Since joining the mission in late 2019, I have been encouraged by the care and support we receive from Canadians. I am even more excited about how we can grow the mission. I’ve met many patients who’ve gone out of their way (some walked over 2 hours) to express their gratitude to you.

I have been inspired and humbled by your decision to join us to bring hope to millions of people suffering from these diseases. Together with you, we are building a movement to end neglected tropical diseases.

Thank you for your faithful and generous support! Your gifts change lives, heal hurts, and bring restoration. Through this report, we hope you’ll see the difference you’re making.

Kim Evans
CEO, effect:hope

PS: I would love to hear from you. You can reach me at 1-888-537-7679 or email me directly at kevans@effecthope.org

Every day, thousands of people are diagnosed with neglected tropical diseases like leprosy. They are the fortunate ones! They have been diagnosed and can now access treatment.

But millions of others live far too long with the disease undiagnosed; and pay a massive price. Some don’t even know that these diseases are curable.

Every day, they suffer physical symptoms and develop life-altering disabilities. They distance themselves from others due to stigma which leads to social isolation, mental health issues and poverty.

With a community of supporters like you by our side, we believe we can end neglected tropical diseases.

We’re on a mission to change that.

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ON THE COVER

Thanks to you, Erica received treatment for Buruli ulcer! She dreams of becoming a nurse one day.
A boil appeared on six-year-old Seth’s leg and developed into an ulcer. Seth’s mother was concerned when the ulcer kept getting worse. She is thankful that Seth received the correct diagnosis and treatment for Buruli ulcer.

Through your support, our partners and healthcare workers are reaching children like Seth in remote villages and educating communities about neglected tropical diseases. Thank you for ensuring children like Seth no longer have to suffer lifelong consequences from a preventable neglected tropical disease.

10-year-old Shumi was diagnosed with leprosy by a local doctor and referred to our partner hospital. Unfortunately, she never showed up for treatment. Over time, she developed permanent deformities, learning to walk on her knees.

We are so thankful that our project staff found Shumi while on door-to-door visits. She was living alone in a shack, with no one to care for her. Thanks to you, Shumi received treatment and connected with a self-help group.

Sadly, Shumi’s battle with leprosy is not unique. 600 people are diagnosed with leprosy each day. Please join us and end neglected tropical diseases once and for all.

Two years ago, Shyam Pratap, a father of three, contracted a neglected tropical disease called lymphatic filariasis. It became difficult for him to work, and he worried his children would have to drop out of school. But health workers you support, diagnosed him and 13 others in his village and provided a cure. Shyam Pratap is working again, and his children are still in school. “I’m so grateful for effect:hope supporters and donors,” he says.

Pauline’s daughter, Paule, looked smaller than other children, was acting listless and had shiny skin and brittle hair. At a hospital in Côte d’Ivoire, doctors said she was anemic, vitamin-deficient from intestinal worms and needed immediate treatment.

But Paule is a fortunate one! Thanks to you, Paule received deworming treatment and vitamin A to ensure a healthy start in life. We are delighted to report that Paule is doing well and looking forward to school.
### 2019 Financials

#### REVENUE

- **Individuals** $3,778,632
- **Government** $895,768
- **Churches** $100,876
- **Foundations** $366,937
- **Institutions** $457,851
- **Business** $236,193
- **Legacies & Other** $1,257,282

*Total Revenue $7,093,539*

#### Here's how we used your gifts

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*Total expenses $698,148*

#### Excess of Revenue

- **$728,848**

#### Consequences

- **1,874 surgeries performed**
- **26,349 healthcare workers and officials trained on neglected tropical diseases including leprosy**
- **251 children participated in advocacy activities**
- **525,850 people screened for leprosy**
- **129,570 people treated for leprosy, lymphatic filariasis and other diseases**
- **2,419 new leprosy cases found**
- **11,592 people affected by neglected tropical diseases received disability and social support (income generating support, aids and appliances, footwear, prostheses, crutches, and wheelchairs)**
- **2,366,096 people made aware of neglected tropical diseases such as leprosy**
- **195 new lymphatic filariasis cases found**
- **143 children provided with education assistance**
- **1,715,407 children under 5 received Vitamin A and deworming bi-annually**
- **11,592 new lymphatic filariasis cases found**
- **143 children participated in advocacy activities**
- **251 children participated in advocacy activities**