

Wuqu' Kawoq



*Collaborating with
local communities to break
the link between ethnicity and
poor health.*

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Clean water for all
Guatemalans

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Why Guatemala?

Guatemala has some of the most under developed public infrastructure in Latin America. In particular, access to clean water is a serious problem for most rural communities. Periodic heavy rains, mudslides, and other natural disasters also threaten water supplies.

Contaminated water is one of the major causes of the devastatingly high rates of chronic child malnutrition and infectious diseases. Providing clean water to communities is an important step in ending the cycle of poverty and childhood illness.



How To Help

- Donate!
- Join us on Facebook
- Spread the word!

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What We Are Doing to Provide Clean Water

- We construct point-of-use Biosand Filters for each household in the communities where we work. These filters are inexpensive and extremely durable, with a minimum lifespan of 10 years. Each filter can provide 40 liters of clean water per day.
- We provide medical care to children to offset the potential effects of consuming contaminated water, including treatment for parasitic infections
- We maintain an emergency stockpile of PUR®, a highly effective instant water filtering and purifying chemical for use during natural disasters.

