

Thank you to our expert volunteers



Dr Laura Villarreal from Mexico City collaborated with the Mexico 6 project team to deliver self-infusion training to people with haemophilia and their family members.

International experts teaming up to reach out

Along with our project partners, the impact of NNHF programmes would not be possible without the voluntary contribution of our network of international experts. Whether through sharing knowledge, hosting trainees or providing support remotely, we thank all of our volunteers who have supported NNHF programmes in 2018.

Argentina 4:

Team members from Unicamp, Campinas, Brazil:

Dr Alessandro Rozim Zorzi, traumatologist

Dr Samuel de Souza Medina, haematologist

Glenda Feldberg Andrade, physiatrist

Dr Jhovany Belmont Sánchez

Paediatric rehabilitation specialist, Hospital Infantil de México Federico Gómez, Mexico City, Mexico



Working with the Argentina 4 team, we were able to show how multidisciplinary teams can interact and share knowledge while providing high quality assistance to people with hemophilia suffering from early or advanced joint disease."

Dr Samuel de Souza Medina

Cambodia 2

Team members from Nottingham University Hospital, Nottingham, UK:

Tracey Dandy, physiotherapist

Dr Charlotte Grimley, Associate Specialist in Haematology

Michelle Kightley, Haemophilia Clinical Nurse Specialist



Despite the challenges of limited resources in Cambodia, I've seen really good examples of care provision: excellent medical, nursing, social work, psychological support and especially physiotherapy."

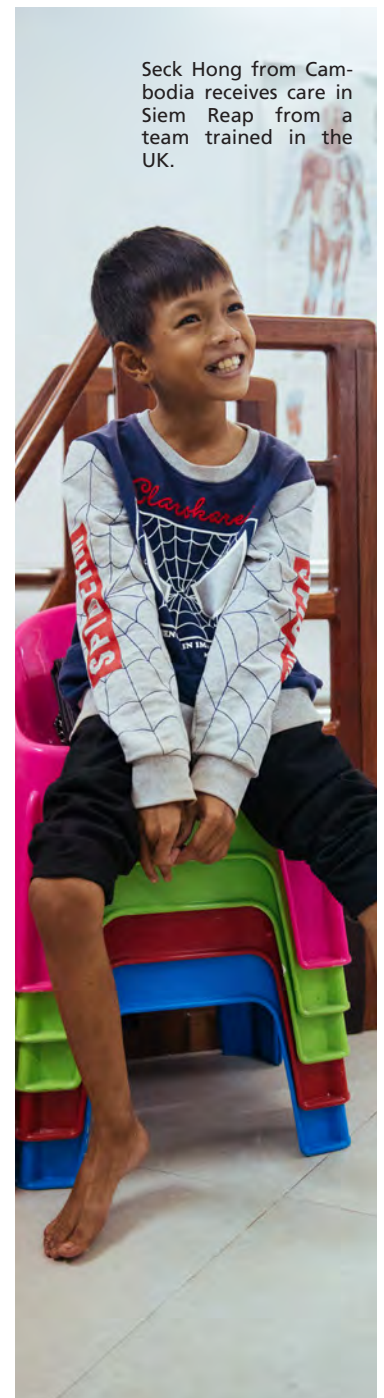
Michelle Kightley

Ghana 2

Angus McCraw

Lab specialist, London, UK

Seck Hong from Cambodia receives care in Siem Reap from a team trained in the UK.



India 7

Greig Blamey

Physiotherapist, Health Sciences Centre, Winnipeg, Canada



The India 7 project is extremely unique and the model represents something I have never seen before in any country in all of the travels I have done."

Greig Blamey

India 8

Ed Kuebler

Social worker, Gulf States Hemophilia & Thrombophilia Center, Houston, US

Mauritius 1 and Sri Lanka 1

Dr Alok Srivastava

Haematologist, Christian Medical College and Hospital, Vellore, India

Mauritius 1

Prof Johnny Mahlangu

Paediatrician and lab specialist, University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa



In addressing the challenges of bleeding disorders in Africa, it is the team work and multiple partnerships that will take us far. It is indeed a pleasure for many of us living in Africa to work with the NNHF and people with haemophilia."

Prof Johnny Mahlangu

Mexico 4

Dr Eric Gutierrez

Haematologist, Hospital Agustin O'Horan, Mérida, Mexico

Laura Paez

Social worker, Hospital Universitario "Dr. José Eleuterio González", Monterrey, Mexico

Dr Laura Villarreal

Haematologist, Hospital Universitario "Dr. José Eleuterio González", Monterrey, Mexico



Volunteering with NNHF projects in Mexico is my way of spreading the knowledge I gained through leading the Mexico 2 project. It is a pleasure to be inspired by and provide inspiration to those who share a vision to improve haemophilia care."

Dr Laura Villarreal

Prof Johnny Mahlangu has volunteered for numerous projects across Africa and is the recipient of the 2018 NNHF Community Award.



Mexico 5 and Mexico 7

Marión Echenagucia

Lab specialist, Banco Municipal de Sangre, Caracas, Venezuela

Myanmar 3

Jennifer Maahs

Nurse practitioner, Indiana Hemophilia and Thrombosis Centre, Indianapolis, US

Peru 3

Prof Miguel Escobar

Associate Professor, Haematology, University of Texas Health Science Center, Houston, US

Luz Villalaz

Nurse, Hospital del Niño, Panama City, Panama

Sri Lanka 1

Dr Kate Khair

Clinical Academic Careers Fellow, Centre for Outcomes Research and Experience in Children's Health Illness and Disability (ORCHID) Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children NHS Trust, London, UK

Thailand 2

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Clinical Research Project Manager, Hospital for Sick Children (SickKids), Toronto, Canada

Prof Victor Blanchette

Paediatric haematologist, Medical Director, Hospital for Sick Children (SickKids), Toronto, Canada

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Physiotherapist, Toronto, Canada

Dr Jerry Teitel

Consultant haematologist, Medical Director Adult Comprehensive Care Haemophilia Programme, St Michael's Hospital, Toronto, Canada



The long-term nature of our partnership with the Thailand 2 project team has given us a deep understanding of the challenges they are trying to address, and we can adapt the support we provide to them as these challenges evolve over time."

Prof Victor Blanchette

