

# SPRING NEWSLETTER

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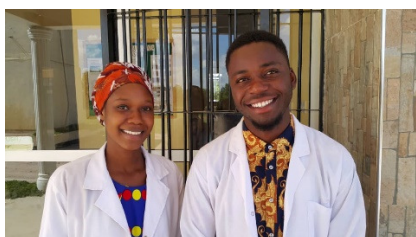
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## GOOD NEWS

***We are so encouraged how quickly God is opening doors for the work at our Tazama na Tunza Dispensary: TTD***



- Dr Vivian has joined Dr Severin, so he now only has to do an 8 hour shift not a 12 hour shift, 6 days a week!
- The reputation of our Health Centre is spreading & patient numbers are consistently growing
- The mamas Unit has been built
- We have Fibre Internet now, & so at least a year before schedule we are now seeing Health Insurance patients, whose footfall will help us pay for the poorest patients.
- Viktoria, Masters in Business & Project Management, a Dodoma church member, is voluntarily giving her time to oversee our Health Centre business plan
- Compassion Children's groups are using our Centre
- We have Youth Health Promotion sessions monthly and general health promotion sessions weekly

**As a UK Trust we need a Treasurer urgently (who needs an enjoyment of numbers and a few hours a month) and also someone to help with our Website:** any offers please contact: Ruth Chorley 07854688373

## FOR PRAYER

- The Public Health Authorities need to pass the Mamas Unit & we are still waiting for them to come & visit: pray they visit this month
- We still support the TTD staff with money for wages every month: so any more sponsors for Dr or Nurse welcome!



**Ruth is going out again in June with Gillian to encourage good practice, team-build and encourage every member to share health information with every patient.**

*Looking at present WHO stats: Tanzania is still the worst Dr-Patient ratio in the world (with Malawi) & it's not getting any better...*

### We need:

1. **Stretch bandages, steri-strips and adhesive plasters for wounds**
2. **Tablet counters for the pharmacist**
3. **Stainless steel injection trays & kidney dishes**
4. **Ampoule files & a blood slide dryer!**
5. **Any small adult gifts to encourage TTD staff – they are young!**
6. **Any old mobile phones and iPads for helping the team communicating**

*Please pray with the Trustees, about joining with Martyn and Peter in supplying them with Swahili Bibles and Teaching Aids as they pray about visiting Tanzania regularly to teach the very rural pastors.*