



Partners for World Health  
312 CANCO ROAD, PORTLAND  
(207) 774-5555

[info@partnersforworldhealth.org](mailto:info@partnersforworldhealth.org)  
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**PARTNERS FOR WORLD HEALTH SCHEDULED TO SEND 3RD SHIPPING CONTAINER  
OF DONATED MEDICAL SUPPLIES TO SOUTH SUDAN**

*Local Effort. Global Impact.*

Portland, Maine (March 17, 2020) - On Tuesday, March 17th from 9am to 11am Partners for World Health (PWH) is set to send out their third medical container of 2020. Each commercial shipment container is 40 feet long and holds approximately 15,000 pounds of donated medical supplies and equipment. This shipment is headed to South Sudan in partnership with Bor County Development Association.

The Bor County Development Association's mission is to build a cohesive diaspora community that unites on a common purpose to identify its talents and pool its resources together so that it is better positioned to make a meaningful difference in the lives of the average Bor citizens here in the United States and back in Bor, South Sudan.

Medical facilities in developing countries face dire needs for basic supplies such as gauze, masks, and gloves, as well as the equipment that "makes a hospital a hospital". PWH delivers these items annually. These shipments are made possible through financial donations as well as the tireless efforts of dedicated staff and devoted volunteers.

PWH staff and volunteers load these shipments at their Canco Road warehouse.. The team ensures every inch of the container is filled with medical items that will have an extreme impact in the developing world.

Partners for World Health is a 501 (c)3 non-profit organization.

###

To get involved or for more information please contact Julie Nelson Forsyth at [julie@partnersforworldhealth.org](mailto:julie@partnersforworldhealth.org) or by cell at (203) 722-4615