

Serving with the Underserved – Growing the Kingdom

"We are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do." Ephesians 2:10

Giving Mission is a 501(c)3 charitable corporation whose mission it is to be the Hands and Feet of Jesus Christ in communities of need to grow the family of believers through helping to meet the health care challenges of the underserved. A key focus for us to accomplish our mission is to serve alongside and partner with similarly aligned organizations to initiate or support existing missional outreach in underserved communities.

What we Do. Giving Mission brings to a partnership with similarly aligned organizations the ability to solve many of the urgent healthcare needs of the underserved by providing free Telehealth through grants and charitable support. Our provider is TelaDoc - the largest and most respected provider of Telehealth in our nation and beyond.

Who we Reach. Underserved communities have many pressures confronting them daily, if not hourly. One of the key needs that impact so many aspects of their lives is the need for readily available healthcare support for themselves and their family members. This need impacts their health, children's education, employment opportunities, and overall economic well-being. All of these points of impact provide us, as Christians, the opportunity to demonstrate our Savior's love for these individuals in need and, as a result, spread the *Good News of Jesus Christ*.

How we Support. Our Telehealth service provides the families we serve (including immediate family members) with unlimited, **no-cost** access (via phone or online) to a licensed doctor 24 hours a day, seven days a week. These doctors diagnose and prescribe medications when appropriate to treat common urgent-need ailments. Treatment is offered in several languages to support the community being served.

How we Partner. 1.) We partner with other charity groups such as St Vincent de Paul, United Way, denominational faith-based groups, public underserved-focused foundations, and support to free public health clinics.

2.) We work with churches via a missional effort to bring TelaDoc to families that the church selects.

Examples of Current Activity. Currently, we:

- Provide Telehealth support in conjunction with United Way Tarrant County/Renaissance House to a pilot of 1,000 families in underserved zip code 76104. As with other programs, we partner here with St. Vincent de Paul to enhance our Telehealth benefit by adding free pharmacy service.
- Provide Telehealth support to Texas Baptists pastors in need through various Lilly Foundation grants.
- Provide Telehealth support to churches, like The Heights Church's effort in the Park Central Community, in support of existing underserved missional outreach efforts to serve and grow the Kingdom.
- Engage with charity/free clinics, both Christian and secular, to expand the clinics' reach into the underserved community.

We welcome the opportunity to meet with you to discuss how we, by serving with you, can enhance your efforts to meet the needs of your community while spreading the *Good News of Jesus Christ*.

Explore serving together by contacting Randy Funk at: 408-771-1123

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