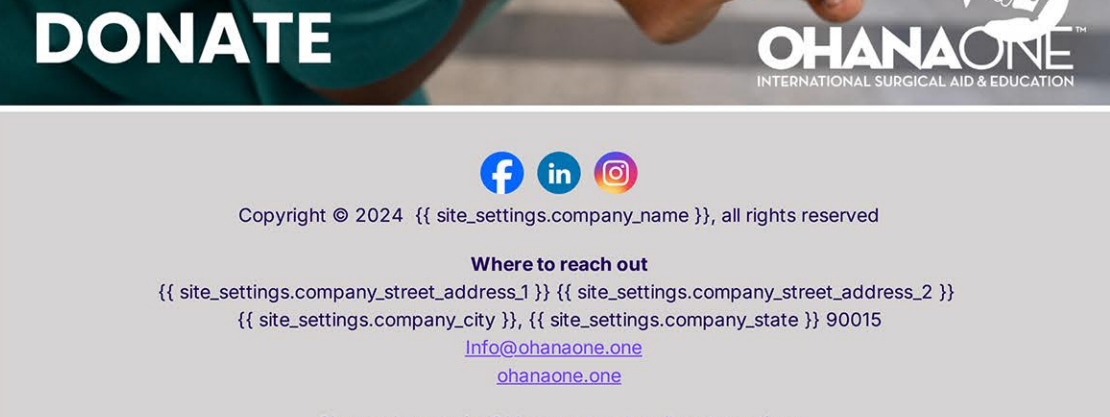
The **OO App** will revolutionize how surgeons connect and collaborate. Users can track educational milestones, access the Ohana One Video Library, engage in live surgeries and discussions, and post assistance requests. Features include HIPAA-compliant messaging, and tools for creating community groups, sharing multimedia, and searching for providers by specialization or location. Launching in Q2 2025, the OO App will empower medical professionals with advanced tools for learning and collaboration. Sign up [here](#) for updates on progress and features!

MOZAMBIQUE MEDICAL OUTREACH TRIP

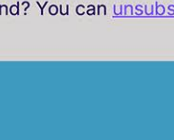


Mozambique Report

Ohana One's recent medical outreach trip to Mozambique was a remarkable journey of innovation and collaboration, focusing on reconstructive surgeries and immersive training for local medical professionals. The team compassionately treated both pediatric and adult patients with complex challenges. Highlights include performing the country's very first functional free flap with the local surgeons, performing a series of intricate procedures ranging from microsurgery to burn and innovative pain management, facial reconstruction, contracture releases, and flap cases. Read the full [Outreach Trip Report here](#).



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