



Mercy Corps is a 32-year-old humanitarian organization that saves and improves lives in the world's toughest places. Mercy Corps' efficient and effective programs help people turn the crises of natural disasters, conflict, and poverty into opportunities – by providing them with the tools and support they need to transform their own lives.

### **What makes Mercy Corps stand out?**

- We work efficiently and stretch donor dollars – 88% of the resources donated to Mercy Corps over the past 5 years have gone directly to programs.
- We believe that local people are the best agents of their own change. We walk our talk – 95% of our field staff are nationals of the countries we work in.
- Mercy Corps works in the toughest places on the planet. Failing states like Somalia and Zimbabwe. Conflict zones like Afghanistan, Congo and Libya. And countries that have endured natural disasters, like Japan and Haiti.
- When we respond to crises, such as the earthquake in Haiti, we commit to long-term recovery. We'll be there long after the TV cameras have gone, working to help people build a better future.

### **How can corporations and businesses support Mercy Corps' work?**

- Signature Partnerships are based on deep engagement, flexibility and responsiveness through customized plans that meet business and CSR goals.
- Disaster Response Partnerships provide immediate, lifesaving aid when the unthinkable happens. Advanced planning, including pre-allocated emergency funds, result in increased employee and customer participation.
- Cause Marketing Relationships are a meaningful, unique way to engage your audiences while telling a powerful story about our work together to save and improve lives.
- Workplace Giving and Matching Gifts maximize impact while engaging employees in your cause.

### **What does Mercy Corps do?**

*Mercy Corps helps people:*

- Recover from disasters and conflicts
- Secure peace
- Grow more food
- Improve health
- Start businesses
- Educate and protect children
- Empower women

### **Where does Mercy Corps work?**

- Programs in 38 countries reaching 19 million people
- Global Headquarters in Portland, OR
- In our Portland Action Center we teach young people about global issues and inspire them to act

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