

## MISSION / VISION

Our vision is to be a tangible outpouring of God's love, offering both the opportunity for healing of the whole person and a spark for community change.

Grace Community Healthcare Ministry is an independent, faith-based, non-profit organization, assisting the medically underserved residents of the region. Following the example of the Great Physician, we will extend Help, Hope, and Healing to the whole person while maintaining individual dignity. We will provide quality medical care and wellness education upholding a standard of excellence and improving the quality of life in this area

## STAFF

Active and retired medical and social services professionals volunteer to provide the needed quality medical care. Community volunteers are recruited to assist with the operational needs of the programs.

## GRACE

It is understood by Christians to be the "free gift" of overflowing love and mercy from God.

It is God's gift of salvation, an undeserved mercy that God gave to us by sending His Son to die on a cross to give us a way to be with Him for the balance of eternity.

Grace is available for us to receive.

## SERVICES

On-site services include office visits, lab services and medication assistance. Our services utilize a case management approach that will also identify other means of help that may be available to qualifying patients as they attempt to improve their circumstances and meet their challenges.

- Medication assistance during clinic hours

## PATIENT COSTS

*We have structured our costs to the patient to reflect the spirit of grace demonstrated in Jesus Christ.*

- Office visits are charged to the patient at a nominal fee.
- Patients are asked to pre-pay extremely reduced lab fees.
- We also allow exchange of community service for some of the clinic fees in time of economic hardship.

Churches and organizations are encouraged to "bank" community service hours for use by patients who are unable to fulfill their own commitments. This approach is referred to as "Grace Gifts."

## HOW YOU CAN HELP

*You can help this effort in several ways.*

## VOLUNTEER

To make Grace possible, we need all kinds of medical professionals, but also data entry and clerical help, help with building and grounds maintenance, childcare assistants, translators, hosts/hostesses, prayer partners and more.

## PRAY

Join our prayer team to support Grace or become a prayer partner who will be present on-site at the clinic to pray with patients and staff as needed.

## FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Grace is recognized by the IRS as a 501(c)(3) organization. All donations are tax deductible. We are aggressively seeking grant support from local and national funders; however, these sources expect to see support from the local community as a condition of their contributions. So, we ask you to consider making a personal donation, and/or encouraging your church or community organization to be a regular Grace contributor as well. You can also assist by organizing or participating in a special event to raise money for the operations of Grace.