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TANZANIA

A CONCRETE SUPPORT TO THE REHABILITATION SYSTEM IN TANZANIA

Dispatch of a container with orthopedic materials and national training of orthopedic professionals



Location: Tanzania

Beneficiaries: At least 15 professionals trained and more than 650 patients served

Partner: Desire Charitable Hospital and Rehabilitation Center DCHRC, Kibaha, Tanzania

Area of intervention: Ability in physical rehabilitation

Rehabilitative care in Tanzania remains one of the weak links in the national healthcare service, as it is often neglected both by the government and international institutions.

The country's orthopedic centers struggle to provide adequate services to all individuals with disabilities or amputations who require them due to a lack of properly trained personnel and a shortage of appropriate materials and technologies.

Therefore, SwissABILITY will train Tanzanian professionals in innovative and low-cost technologies for prosthetic production and will send a container with orthopedic materials to be distributed locally throughout the country.