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## Welcome to HHRD's 2014/2015 Annual Report

On behalf of the US-based and global teams of Helping Hand for Relief and Development (HHRD), we would like to thank you for supporting our causes to alleviate poverty, ease the suffering of those in need and providing long term assistance to the disaster-affected. HHRD is now working in (35) countries.



## HHRD Charity Navigator Recognition

Helping Hand for Relief and Development celebrated a milestone with the recognition of being amongst the top 10 Highly Rated Charities Relying on Private Contributions by Charity Navigator.



HHRD received a score of 96.69 in Financial Performance, and 100 in Accountability & Transparency; with the overall score of 97.65 out of 100, making HHRD among the privileged Top Four Star Charities for the 4th year in a row.

Charity Navigator is the nation’s largest and most-utilized evaluator of charities. It has developed an unbiased, objective, numbers-based rating system to assess over 6,000 of America’s best-known charities.

### Charity Navigator has stated:

*“Only 8% of the charities we rate have received at least 4 consecutive 4-star evaluations, indicating that Helping Hand for Relief and Development out performs most other charities in America. This “exceptional” designation from Charity Navigator differentiates Helping Hand for Relief and Development from its peers and demonstrates to the public it is worthy of their trust.”*

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## HHRD Vision & Mission

HHRD is a global humanitarian relief and development organization responding to human sufferings in emergency and disastrous situations all over the world regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, class, location, religion, color, cultural diversity and social background; with special focus on countries where the massive population is living below the poverty line.

With our head office in Detroit, Michigan, HHRD has 13 community outreach and fundraising offices in the USA, and is a registered NGO in Jordan for Middle East relief, Kenya & Somalia for Africa relief, Pakistan for Asia relief and will soon be registered in Burma & Thailand for South East Asia relief efforts.

### OUR MISSION

HHRD is committed to serve humanity by integrating resources for people in need. We strive to provide immediate response in disasters, and effective Programs in places of suffering, for the Pleasure of God Almighty.

### OUR VISION

Helping Hand for Relief and Development (HHRD) as a Leader: Empowering Lives, Creating Opportunities, and Strengthening the Bond of Humanity.

Presently HHRD has major relief undertakings in Syria, Jordan, Palestine, Haiti, Mexico, Tunisia, Kenya, Somalia, Pakistan, Kashmir, India, Bangladesh, Burma, Thailand, and Indonesia; as well as seasonal Ramadan, Eid and Udhiya programs in almost 55 countries.

HHRD's "International Coordination Department" allows for the deployment of trained HHRD staff from HHRD Pakistan to oversee relief efforts and programs in Afghanistan, Uganda, Thailand, Kenya, Tanzania, Somalia, Myanmar, and the Philippines.

In addition to emergency relief efforts in natural or manmade disaster areas, HHRD also works diligently on long term development programs like livelihood; economic empowerment; orphan & widows support program; education; healthcare; skill development; water & sanitation hygiene; in-kind gifts, and other similar programs.

# HHRD Team Letter

## *Assalaamu Alaykum,*

By the Grace of Allah, and the support of our generous donors, Helping Hand for Relief and Development has been awarded a 4 star rating by Charity Navigator for the fourth consecutive year. Charity Navigator is considered the most credible, independent, non-profit organization that evaluates more than 6,000 American charities. Charity Navigator evaluates each organization on their Financial Performance, Accountability and Transparency.

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This past year has been marked by civil unrest, natural disasters, and mass migration of people across the globe. HHRD teams have worked tirelessly to provide Emergency Relief and sustain Rehabilitation Programs in these areas. Our beloved Prophet Muhammad (peace and blessings be upon him) has said, "A Muslim is the brother of a Muslim - he does not wrong him nor does

he forsake him when he is in need; whosoever is fulfilling the needs of his brother, Allah is fulfilling his needs; whosoever removes distress from a believer, Allah removes from him a distress from a distressful aspect of the Day of Resurrection; and whosoever conceals the faults of a Muslim, Allah will conceal his faults on the Day of Resurrection." (Bukhari & Muslim)

It is with this goal in mind that HHRD sets out to assist the malnourished in Africa, or the widows in Afghanistan, as well as the orphans in Palestine along with the persecuted in Myanmar. The need is great, the cause is noble and the avenue HHRD provides is transparent and direct.

The HHRD USA team is humbled by the generosity of our supporters that have risen to answer the call of the less fortunate. We ask that you continue to show this support by contributing to our various programs and follow us on our social media accounts.

**-HHRD Team**







## HHRD Programs:

### PROGRAM DIVISION

**EMERGENCY RELIEF:**

Food, Clothing and Medical Relief

**EMPOWERMENT:**

Orphan Support, Widow Support, Interest-Free Micro-Finance, Skill Development Centers, Adult Literacy and Women Empowerment

**CAMPAIGNS AND ADVOCACY:**

Social Justice, TB Walks, AIDS Awareness

**TRAINING AND CAPACITY BUILDING:**

Training of Social Workers, Summer Internship Program, Youth for Jordan and Youth for Haiti

**PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT:**

Rehabilitation Centers, Infrastructure Development, Water for Life





## ORPHAN SUPPORT PROGRAM:

This program has enabled thousands of children to live their lives with high self-esteem and confidence. Over 12,000 children are under the support of HHRD, along with close to 8,194 children sponsored by individual donors, while 3,996 are supported through general orphan funds. HHRD safeguards the rights of these orphans through the provision of food and subsistence, education, health and hygiene, psychosocial uplifting and advocacy. HHRD also provides long-term financial support for these orphan children. This comprehensive approach helps to ensure a clearer path for their future. With 16 countries to choose from, and hundreds of children in need, this program hopes to provide a balanced and loving life for these precious children.

*It is estimated that 153 MILLION children worldwide, ranging from infants to teenagers, have lost one or both parents. Asia is home to the largest number of orphaned children in the world; 60 million, at last count (UNICEF).*

**Donors are given updated information through frequent reports containing the child's profile, progress reports, and medical records.**

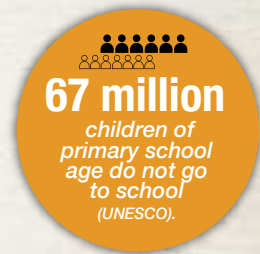
### OSP- KENYA



*Iman Mohammed, a 15-year old from Bulla Pesa village in Isiolo County Kenya, the eldest of 6, lost her father when she was just 10 years old. Being the first born, Iman felt obligated to help her mother financially support the family. These difficult times forced her to quit school, and frequent the market to help her mother sell vegetables. In school Iman excelled at academics; she was reported to authorities for dropping out and was forced to return. Without a steady income Iman's school needs were left unmet. HHRD intervened in getting Iman assistance with school uniforms, school kits, and school shoes, which allowed her to attend regularly. She says HHRD transformed her life by helping along with giving her emotional support from the various OSP workshops. After passing 8th grade she was admitted in one of the top secondary schools in the area. Her dream is to become a nurse and help her family along with other vulnerable Orphans.*

## EDUCATION SUPPORT PROGRAM:

HHRD is committed to increase and improve access of schools for children, particularly those who live in poor and geographically remote areas of the region. Education is not only key to human development and poverty reduction, but it also lays the foundation for sustained economic growth. HHRD's 1st school "HHRD School of Excellence" was established in Mogadishu, Somalia. It is prayed that from here there will emerge future teachers, doctors, engineers and those who will go on to influence the community, nation and ultimately the world.



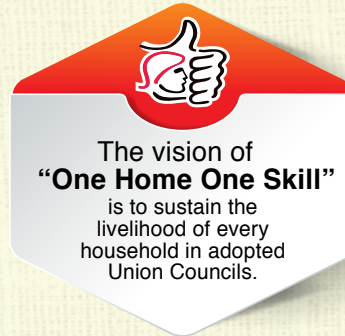


## SKILLS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM:

Behind every unemployed individual is a family in need. Disasters and calamities are the main factors that contribute to the lack of employment opportunities in the world. Designed for the socio-economic development of people especially women from vulnerable and disaster hit communities, this program embodies the approach to eradicate poverty among the most neglected segment of society by providing them employable skills, facilitation for home-based income generating activities and developing market linkages.

Women, especially those in poverty, appear more vulnerable in the face of natural disasters.

A recent study of 141 countries found that more women than men die from natural hazards. Where the socioeconomic status of women is high, men and women die in roughly equal numbers during and after natural disasters, whereas more women than men die (or die at a younger age) where the socioeconomic status of women is low. (WHO)



In 2015, a total of 9,720 people benefitted from the Skills Development Program at 33 Skills Development Centers in Pakistan, Somalia, Kenya, Jordan, and Afghanistan.

### SDC- KENYA



*Issa Abdul Mansa, a 21-year-old from a very poor family. His cousin brought him to a HHRD Skills Development Center whereupon he was enrolled as a computer student. After completion of the course, Issa acquired a certificate and he acquired a small job at a local cyber store. He says he will always remember HHRD his entire life for offering him the skills that made him successful and financially stable.*

## WATER FOR LIFE/WATER AND SANITATION HYGIENE PROGRAM:

Water is indispensable in maintaining life; an adequate, safe and accessible supply of water is essential for the very survival of our world. Improving access to safe drinking water, and making the habitation and environment cleaner is of paramount interest to each and every human being.

HHRD helps people gain access to clean water for daily consumption and irrigation purposes through construction and rehabilitation of water supply schemes. WFL and WASH Programs of HHRD have improved access to clean drinking water for close to 241,383 people just in the last year alone.

### WASH-KENYA

*Garbo lives in Kunyo in Madogo Division Kenya, a hot, arid, remote and very poor area, with her husband and two small children. Garbo and her family suffer a lot because of lack of water nearby. She is forced to walk more than 10 kilometers on a daily basis to fetch dirty water from Tana River. As a housewife she has other domestic chores to attend to but due to the time wasted on fetching water, this makes her days very long and tiresome. After a survey of the area and need assessment conducted by the Field Officer in Madogo, the HHRD team decided to pay Garbo a visit and promised to intervene by constructing a shallow well near her homestead. This positive step provided Garbo and her fellow villagers of Kunyo with clean drinking water for their domestic needs.*



750 million people around the world lack access to safe water; that is approximately one in nine people. (WHO)





## EMERGENCY RESPONSE:

OVER 1 BILLION CHILDREN suffer from at least one form of severe deprivation of basic needs such as water, food, and sanitation (SOS)

The primary role of this program to provide immediate relief to victims of any disaster to minimize their sufferings. Through social mobilization, gender equality, environmental stability, raising community awareness, and promoting the culture of safety and resilience, HHRD effectively responds to any given crisis. Currently, there are 6 existing Emergency Relief Programs from which over 304,720 individuals benefited in the last year alone.



## SEASONAL PROJECTS:

HHRD's Seasonal Program allows marginalized families to enjoy the celebration of Eid ul Fitr and Adha with the ability to share a warm, filling meal together. Through Ramadan Food Packages, gifts on Eid ul Fitr and meat on Eid ul Adha. Muslims across the globe partake in the festivities.

### Our Global Zabiha Program

helped distribute meat to 1.37 million people in 43 countries this past year alone. Moreover, Hajj ritual lessons were taught to 600 Syrian refugee families in Amman Jordan and Al Jazeera Mubasher TV covered this effort.

### HHRD's 2015 Ramadan Food Program

has allowed needy families in over 25 regions to secure a warm filling meal for Sahoor and Iftar throughout the blessed month. Through this program hundreds of people were given 15-day supplies of food, in accordance with local tastes and traditions, sufficient for a family of 5.







## IN-KIND GIFTS PROGRAM:

Our In-Kind Gifts Program has been saving and enhancing lives of thousands since 2008. From local private donations to large corporate shipments, HHRD is truly connecting people's resources with people's needs around the world.

In-Kind Gifts are donated goods and services rather than monetary donations. Goods are valued at fair market price and the donor determines the value of goods. A review is made by the HHRD team to ensure that a reasonable value is placed on donated items.

According to unaudited numbers, a total of 135 containers benefitting close to 2.5 million people, and valued at almost \$21 million, were sent to 10 countries including: Tanzania, Uganda, Somalia, Kenya, Jordan, Lebanon, Palestine (Gaza), Pakistan, Nepal, Myanmar, Philippines. In addition, through the USAID "Limited Excess Property Program" HHRD's In Kind Gift Program has received a 1 million dollar grant for Pakistan.



*G. K. Prison Malindi in Kilifi County is one of the more populated prisons of Kenya with 860 incarcerated. These prisoners lack basic hygiene items and, therefore, suffer from poor hygienic conditions. HHRD provided these people with a session on cleanliness and personal hygiene along with 6,000 bars of soap. "Soap is a valuable commodity to them as they generally exchange soap for food and constantly fight for it". Inmates were very pleased with these workshops and gifts. Not only will their personal hygiene improve, but there will also be peace amongst them."*

## ESAAR INTEREST FREE MICROFINANCE:

HHRD facilitates and supports livelihood opportunities and micro enterprise development for poverty alleviation through provision of Interest Free Microfinance.

With over 16,000 beneficiaries, and having recovered 99% of the \$1.3 million dollars disbursed, Esaar Microfinance is now recognized as a major Islamic Microfinance provider-- being second largest regarding beneficiaries and disbursement.

Our Esaar Microfinance model was presented at the Global Islamic Microfinance Forum held in Dubai in November, where more than 30 organizations participated from across the globe.

## MATCHING GIFT PROGRAM:

A Matching Gift Donation is a donation made to a non-profit organization which is tied to a separate contribution by another donor. Since the prospect of a matching gift encourages donations, many companies offer matching gift programs to motivate employee contributions to non-profits. The matching gift could be dollar for dollar or a, partial match. Sometimes the matching gifts can be multiples of the original donation. Currently, over 200 companies match their employee donations with HHRD.

A study of employee giving programs shows that 65% of Fortune 500 companies offer matching gift programs and 40% offer volunteer grant programs.

With close to 30 companies added to our program last year, HHRD's Matching Gift Program was able to secure over \$300,000 in donations.

## CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES PROGRAM:

Around 15% of the world's population, or estimated 1 billion people, live with disabilities. They are the world's largest minority. (WHO)



This program sets out to not only help rehabilitate children with disabilities by utilizing holistic and comprehensive approaches, but also to ensure that children with disabilities integrate into society as self reliant and dignified individuals.

The launch of this program assisted 400 children, and has now risen to 800. Of this group 407 are sponsored by individual donors, and 393 are supported by HHRD through general CWDP funds. With just \$2 a day, or \$60 a month, you can support, advocate and empower a child in need.



## Youth Empowerment Program:

The future of this world belongs to the younger generation; as a result, we must do what we can to facilitate their transition in order to ensure it is bright. HHRD's "Youth Empowerment" program gathers talented youth from across the globe and allows them to engage in humanitarian relief projects by participating in our "Youth for Haiti", "Youth for Jordan" or "Summer Internship" programs.



# SUMMER INTERSHIP program





The Summer Internship Program (SIP) at HHRD provides an opportunity to spend the summer working with some of the most dedicated relief workers. SIP also provides a unique opportunity to gain valuable professional experience and build leadership skills. This hands-on program is designed to mentor and cultivate today's young leaders, in an environment devoted exclusively to the field of social services. Every year close to 200 students apply to spend two months under the tutelage of our staff in either our human resource, marketing and public relations, information technology, In Kind gifts, and event planning areas.

## Youth for Haiti:

HHRD's "Youth Empowerment Program" marks its 5th year of "Youth for Haiti" which allows college students from across the USA an opportunity to spend their spring break helping those in need.

Seasoned HHRD veteran Br. Saqib Attique, along with HHRD's Youth Empowerment Director Br. Qasim Mazhar, spearheaded the program. HHRD's Youth for Haiti team helped to distribute 450 school bags full of supplies to school going children in the earthquake-affected region. Youth volunteers, accompanied by a registered doctor who traveled with them from the USA, also assisted in each of the 3 HHRD Medical clinics, where they interacted with over 1,000 patients. Lastly, the team visited Masjid Tawheed where they handed out warm food and financial assistance to over 700 people, consisting of 300 orphans with their guardians. Looking forward, next year's Youth for Haiti will be helping with a Muslim orphanage in the area (housing 50 orphans) which HHRD will be adopting.

## YOUTH FOR JORDAN

After successful Youth for Haiti programs these past five years, HHRD offered yet another memorable experience for those who wish to volunteer in relief work with the launch of its Youth for Jordan Program.

Lead by Youth Empowerment program director Br. Qasim Mazhar and Orphan Support program lead Sr. Nuzhat Jawed, 27 brothers and sisters from across the USA were able to assist those in need and witness the extensive work HHRD is doing in the region.





*Making a Difference -*  
**COUNTRIES**



## Afghanistan:

HHRD is registered as a foreign NGO in Afghanistan. With its regional office in Kabul, HHRD has access to the region through Pakistan, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Iran. Its proximity to Pakistan allows management teams to travel to the HHRD Pakistan office for training and capacity building.

This past year HHRD Afghanistan was able to implement 4 major programs: Emergency Response, Orphans Support, Skills Development and Seasonal (Global Zabihah, Ramadan/ Fitra, Winter) in 6 provinces.

Under HHRD's Orphan Support Program, our team in Afghanistan was able to provide necessary assistance to 200 orphans. This included free medication, health screening, health awareness, and counseling. Moreover, through educational support they were given shoes, uniforms, books, notebooks and stationery. Financial support was given on a consistent basis to purchase monthly necessities. These children were also provided recreational activities by being able to participate in Afghanistan's Independence Day celebrations. Our generous donors who sponsored these beautiful children were given educational and health reports as well. During the holiday season 400 orphans, widows and needy family members were included in the festivities with Ramadan, Fitra and Eid-ul-Adha distributions. The meat distribution for Eid ul Adha was able to help feed 570 families through our Global Zabihah Program.

HHRD's Skills Development Program provided training for a total of 43 women: 23 in tailoring and 20 in embroidery. Our vision is to sustain the livelihood of every household. Sponsorship provides access to socio-economic development of people, especially women, from vulnerable and disaster hit communities.

The landslide in Badakhshan prompted HHRD's Emergency Response team to provide necessary assistance of medicine, shelter, water and food. A total of 130 families were provided with food and non-perishable items during this ordeal.

The winter months can be extremely dangerous in this war torn country. However, our generous donors were able to provide winter packages including blankets, sweaters, socks, gloves, scarves and hats to 175 families. Overall, through these 4 major programs HHRD was able to assist close to 12,000 individuals.

## Brazil:

HHRD joined efforts with CDIAL, a local NGO, in Sao Paulo, Brazil to distribute food the needy. This effort continued through the fasting month of Ramadan, as well as the World Cup games. Over a period of 4 months a total of 700 food baskets were distributed to the poor, homeless and orphans. This initiative is to support both Muslim and non-Muslim families in need and serves as an invitation to learn more about Islam.

## Nepal:

HHRD CEO Farrukh Raza, Country Director HHRD Pakistan Fazal ur Rahman, and Director HHRD International Emergencies Irfan Khursheed visited the region to assess damage resulting from the 7.8 magnitude earthquake which left over 8,000 people dead and thousands homeless.

Through its "Nepal Relief Fund" 200 people received rehabilitation assistance, 2,390 received food baskets, and 1,980 received personal hygiene kits. In addition, 50 orthopedic beds were donated to the Dhulikhel Hospital. Today, HHRD is actively engaged in the rehabilitation phase of relief, implementing Orphan Support Programs and providing livelihood opportunities through the Esaar Microfinancing Program.







## Africa:

The continent of Africa, with its 1.1 billion people, has a long history of drought, famine, epidemics and civil war. HHRD's work in the region began in Kenya with the distribution of emergency relief items for 108,000 Kenyans affected by the drought of 2011. It was during this time that we established a permanent field office in Nairobi.

Since then HHRD has conducted the following programs in the region: Emergency Relief, In Kind Gifts, Orphan Support, Water Sanitation and Hygiene, Skills Development, Education, Health and Seasonal programs. In 2014 the countries of Kenya, Somalia, Tanzania and Uganda were our primary focus.

In Kenya, HHRD's Orphan Support program currently assists 750 orphans and thereby, covers their expenses with regards to education, health, monthly expenses and counseling. Moreover, our Water Sanitation and Hygiene program has helped 7,030 individuals with the establishment of 8 shallow wells. Trainings in computers, tailoring, and driving has benefited 286

individuals at 2 of our Skills Development Centers. Ramadan food distribution in the blessed month facilitated iftar for 6,000 individuals while our Global Zabihah program provided meat for 14,620 people. HHRD's Mobile Clinics have assessed and provided medical help to 1,199 individuals.

The establishment of HHRD's School of Excellence in Mogadishu, Somalia has helped 200 children receive an education to ensure a brighter future. In addition, our Water Sanitation and Hygiene program has helped 2,632 individuals with the establishment of 4 shallow wells. Trainings in computers and tailoring has benefited 119 individuals at our Skills Development Center.

Our Global Zabiah program has also distributed Udhiya meat to 16,066 individuals in 9 countries across the African subcontinent. In total, HHRD's efforts have helped close to 1 million people in Africa with its highest contribution coming in the form of In-Kind donations. For this, we would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude towards our generous donors



## Philippines:

The lush mountainous country of The Philippines, home to 93.6 million people, is prone to earthquakes, volcanic eruptions and typhoons. The country is still reeling from Typhoon Yolanda in 2013, which affected 14 million people.

HHRD'S Philippines office, located in Cebu, worked rigorously this past year in order to successfully conduct In Kind Gifts distribution, hospital rehabilitation, and seasonal programs such as Ramadan, Fitra and Zabihah.

HHRD's In-Kind container was able to deliver medical equipment and supplies to 84 health centers in Cebu city. This donation benefitted 5 million people in the surrounding area.

Assistance provided to the Bantayan District Hospital to modernize their kitchen and laundry areas, resulted in helping 133,000 individuals.

Food packages in Ramadan, as well as Fitra, were distributed to 1250 people in Manila, Dawao and Cebu. Meat was distributed to 1550 people in Cebu and Toladu.







## Myanmar:

The country of Burma (Myanmar) is located in Southeast Asia. It is bordered by India, Bangladesh, China, Laos and Thailand. The history of this country has been marked by one of the longest running civil wars between ethnic groups. More importantly, 800,000 Rohingya Muslims have faced massacres for the past 15 years.

HHRD has provided emergency relief to cyclone victims and refugees in the port town of Cox's Bazar, Bangladesh. A yearly Zabiha/Udhiya program, Ramadan and Fitra donation to 800 families and food relief was sent to 1,500 families in the Rakhine State. Responding to the recent crisis in the region, HHRD is providing relief with the help of its partners, in the former capital city of Yangon (Rangoon). HHRD was also able to provide 400 families with Ramadan and Fitra donations. Moreover, medical supplies and equipment has been delivered to the Orthopedic Department of General Hospital Yangon, Myanmar.



A 40 foot container of medical supplies and equipment worth \$456,000 was delivered to the Orthopedic Department of General Hospital Yangon. This donation, through our In-Kind Gifts program, benefitted 40,000 patients.

Our Global Zabihah Program distributed meat from 65 cows with the support of Muslim Aid UK's Myanmar office. A major portion was dedicated to the Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) of Rakhine State in Sittwe. Our Orphan Support Program is assisting 200 orphans from Myanmar for over two years. HHRD support was extended to the flood victims of Bago Region in August 2014. Effected farmers were provided with the free seeds to restore their livelihood on 51 acres of land and were able to generate an income of \$24,000.



## Mexico:

Home to the largest Spanish speaking population in the world, Mexico is a nation made up of 31 states. Its rich history, and diverse cultural landscape, make it a country of intrigue for many. According to the World Bank, 42% of the Mexican population lives below the national poverty line. With weak economic growth, the dangers of increasing poverty looms.

HHRD has been working in the Latin American countries of Guyana, the Dominican Republic, Haiti and Brazil, but more recently has begun providing relief to the citizens of Mexico. Since 2012, HHRD has been providing food boxes, Udhiya meat, and Ramadan iftars in the region.

Since 2012, HHRD has been providing food boxes, Udhiya meat, Ramadan Iftars, and many similar programs in the region.

In 2014, HHRD became a registered NGO in Mexico and initiated a Children's Gift Program and Diabetics Testing Clinics. In addition, HHRD distributed children's school bags, uniforms, and shoes and small household appliances.

## Pakistan:

Our Pakistan team has been working diligently to assist Internally Displaced People (IDPs) due to the crisis in North Waziristan, flash flooding in Punjab, and severe drought in Tharparkar. This past year they were able to help more than 2.3 million people in 58 districts with over 301 projects across the nation. Esaar Microfinance uplifted 3,105 families by facilitating the increase of the average annual household income to Rs. 60,000..

Poverty eradication and women empowerment allowed HHRD's Skills Development Program to help 14,452 individuals in 26 districts. HHRD also actively engaged in providing quality health services to those affected by disasters, through static and mobile medical clinics. Famine wreaked havoc in Tharparkar-Sindh and due to the consumption of contaminated water, shortage of food and shelter, and water borne-diseases those living in poverty suffered the most. As a result 200 children and many others perished.

HHRD's Water For Life program took steps towards providing relief to drought-affected communities in the deserts of Tharparkar. HHRD implemented 83 safe drinking water projects, 40 community hand pumps, 16 submersible water pumps, 25 water wells, and 2 filtration plants. The implementation of all these projects were successfully installed by our Implementing Partner (IP) Alkhidmat Foundation Pakistan (AKF) and benefitted about 49,918 locals.

HHRD's Orphan Support program declared 2014 as a 'Child Centered Year', with an aim to support orphan children through the formation of children community organizations, conducting social mapping to identify problems and coordinating with the public and social sectors. A total of 7,200 children benefited from this program in over 29 districts.

HHRD's "Children with Disabilities Program" supports 800 children in 4 districts by providing them proper medical assistance and education.

Dealing with low literacy rates, mismanaged resources and a high drop-out rate in Pakistan, HHRD worked towards providing quality education through its "Education Support Program." A total of 14,324 children have benefited in 50 districts through scholarships, capacity building of teachers, youth leadership development, advocacy sessions on working women issues, infrastructure development, free health care, and much more.

HHRD's "Seasonal Program" in the region, which includes our Winter Provisions, Ramadan, Zabiha and Sadaqa projects, has helped 289,296 individuals throughout Pakistan.

Moreover, "In-Kind Gifts" brought smiles to the faces of over 1.7 million people through the 45 containers of donations filled with clothing, food and medical supplies and equipment.

## Kosovo and Macedonia:

HHRD made distribution of blankets and food items to more than 100 refugee families in Gevgelija (500 beneficiaries). We have learned from the local authorities that as many as 8,000 distressed Refugees; some as young as 2 months, have entered into this small town from Greece. HHRD initiated work in this region in 1990s during the Bosnia Crisis. HHRD will be a registered NGO in both Kosovo and Macedonia in 2016.





The region of the Middle East and North Africa has been marked with civil unrest, which has led to an unimaginable humanitarian crisis. There is a massive refugee population with many living below the poverty line in Palestine, Syria, Iraq, Lebanon, Tunisia, Libya, Yemen, Sudan and many other countries. HHRD has been actively working with our representatives in the region to provide emergency relief over the past decade. In 2013 HHRD became a registered NGO in the region and eventually opened a field office in Jordan. Regional Director Yaser Alkhoody and his team have helped Syrian refugees along with local needy Jordanians and Palestinian refugees in the area over the past 3 years through countless HHRD programs.

## HHRD Middle East North Africa Programs:

Through our In-Kind Gifts Program 57 containers full of clothes, medicine, winter provisions and supplies have benefited 230,000 refugees.

Our Orphan Support Program has been able to assist 1,600 children many of which have lost one or both parents in this crisis. These children are provided with subsistence such as food, clothing, shoes along with a proper education and supplies. HHRD also provides them with financial assistance to cover daily costs. These children come from areas of unimaginable civil war and poverty; our goal is to show them love through ensuring a brighter future.

HHRD's Skills Development Program is conducted at our Humanitarian Complex in Amman, Jordan. It is here that individuals are trained in computer and other skills in order to attain financial independence and stability. We offer sewing, embroidery and handicraft courses for a three-month duration. Through our Skills Development Program 285 people have learned the necessary skills with training to earn income for their families.





Our Seasonal Programs in Ramadan, the Winter Provisions Campaign and Zabihah Program have helped 84, 610 individuals.

A team of college students traveled to the region during their Spring Break with our Youth for Jordan Program to volunteer on the ground and gain hands on experience working with HHRD.

The launch of our Education Support Program has benefited 100 children with hopes of securing a brighter future.





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**HELPING HAND FOR RELIEF AND DEVELOPMENT, INC.**

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position  
December 31, 2014

**ASSETS****Current Assets**

Cash and Cash Equivalents (Note 2)	\$	9,119,791
Investments (Note 3)		275,286
Accounts Receivable		521,930
Pledge Receivable (Net)		64,217
Receivable from HHRD-USA		76,316
Notes Receivable (Note 5)		815,764
Inventory		2,833,735
Prepaid Expenses		204,963
Other Current Assets		47,460
Receivable from Subsidiaries		56,000
<b>Total Current Assets</b>		<u>14,015,462</u>

**Fixed Assets**

Fixed Assets (Note 4)		2,839,928
Capital WIP		249,598
Less: Accumulated Depreciation		<u>(688,530)</u>
<b>Total Fixed Assets</b>		<u>2,400,996</u>

**Other Assets**

Security Deposit		<u>6,389</u>
<b>Total Other Assets</b>		<u>6,389</u>

<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b><u>16,422,847</u></b>
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**LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS****Current Liabilities**

Accounts Payable	\$	270,439
Accrued Liability		<u>212,504</u>
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>		<u>482,943</u>

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**Net Assets**

Unrestricted		(9,706,607)
Temporarily Restricted (Note 7)		<u>25,646,511</u>
<b>Total Net Assets</b>		<u>15,939,904</u>

<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b><u>16,422,847</u></b>
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**HELPING HAND FOR RELIEF AND DEVELOPMENT, INC.****Consolidated Statement of Activities (Continued)**  
**Year Ended December 31, 2014**

<b>SUPPORT AND REVENUE</b>	<b>Unrestricted</b>	<b>Temporarily Restricted</b>	<b>Total</b>
Contributions from Public	\$ 1,276,744	\$ 15,148,223	\$ 16,424,967
In-Kind Revenue	2,111,098	15,115,863	17,226,961
Miscellaneous Income	159,125	72,651	231,776
<b>Net Assets Released from Restrictions:</b>			
Satisfaction of Service Restrictions (Note 7)	31,944,018	(31,944,018)	-
<b>Total Support and Revenue</b>	<b>35,490,985</b>	<b>(1,607,281)</b>	<b>33,883,704</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>			
<b>Program Services:</b>			
Education	1,148,512	-	1,148,512
Health and Medical	1,586,213	-	1,586,213
Orphans	2,826,461	-	2,826,461
Emergency	2,747,700	-	2,747,700
Water for Life	314,469	-	314,469
Family Support	62,983	-	62,983
Community Development	102,341	-	102,341
Seasonal	3,097,273	-	3,097,273
In-Kind	21,599,919	-	21,599,919
<b>Total Program Services</b>	<b>33,485,871</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>33,485,871</b>
<b>Supporting Services:</b>			
Management and General	1,360,080	-	1,360,080
Fund Raising	1,174,646	-	1,174,646
<b>Total Supporting Expenses</b>	<b>2,534,726</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,534,726</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>36,020,597</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>36,020,597</b>
<b>Other Non-Operating Income/(Expenses)</b>			
Rehabilitation Infrastructure Fund	-	(4,777)	(4,777)
Micro Finance Portfolio	-	366,221	366,221
Disaster Management and Logistics Center Fund	-	16,200	16,200
Endowment Fund	-	144,114	144,114
<b>Total Non-Operating (Income)/Expenses</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>521,758</b>	<b>521,758</b>
Change in Net Assets	(529,612)	(1,085,523)	(1,615,135)
Net Assets - Beginning of Year	(9,259,804)	26,732,034	17,472,230
Prior Period Adjustment (Note 9)	330,404	-	330,404
Adjustment per ASC 830 (Note 1)	(247,595)	-	(247,595)
<b>Net Assets - End of Year</b>	<b>\$ (9,706,607)</b>	<b>\$ 25,646,511</b>	<b>\$ 15,939,904</b>

The complete Audit Report is available at [www.hhrd.org](http://www.hhrd.org)



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