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2001 Annual Report

Global Health

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Sharing advances in health with the global community.



Highlights

The foundation's Global Health program strives to increase global health equity in developing countries by supporting alliances and organizations working in infectious disease prevention, vaccine research and development, and reproductive and child health.

- By the end of 2001, The Vaccine Fund had committed more than \$800 million to government programs in 53 developing countries to provide immunizations for children
- The Malaria Vaccine Initiative and GlaxoSmithKline formed an alliance to fast track the development and testing of the only malaria vaccine candidate yet to show effectiveness in preventing malaria. Currently malaria kills over 2 million people each year, mostly children under age five.
- The International AIDS Vaccine Initiative (IAVI) helped accelerate the testing of AIDS vaccines in Africa, Thailand, and the U.K., and focused global attention on the urgent need for an effective and equitably distributed vaccine.
- The Global Microbicide Project was launched to expedite the development of microbicides that are contraceptive and enable women to protect themselves against HIV infection and other sexually transmitted diseases.
- The Averting Maternal Death & Disability Program completed its second year initiating over 50 projects to improve the availability and quality of emergency obstetric care for women in nearly 40 countries.
- In 2001, the Alliance for Cervical Cancer Prevention evaluated cost-effective screening methods for low-resource settings and improved delivery of cervical cancer prevention services for 70,000 women in sub-Saharan Africa, Latin America, and South Asia.

2001 Global Health Grants

Infectious Disease and Prevention	\$663,104,740
Reproductive and Child Health	\$150,947,522
Conditions of Poverty	\$26,111,789
Other	\$4,852,983
Emergency Relief	\$10,550,000
Total	\$855,567,807

Selected Global Health Grants

The Africa-America Institute

\$3,500 over 12 months to support the 17th annual awards dinner.

Alan Guttmacher Institute

\$75,000 over 12 months to document the benefits of family planning and reproductive health services.

Alan Guttmacher Institute

\$7,500,000 over 60 months to stimulate and sharpen policies and programs focused on youth to halt the spread of HIV.

American National Red Cross

\$1,000,000 over 12 months to support the National Disaster Relief Fund in the wake of the Sept. 11, 2001 terrorist attacks.

AVSC International, Inc.

\$6,438,114 over 36 months to support the Alliance for Cervical Cancer Prevention.

Better World Fund

\$200,000 over 24 months to support the Aspen Strategy Group.

Board of Trustees for the University of Alabama

\$4,000,000 over 48 months to demonstrate the feasibility and sustainability of a computerized perinatal medical record system in a developing country.

CARE

\$1,000,000 over 12 months to support CARE's humanitarian response in Afghanistan.

CARE

\$1,000,000 over 24 months to support the re-establishment of services, especially those affecting children, in the region affected by the Jan. 26, 2001 earthquake centered in western India.

CARE

\$500,000 over 15 months to help families affected by the drought in Ethiopia recover their lost asset base.

CARE

\$500,000 over 18 months to support the re-establishment of services, especially those affecting children, in the region affected by the Jan. 13, 2001 earthquake centered in El Salvador.

The Center for Strategic and International Studies

\$520,250 over 24 months to launch a Task Force on HIV/AIDS in collaboration with CDC and USAID.

Ceres Inc.

\$950,000 over 24 months to support the Global Reporting Initiative in establishment of an HIV/AIDS-related information disclosure standard for the mining, trucking, forestry, and itinerant agriculture workplace.

China Academy of Health Policy

\$100,000 over 12 months for general operating support.

Citizens International Development Fund, Inc.

\$840,000 over 12 months to support the New Nigeria Foundation in its development of a new health care delivery model in Nigeria.

Cooperative for Assistance and Relief Everywhere (CARE)

\$300,000 over seven months to support the establishment of CARE's humanitarian operations in the Democratic Republic of Congo.

DKT International, Inc.

\$4,500,000 over 60 months to provide services in social marketing in Indonesia.

Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation

\$10,000 over 12 months to support a forum, "Preventing Mother-to-Child Transmission of HIV: Making Programs Work."

Emory University

\$500,000 over 12 months to improve the analytic capabilities of Epi Info.

Funders Concerned About AIDS, Inc.

\$50,000 over 12 months for general support.

Global Business Council on HIV and AIDS

\$500,000 over 12 months to promote the role of business in the global response to the HIV/AIDS epidemic.

Global Forum for Health Research

\$1,000,000 over 24 months to support an initiative on public-private partnerships for the promotion of global health equity.

Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria

\$100,000,000 over 120 months to support the global fund for AIDS and health.

Helen Keller International, Inc

\$1,000,000 over 24 months to rebuild infrastructure necessary to maintain global health operations.

International AIDS Trust

\$980,000 over 12 months to support the creation of the African First Ladies Alliance Against AIDS.

International AIDS Vaccine Initiative, Inc. (IAVI)

\$100,000,000 over 60 months to accelerate the global effort to create and distribute an AIDS vaccine.

International Bank for Reconstruction and Development

\$50,000,000 over 60 months to support the Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition (GAIN).

International Bank for Reconstruction and Development

\$560,000 over 36 months to improve the health of poor, and to protect the poor from further impoverishment through illness.

International Crisis Group

\$55,000 over 12 months to document the strong linkages between AIDS and instability.

International HIV/AIDS Alliance

\$25,000,000 over 60 months to support a global initiative to slow the spread of HIV and build capacity for effective and sustainable community responses.

International Institute of Rural Reconstruction

\$765,724 over 36 months to build constituencies in family planning.

International Rescue Committee, Inc.

\$500,000 over 12 months to help the most vulnerable Afghans survive.

International Rescue Committee, Inc.

\$300,000 over 12 months to help rural communities in western Afghanistan survive the drought and prevent similar devastation in the future.

The Johns Hopkins University

\$6,000,000 over 36 months to support the Alliance for Cervical Cancer Prevention.

Keystone Symposia on Molecular and Cellular Biology

\$50,000 over 12 months to support the "Gene-Based Vaccines: Mechanisms, Delivery Systems and Efficacy" conference.

Mercy Corps International

\$300,000 over 12 months to prevent the additional displacement of the drought-affected populations in the Chora District of Afghanistan.

National Institutes of Health

\$3,505,000 over 36 months to reassess and update the 1993 World Bank publications – "Disease Control Priorities in Developing Countries World Development Report, 1993;" and "Investing in Health."

New York Times Neediest Cases Fund

\$1,000,000 over 12 months to support the 9/11 Fund established for families of the victims of the Sept. 11, 2001 terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center.

Pan American Health and Education Foundation

\$6,708,402 over 36 months to support the Alliance for Cervical Cancer Prevention.

PATH

\$70,000,000 over 120 months to support the elimination of epidemic meningitis in sub-Saharan Africa.

PATH

\$6,800,309 over 36 months to support the Alliance for Cervical Cancer Prevention.

PATH

\$5,000,000 over 60 months to expand its product development and introduction activities and increase the rate of progress with its current portfolio of affordable health technologies.

PATH

\$2,100,000 over 36 months to improve reproductive health in developing countries.

PLAN International

\$10,000,000 over 36 months to support the Hope for African Children Initiative.

Population Communications International

\$1,000,000 over 24 months to support entertainment-education programs that empower people to make informed individual choices.

Population Council, Inc.

\$20,000,000 over 60 months to begin the Phase III trial of Carraguard, the leading microbicide candidate.

Population Council, Inc.

\$1,000,000 over 36 months to support adolescent health and development in developing countries.

President and Fellows of Harvard College

\$328,791 over 24 months to support advanced malarial research.

Save the Children Federation, Inc.

\$1,000,000 over 24 months to support the re-establishment of services, especially those affecting children, in the region affected by the Jan. 26, 2001 earthquake centered in western India.

Save the Children Federation, Inc.

\$500,000 over 13 months to continue and strengthen existing drought-relief activities in northern Afghanistan.

Save the Children Federation, Inc.

\$500,000 over 12 months to support emergency drought relief efforts in the Somali Region of Ethiopia.

Save the Children Federation, Inc.

\$500,000 over 18 months to support the re-establishment of services, especially those affecting children, in the region affected by the Jan. 13, 2001 earthquake centered in El Salvador.

Save the Children Federation, Inc.

\$400,000 over 12 months to continue drought-relief activities in northern of Afghanistan.

SUSTAIN

\$999,928 over 24 months to support research on the effectiveness of elemental iron powders.

Tostan, Inc

\$990,000 over 24 months to implement non-formal education for raising vaccination rates in 250 villages in Senegal.

Trustees of Columbia University in the City of New York

\$985,100 over 12 months to support a project in HIV prevention and care in Uganda – the Rakai Project.

United Nations Foundation

\$734,000 over 12 months to support Health InterNetwork pilot project in India.

United Nations Foundation

\$500,000 over 12 months to support the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) reorganization efforts.

United Way of New York City

\$1,000,000 over 12 months to support the Sept. 11, 2001 Fund for victims of the terrorist attacks in New York and Washington, D.C.

University of Aberdeen Development Trust

\$994,378 over nine months to implement the IMMPACT Research Programme developmental phase.

University of Kansas Center for Research, Inc.

\$200,000 over 12 months to support the health worker training and midwifery services of the Amazonian Peoples Resources Initiative.

The Vishnevskaya-Rostropovich Foundation

\$1,000,000 over 36 months to create a mechanism for sustainability of the vaccination initiative.

World Health Organization

\$5,517,306 over 36 months to support the Alliance for Cervical Cancer Prevention.

World Health Organization

\$994,965 over 12 months to organize and ensure civil society participation in the United Nations General Assembly Special Session on HIV/AIDS.

World Population Foundation

\$3,825,000 over 60 months to expand the reproductive health and family planning programs in Asia and Africa.