



IDN-HOH-MED
Reporting Period: January to June 2015

General Medical and Orphan Care

Budget: \$25,000, with \$11,450 still to raise

Update:

This project aims to provide greatly needed medical, emergency and orphan care in a remote part of Indonesia. Hohidiai has a general clinic, dental clinic, TB, leprosy and HIV wards and five children's homes as well as a school. Entrust funding supports all these activities barring the school which is designed to provide a sustainable funding source for the other activities.



People waiting at the outpatient's clinic

This report covers January to June 2015. During this period nearly 900 patients were seen each month, approximately 4,500 for the period. The leprosy and tuberculosis rehabilitation ward had 29 patients living there as at end of June. Hohidiai is the primary care centre for all HIV patients in the area and had four HIV+ patients living in the rehab centre over this period. HIV is still spreading throughout the general population surrounding the hospital, so the case load is expected to continue to rise and the team are preparing for this.



Some of the school children – some of these are orphans living in the homes, others come from the surrounding community

As part of keeping costs low in order to do more, the team grow as much of their own food as possible. This includes fruit and vegetables as well as cows, pigs, ducks, geese and chickens. This is working well.

The five* children's homes are running well. Each home has children across a range of ages, and the numbers are kept reasonably low – this creates much more of a family environment for the children. When Natasha visited last year she was impressed with the sense of family evident in each home.

Thank you for your part in providing this amazing range of services to people who would have nothing without it.

*One of the homes is actually the Directors, where they have seven foster-children. They act as role models for the rest of the team.