

Magurameno Health Clinic

Exodus have recently donated funds to help the medical clinic at Maguremeno. This village is visited on the Zambezi Valley Family Adventure and our clients spend a couple of days there helping out at the preschool. Although the clinic receives some government funds they are drastically short of funds for basic supplies such as soap, linen, cleaning materials etc.



The clinic serves 7 villages with a population of 2,325. This includes 425 under five who receive their immunisations at the clinic for Measles, Rota, BCG, Polio, PCV and DPT. They also have their growth monitored.

There is one professional healthcare worker employed there, a midwife called Rosemary, and she covers Ante and Post-natal, family planning, malaria and AIDS awareness. An average of 25-30 patients are seen each day and Rosemary delivers an average of 3-5 babies a month.



There is also a cleaner and a security guard as well as two community health assistants (both currently volunteers with very basic training)

In 2014 the clinic determined 78 positive AIDS cases. The figure so far to October in 2015 is 32.

They have 12 children “exposed” to AIDS and 9 children between the ages of 3 and 14 who are on ARTs.

In 2014 the clinic had 416 confirmed malaria cases. This has been drastically reduced to 39 to October 2015 due to a malaria net distribution programme in the community funded by World Vision.

The funds donated by Exodus were match funded by our charity [partners Baraka Community Partnerships](#) and used to build a new toilet block after the old block was damaged by a falling tree.

Rosemary sent the following message of thanks: *“This donation will help us as a clinic to have a new toilet to use and we are very happy to have people who care and love and for the community this will help the people to have descent toilet instead of using the damaged toilet. Also the community is so excited with the extensions that are going on. A LOT OF THANKS TO EXODUS TRAVELS FOR THEIR SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE. PLEASE SEND OUR GRATITUDE TO THEM. OUR BEST REGARDS. Rosemary”*



Rosemary outside the new toilet block, and as it is now, finally finished and painted.