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Partnering for Diabetes Care

We partnered with the Nampa Lions Club to send nearly \$6,000 worth of diabetes supplies, weighing over 85 pounds, to Insulin for Life USA. Together, we're ensuring vital resources reach those in need and helping individuals and families with diabetes access the care they deserve.



Breaking Records and Building Hope

The year isn't over yet, but we've already made history! Last year, our Gift-in-Kind donations reached just over \$3 million in value. By the end of October, we've already surpassed \$4 million worth of donations—a new record for Hands of Hope Northwest!

This incredible growth is a blessing, especially as requests for shipments have never been greater. We are working tirelessly to sort, pack, and send supplies as quickly as possible—but our capacity is overflowing so much that we had to rent another shipping container.

To keep up with the growing demand, we urgently need more volunteers and more space.

Currently, we're renting shipping containers to store completed pallets, unsorted donations, and equipment. However, with containers now encroaching on our parking area, it's clear that our warehouse can no longer contain the scale of our operations.

Our need to expand has never been greater. As our ability to serve—and the number of lives we can touch—continues to grow, we are determined to rise to the challenge. Together, we can ensure that every shipment, every box, and every piece of equipment continues to bring hope to those who need it most.



Idahoans Served in 2025

Supplies and equipment given back to Idaho organizations valued at over \$183,000 and weighing just over 4 tons.



International Countries Served in 2025

Thirteen countries served valuing over \$2.2 million and weighing over 30 tons.



Celebrating 30 Years!

October 2026

Three decades of service that have reached 82 countries around the world with life-changing medical aid.

Gratitude from Guatemala

"On behalf of the entire Transiciones team and the many individuals and families we serve, I would like to extend our deepest and most heartfelt gratitude for your generous support in delivering the 2024 cargo filled with mobility aid equipment and medical supplies to Guatemala."

— Alex Galv  z, Director of Transiciones Guatemala



Local Loan Program Reaches New Heights!

Our Local Loan Program (LLP) has grown exponentially this year—and we couldn't be more excited to share the news! We've already surpassed last year's numbers, reaching nearly \$1 million in value saved for individuals and families through access to durable medical equipment.

This year, our program has stayed consistently busy from start to finish, a true reflection of the growing need in our community and the trust people have in Hands of Hope Northwest.

We want to extend a heartfelt thank you to everyone who

helps spread the word—those who share our social media posts, recommend us on Facebook and Nextdoor, tell friends and neighbors about us, and to the hospitals and organizations that refer their patients to us.

Your support helps ensure that people in our local and surrounding communities have access to the equipment they need when they need it most. We are so grateful and blessed to serve you and to witness the hope and relief this program continues to bring to so many lives.

"They loaned my daughter a wheelchair following a tragic car crash. Everyone is so friendly and helpful."

—K.C.



Giving Back in a Big Way

Our Give Away Program has flourished this year, helping us extend even more support to our local communities while reducing waste.

Through this program, we've been able to give away more than 60 commodes, 100 bath chairs, 180 walkers, 215 rollators, 75 transport wheelchairs, and 80 canes—a total value of over \$67,000 returned to individuals and families in need across the Treasure Valley and beyond.

That's more than four tons of usable medical equipment saved from landfills and redirected to people who truly need them. Every piece represents renewed mobility, dignity, and independence for someone in our community. We're incredibly grateful to our donors, volunteers, and partners who make this kind of impact possible—turning excess into hope, one item at a time.



"I called the day before they set a walker aside for me and didn't expect anything... They are awesome and helpful. Very compassionate."

—L.W.



A Front-Row Seat to Hope in Action

Working at Hands of Hope Northwest is more than just coming to work each day—it's witnessing the power of compassion in action. Every day, we see how our organization helps bring relief, independence, and dignity to people during some of the most difficult times in their lives.

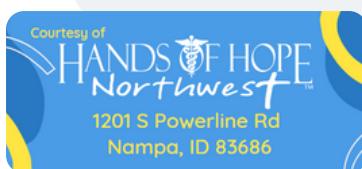
We meet individuals and families who come through our doors unsure of what to do next. Some are caring for a loved one who just came home from the hospital, while others are facing new medical challenges themselves. They may be worried about how to get to an appointment or how to safely move around their home. It's in those moments that we get to offer hope—often in the form of a wheelchair, walker, or other piece of medical equipment through our Local Loan Program.

The question we hear most often is, "How much does it cost?" And every time we get to say, "It's free." Watching the look of relief and gratitude on their faces never gets old. That moment is made possible by the generosity of our donors and the dedication of our volunteers—the heartbeat of Hands of Hope Northwest.

From the front desk to the warehouse, every volunteer contributes something essential. They sort and clean equipment, greet clients with kindness, and make sure every item that goes out is ready for the next person in need. Their work reminds me daily that it takes an entire community to make this mission possible.

In a world that often feels uncertain, Hands of Hope Northwest stands as a reminder that hope, kindness, and generosity are alive and thriving—and we are proud to be a part of it.

—HoHNW Staff



Dear Hands of Hope Northwest,

"Thank you for going way above and beyond for our shipment to reach Kenya where 1000's will be blessed & healed! Thank you for your tenacity, faithfulness, & grace."

—E.I. Team

"Thank you so much for lending this commode for my hip surgery recovery. I hope you will accept this small donation."

—C. F.

"We appreciate all that you do for Nampa & beyond and glad that we can partner with you!"

—Nampa Lions Club

"Thank you ALL for your compassion & kindness."

—Anonymous

"The Cambridge Community Clinic board met and noticed the new equipment & supplies! We are amazed and thankful for all you do for others. With your assistance we look forward in continuing servicing others."

"The board at CCC would like to thank you for your generosity in supplying us with needed medical equipment and items."

—CCC Board Members

"Thank you all so very much! What a true Blessing you are, also Thank you & God bless you."

"Thank you all so very for helping people in need. I just want to tell you what a Blessing you are to myself and my mother. God Bless You All."

—A. A.

"Thank you so much for giving me a cane last week. And you previously loaned me a walker when I needed it. Thank you for helping me and so many others. You do God's work."

—Anonymous

"Thank you for your in-kind donation of wheelchairs for our clinics. Your donation will help us better serve our patients who need assistance moving to exam rooms, dental chairs, and x-ray tables. Thank you for helping us build a thriving community by providing access to care for everyone."

—Terry Reilly Health Services

"Thank you again, every time we've needed something you guys have been there for us."

—S. & T. C.

"Thank you for the walker for J's knee surgery."

—Anonymous



"Thank you so much. Rezia Hinds in Belize now has useful vision to allow her to excel in school."

—R. & K. M.

"Thank you for all your help in Brazil."

—R. & K. M.

"Thank you for helping many people. You are a blessing! Our daughter has breast cancer. She was so happy to have this walker to have upstairs. It helped her husband to save some energy running up & down stairs to get another walker. She is getting her balance back after her serious hospital stay. Again thanks for who you come to the aid for those who need you."

—J. & D. O.

"Thank you so much for all you do! Y'all were such a blessing when I hurt my foot. The knee scooter, you loaned me helped my injury be so much more bearable!"

—E.

"I want to thank you, your entire crew, for all your work and the donation of equipment and supplies you gathered and provided to help patients in need here in Idaho County. Thank you for partnering with us to improve the well-being of primarily rural low-income people in our area. We appreciate you all very much."

—A.W.

"Thank you so very much for the use of the knee scooter. It was very helpful during our daughter's recovery from foot surgery."

—J. & M. G.

A Year of Giving Hope: Volunteers, Donations, and Shipments That Changed Lives

As we look back on the past year at Hands of Hope Northwest, one theme stands out clearly — generosity. From the tireless hands of our volunteers to the abundance of donated supplies and the many shipments sent across the world, 2025 has been a remarkable year of compassion in action.

Every day, our volunteers arrive ready to serve — sorting, counting, repairing, packing, and loading supplies bound for communities in need. Their dedication fuels every part of our mission. Whether in the warehouse, the office, or on the loading dock, their teamwork and cheerful spirits remind us that hope truly starts here. This year alone, hundreds of volunteers contributed thousands of hours to help make sure vital medical supplies reached those who needed them most.

We also saw a generous outpouring of Gifts in Kind, as hospitals, clinics, businesses, and individuals donated surplus medical equipment and supplies. From wheelchairs and hospital beds to wound care materials and surgical instruments, these items — often destined for landfills — were given new purposes and new life. Each donation not only supports sustainable healthcare abroad but also reflects a shared commitment to stewardship and compassion.

Because of this combined effort, Hands of Hope Northwest shipped containers of medical aid to countries around the world. Each shipment represents a bridge between communities — connecting local generosity with global needs. These containers carried more than just medical supplies; they carried dignity, healing, and the promise of hope.

Of course, none of this would be possible without the incredible community that surrounds us. Every volunteer hour, every donation, and every prayer helps transform lives — both for those who give and those who receive.

As we close this year, we celebrate not just the numbers, but the heart behind them. Together, we've shown that when people come together to serve, hope multiplies. Thank you for making this a year of impact, growth, and grace. Here's to continuing the mission — one shipment, one donation, and one act of kindness at a time.

—Todd Durbin, Executive Director

Amazon Wishlist

Our Amazon Wishlist has grown! In addition to much-needed updates to our well-loved office furniture, we've added essential items that support our Local Loan Program—helping us serve even more individuals and families in need. From workspace upgrades to practical equipment, every item plays a part in making our mission possible.

Scan the code or visit our website to see how you can contribute. Your support brings comfort, dignity, and hope to those we serve.

Upgrading for a Growing Impact

We are deeply grateful to those who have already donated toward replacing two vital tools that keep our mission running smoothly —our internal servers and our lawn mower. Your generosity is already moving us closer to these much-needed upgrades, and we couldn't do this without you.

That said, we're still seeking additional support to fully fund both projects. Our servers, which handle everything from shipment records to volunteer coordination, are outdated and struggling to keep pace with our growing workload. Upgrading them will protect our data and ensure that the backbone of our operations—supporting both local and global outreach—remains strong.

At the same time, our 12-year-old lawn mower has retired after years of faithful service. A new mower will help us continue providing a clean, safe, and welcoming space for the volunteers, clients, and visitors who come through our doors every week.

If you haven't yet had a chance to give, would you prayerfully consider joining in? Every gift, no matter the size, helps us close the gap and ensure we stay effective, efficient, and ready to serve. Thank you for believing in the mission and for investing in the tools that make extraordinary impact possible.

MOWER

7%



SERVER

59%

