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Access to education transmits a hope for the future to the whole family. In Sierra Leone, EWB-DK has built teachers' homes and a school for more than 200 children of war amputees, who could not finance the project themselves.

WHAT ARE WE DOING?

We help earthquake victims get a place to live. We provide water and shelter for war refugees. We provide water and electricity, so that doctors and nurses can rescue victims in emergency zones. We make it possible to live on after a disaster. But we are also there when the catastrophe has ended, and more permanent solutions are needed. We build schools and health clinics, repair roads and bridges. We provide clean water and better sanitary conditions, so that fewer children will fall ill or die from cholera or typhoid fever, bad sanitary conditions, and lack of clean drinking water.

WHO ARE WE HELPING?

Poor people, in distressed countries that are in need of our expertise, use our technical and professional capabilities to obtain an overview, plan, and implement the routines that make it possible to live on after a disaster or help alleviate suffering in the longer term.



GHANA

Water-borne diseases such as diarrhoea and cholera are some of the most deadly diseases in poor countries. Access to clean drinking water is thus essential in ensuring health and good hygiene. In 2012, EWB-DK has capacity tested 110 hand-dug wells in Ghana.

WHO ARE WE COOPERATING WITH?

Engineers Without Borders Denmark was established in 2001. Being a part of Engineers Without Borders - International allows us to assemble a strong, international team when we are needed. We are also collaborating with a number of other Danish, international, and local organisations. Among our partners are Danish Refugee Council, Red Cross in Denmark, Dan Church Aid, Danish Emergency Management Agency, ASF Danish People's Aid, Seniors Without Borders, and the UN refugee organisation, UNHCR. In our development projects we work closely together with local organisations, so that we ensure local anchorage.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

You can help make a difference by contributing with skills or funding. Your knowledge and technical capability can help people get a better life, when you participate as a volunteer. Carrying out our projects costs money, and as a not-for-profit organisation we fully depend upon support from our members, private and public companies, and foundations. By becoming a member or in other ways supporting us you can make it possible to carry out even more projects.

DEPLOYED VOLUNTEERS - AN ASSET FOR OTHERS AND YOURSELF

Our deployed volunteers have very different assignments - from fact-finding missions, emergency response to reconstruction and development projects. Some deployments are short, others longer, and some require repeated visits in the project area. All kinds of deployments share the fact that the professional and human experiences from the work are both personal and occupational assets. Our deployed engineers and experts have become a stronger resource for their workplaces in Denmark. The project teams combine the young and the more experienced, so that we help educate and internationalise young engineers.

KENYA



PALESTINE



In Kenya, EWB-DK is helping to increase the maize harvest through correct storage of maize and maize seed in micro-silos. In Palestine, EWB-DK is contributing with power supply, which ensures that the children can do their homework at night, and that vital medicine can be stored in refrigerators.

INDIA



In Tamil Nadu, EWB-DK has helped establish a computer training center for casteless children and youth, and assisted in the reconstruction of a childrens' village for street children in West Bengal.