



Executive Committee of International Health Partners US

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Construction Details

- The x-ray unit will be made of 22 pound interlocking bricks. The bricks are made of red soil and 10% cement and are very hard. The inside walls will be finished with white cement and the outside walls will be sealed with an acrylic sealer.
- The foundation is one meter deep that was determined by soil analysis.
- The Radiology unit is 4000 square feet.. An estimation of \$35 a square foot for construction that includes everything from footings, foundation, interior walls and roofing. This building will be built in stages.
- The Radiology Center is estimated to cost \$140,000.

Construction

- We train our own workers for construction under supervision.
- Sometimes teams from the United States come to assist in the construction under the supervision of our contractor. We welcome them especially, carpenters and plumbers, but almost anyone can assist.

Personnel

- Sele Shabani is our contractor, Albert Kaali is our local architect. Dr. Dennis Lofstrom does all preliminary planning of the buildings to ensure patient flow and buildings which meet medical needs.
- Pama Architects is our local architectural firm.
- A member of the executive committee is always at the site.

IHP TZ and JEMA (IHP-JEMA)

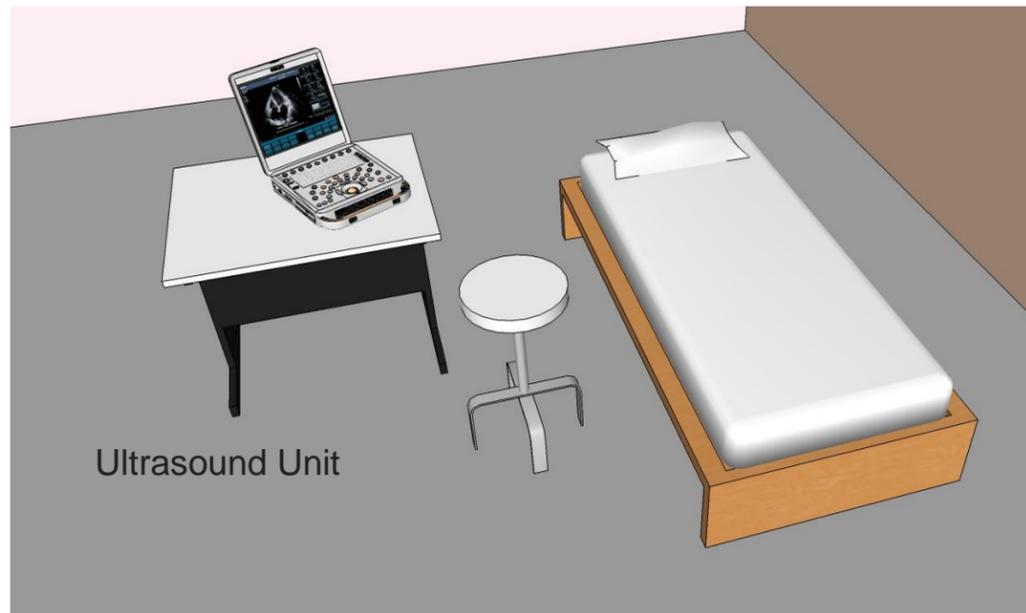
IHP-TZ has joined with JEMA (another local NGO non-governmental organization) for the building of the children's hospital. They are invaluable in assisting with local and national regulations. The chair of JEMA is Dr. Jesse Kitundu, a local Tanzanian pediatrician who is esteemed throughout the country. Dr. Kitundu will be the doctor in-charge of the hospital. The members of IHP-JEMA will also be in charge of fundraising in Tanzania. Additionally new rules forbid foreigners from owning land, so partnering with JEMA is the answer. Both IHP US and the IHP-TZ boards whole heartedly approved it, and we are delighted to join together for the Children's Hospital.

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Ultrasound Unit

Children's Hospital at Zinga, Tanzania

Radiology Unit



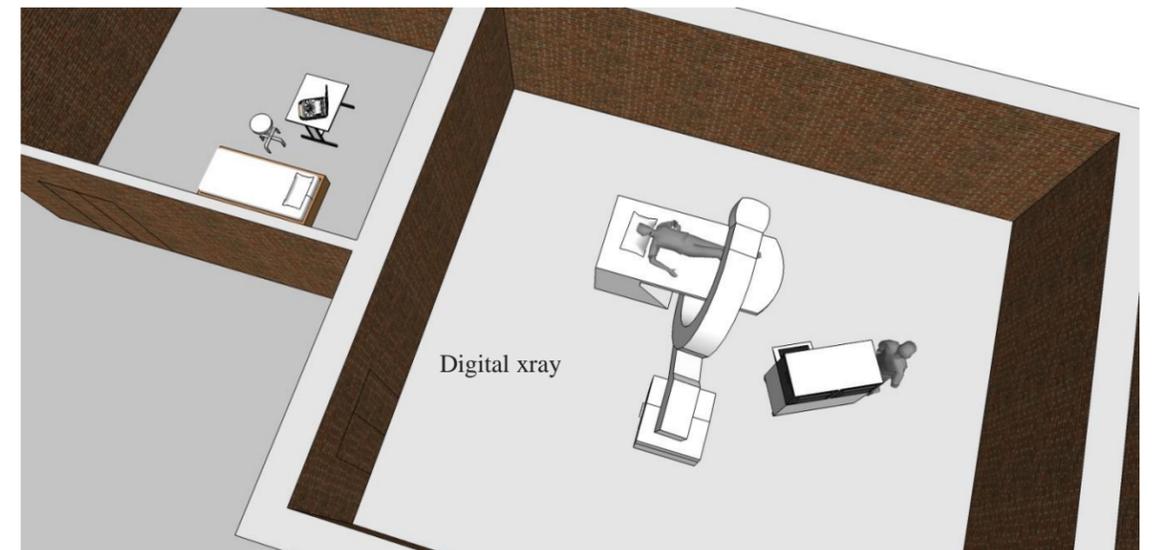
An essential part of the diagnosis of many conditions is a Radiology Unit.

We would like to have the Radiology Unit to contain a digital x-ray machine. There are only two of these machines in Tanzania. These machines also allow us to send the x-rays by internet to seek consultation from experts all over the world. We already have an person who has been trained in maintaining and repairing these machines.

We still need to have a digital xray machine.

In addition, ultrasound is a way of quickly determining a number of conditions. An Ultrasound machine has already been donated.

This Radiology Unit would improve our level of care to a professional level.





IHP-US is a nonprofit international organization dedicated to creating partnerships between Tanzania and the world in order to improve healthcare.

Why do we need this project at this time?

- A Radiology Unit is essential for every hospital.
- Requiring patients who are in pain to travel to another hospital for this essential diagnostic test is difficult for them.
- We have people who are trained to utilize this equipment.
- A Radiology Unit available to others will also aid in making the hospital sustainable.

This unit is needed now. If we don't build it, who will?



X-ray Viewing Room

Check out our website at www.ihptz.org

How will it be financed?

IHP-JEMA owns the land, so there is no cost for land. In fact the 45 acres we own has a lot of room for the Radiology Center

The estimated cost of the x-ray unit is: \$ 140,000 or \$35 a square foot.

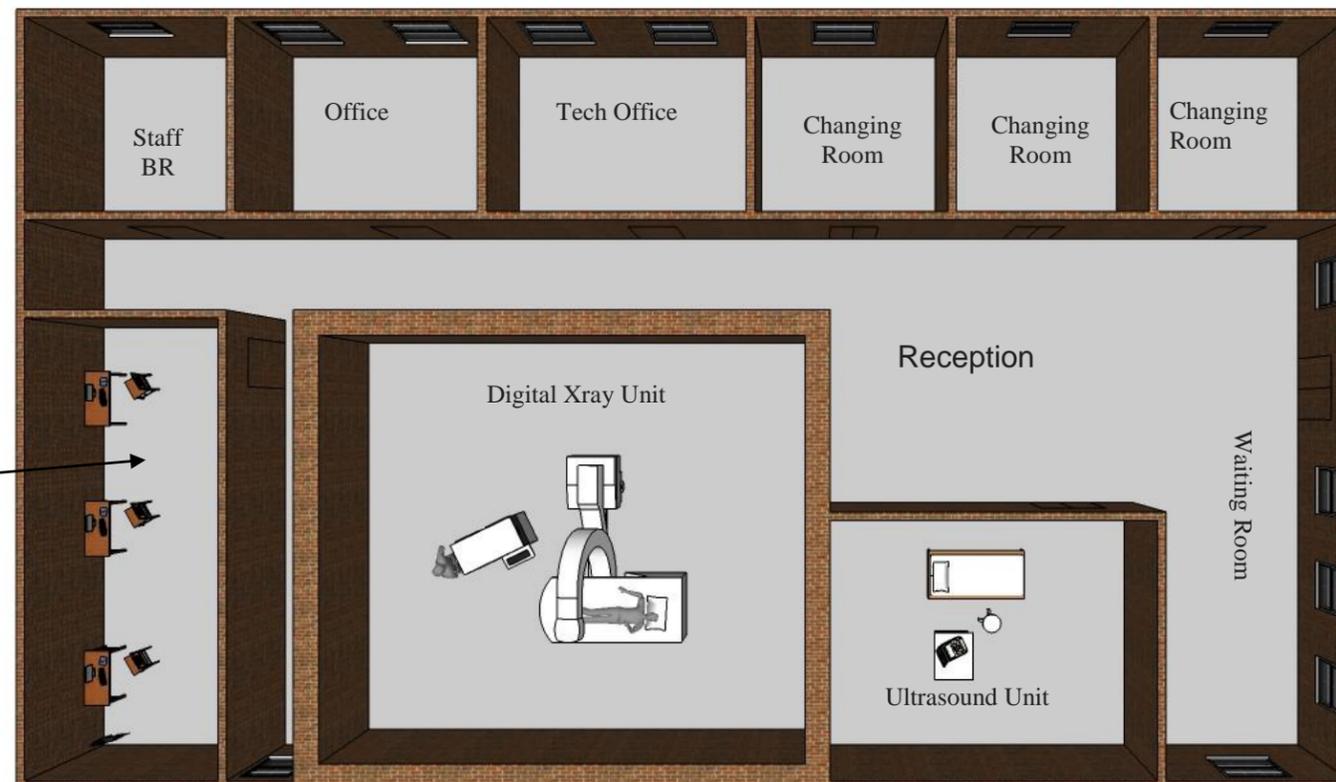
We depend on **donors** to provide the money to build the Radiology Center. Sometimes several churches or organizations go together to fundraise for the building. Occasionally one person will provide enough money for the building. Sometimes entire towns adopted a building.

We will call the Radiology Unit any name the donors provide.

For your information, we audit all our accounts every year both in the US and Tanzania and all the audits are clean and accurate. Copies are available upon request. We feel donors should always be assured that we are doing what we say we do and using your gifts as you would want them to be used.

What can I do?

- Tell the story of the need for the Radiology Unit to friends, organizations and other people.
- Make a *designated* donation for the Radiology Unit...once or monthly. To do this, mail a check to our US address. This is then placed in a special account so that your donation is only used for this building. Remember, we are building 20 buildings for the hospital.
- Pray for this project.
- Encourage family and friends to donate.
- Find other organizations or churches that would be interested in hearing the story. Dr. Dennis and Paula Lofstrom travel all over the United States and Canada and would be happy to show up and talk about the project. You can contact them at paulalofstrom@ihptz.org. Your emails will be answered promptly.



Remember that there are 20 other buildings. If you are interested in another building, email us at paulalofstrom@ihptz.org for a copy of another brochure or go to our website for details.