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This is the fifth in a series of reports issued since October 1965 by the Technical Assistance Information Clearing House of the American Council of Voluntary Agencies for Foreign Service describing the programs currently being operated or supported by US nonprofit organizations in South Vietnam.

The majority of the organizations listed are voluntary agencies. Missions, foundations, and other nonprofit organizations have also been included that are providing, to the Vietnamese people, some form of technical assistance in medicine, education, agriculture, or social service; or contributing material aid and relief to the refugees and the generally needy. All of the organizations mentioned are US based. In some cases, they are part of international organizations. Only those international nonprofit organizations have been mentioned that have US branches, receive substantial US contributions, or employ US personnel in South Vietnam.

Twenty-seven agencies are operating 26 programs employing over 300 US personnel, 30 international, and over 500 Vietnamese. Both the agencies and the names of their programs are listed, as for example, the Vietnam Christian Service program is listed, as well as the three organizations jointly sponsoring it: Mennonite Central Committee, Lutheran World Relief, and Church World Service. However, not all groups participating in, or contributing to an organization are mentioned. Church World Service, for instance, is comprised of 31 separate Protestant and Orthodox churches.

Although the major emphasis of these programs, at this time, is on providing assistance and material aid to refugees and relocated villagers, -- over \$15 million worth of donated food, clothing and medical supplies have been shipped within the last year -- the agencies have allocated over \$6 million to operate many other types of programs. These include the operation of various medical facilities and provision of medical personnel to local hospitals and dispensaries; educational programs including vocational training, agricultural extension work, school construction, and training programs for teachers, social workers, medical assistants, and agriculturalists; developing rural cooperatives; child welfare activities including orphanages, day-care centers, school-lunches and supplementary feeding programs, and various self-help endeavors in construction, development of community facilities, and fostering of local industries and agriculture.

The material for this report has been submitted by the agencies within the last month and reflects the most recent information available. Subsequent reports will cover changes in the size, scope and number of programs, and will include new organizations and programs as they come to our attention.

The following US nonprofit organizations operate programs
with US personnel in South Vietnam.

*+ American Friends Service Committee
160 North 15th Street
Philadelphia, Pa. 19102

Address in Vietnam: 12 Phan Dinh Phung, Quang Ngai (mailing address:
Box 67, Quang Ngai)
Program initiated: June 1966.
Personnel: 2 US; 6 Vietnamese (including 5 nursery personnel). An addi-
tional 4 US and 12 Vietnamese are anticipated.
Budget: From 10/66 to 9/67 - \$100,000.

SOCIAL WELFARE: A community center program for refugees was started in
Quang Ngai in June. A children's day-care center accommodating 50 children
was the first facility to be established. The program will subsequently
include self-help projects, training programs in homemaking and basic manual
skills for adult women and young people, and educational and recreational
programs in the town and throughout the province.

Have financially assisted the New School of Social Work at the Buddhist
University at Saigon and the Voluntary Youth Association of Vietnam.

Cooperating with USAID; Government of Vietnam, Ministry of Social Welfare,
and the Commissioner of Refugees.

AMA Volunteer Physicians for Vietnam
American Medical Association
535 North Dearborn Street
Chicago, Ill. 60610

The program, previously known as Project Vietnam, was administered as a pilot
project by the People-to-People Health Foundation from June 1965 to
June 1966. The AMA took over the administration of the program
June 30, 1966.

Personnel: 12 to 16 physicians depart each month for 60-day tours. In 1966,
approximately 200 volunteer physicians will serve; thus far 165 have
participated.

Expenditures: The program is financed by USAID.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Provides volunteer US physicians for a minimum
period of 60 days each, to work with permanent USAID physicians in Saigon
and in 17 provincial hospitals throughout Vietnam.

* The agency's program in Vietnam has been registered with the Advisory
Committee on Voluntary Foreign Aid.

+ Member of the American Council of Voluntary Agencies for Foreign Service, Inc.

American National Red Cross
18th and D Streets, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20006

Address in Vietnam: 201 Hong-Thap-Tu, Saigon

Program initiated: July 1966.

Personnel: 8 US including 4 administrative personnel, 1 sanitarian, 1 craft-recreation specialist, 1 mass-care welfare specialist, and 1 male nurse. The Vietnamese Red Cross Society will provide counterparts and others who will receive training as refugee-aid workers.

Budget 1966-1967: About \$200,000 of which USAID will contribute \$143,000. In addition, Red Cross chapters throughout the US will provide educational and recreational equipment, clothing and cash contributions.

SOCIAL WELFARE: The Red Cross is taking over the management of 10 contiguous refugee camps, in the Quang Ngai area, for up to 10,000 refugees. In addition to assisting with the distribution of basic necessities to the refugees, the Red Cross will establish 3 main dispensaries and medical substations in each of the camp areas; provide dietary supplements to children; initiate self-help work projects in sanitation, and make provision for classrooms, recreational, and community facilities; provide vocational retraining and recreation programs; and provide some counseling services.

EDUCATION: 600 "modified school chests" have been distributed in Vietnam. An additional 600 are expected to arrive by the end of November.

Cooperating with USAID, Government of South Vietnam, and the Vietnamese Red Cross Society.

Asia Foundation
P. O. Box 3223
San Francisco, Calif. 94119

Address in Vietnam: 46 duong Doan-Thi-Diem, Saigon

Resident program initiated: 1956.

Personnel: 2 US; 11 Vietnamese.

Budget 1966: \$300,000.

COMMUNICATIONS: Supports training programs for journalists, and study tours for audience-research study, Radio Vietnam.

EDUCATION: Supports Universities of Saigon, Hue, Dalat, and Van Hanh (Buddhist) University. Provides consultants on student counseling. Assists science education and scientific research. Supports evening vocational training courses conducted by the Vietnamese Engineers and Technicians Association. Assists the Confederation of Christian Labor in organizing and maintaining 10 adult-education centers. Assists the Popular Cultural Association's program for adult education and technical courses. Supports further education for Montagnard students. Awards grants for study and observation abroad where pertinent to other programs.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION: Arranges and supports travel and observation tours for civil servants. Provides consultant services to Foreign Ministry Training Center.

SOCIAL WELFARE: Assists the National Voluntary Service program and Voluntary Youth Workcamp Association and School of Youth for Social Services.

Cooperating with other local and international programs and agencies.

*+ CARE

660 First Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10016

Address in Vietnam: 34 Ngo Thoi Nhiem, Saigon (plus sub-offices in Danang, Nhatrang, and Can Tho).

Program initiated: 1954.

Personnel: 7 US - administrative; 14 Vietnamese.

Budget: From 7/66 to 12/66 - \$500,000.

MATERIAL AID & RELIEF: Distributes several standard packages to refugees, schools institutions, and the generally needy Vietnamese. Packages contain food (rice and salt); textiles suitable for clothing; sewing machines and needle trade kits; individual student kits, classroom replacement kits, physical education equipment; masons, carpenters, blacksmiths and agricultural tool kits. Several of the packages have been specifically designed to meet the needs of the Vietnamese today and many components are purchased in South Vietnam.

COOPERATIVES: Developing a small cooperative at Thanh Loc where a group of resettled refugees are engaged in poultry projects. In An Xuyen Province, helped start a cooperative for the production of mosquito nets, thereby helping a small group of widows earn a livelihood and at the same time developing a source of mosquito nets which are then distributed to needy people through CARE facilities. Equipment will be provided to the Hoc Mon District Farmers Association (Gia Dinh Province) for the establishment of a small peanut-oil expelling plant. To provide a source of credit, and increase their earning power, the Farmers Association will establish a credit union which will have a revolving fund of an amount at least equal to the value of the equipment.

FOOD PRODUCTION: See COOPERATIVES. In cooperation with the Chinese (Taiwan) Agricultural Mission, a pilot project to supply seeds and agricultural hand tools to refugee families resettled on marginal land is being developed in several communities.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Provides medicines and soap to hospitals, rural clinics and other institutions. A motorized sampan first-aid ambulance will be provided to the provincial public health team at Chau Doc, for civilian aid in areas accessible only by waterways. Equipment provided for a civilian clinic at Quang Trung, Gia Dinh Province.

HOUSING: In cooperation with USAID and military civic action teams, providing construction material for refugee resettlement at Ben Cat, Binh Duong Province.

PLANS: Proposal to process US Title II cotton fiber into yarn for distribution to members of a weavers cooperative whose members will produce fabric to be purchased by CARE for its textile packages.

Cooperating with Ministries of Social Welfare, Health, Armed Forces; USAID, US military civic action teams; Vietnamese provincial authorities; and other voluntary agencies.

** Catholic Relief Services - National Catholic Welfare Conference
350 Fifth Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10001

Address in Vietnam: 91 Duong Pasteur, Saigon

Program initiated: 1954.

Personnel: 9 US, 1 Australian, 1 Filipino surgeon, 56 Vietnamese.

Expenditures: 1965 - \$380,400; 1966 budget - \$464,000. Value of shipments in 1965 - \$4.5 million; 1966 - \$11.5 million (including medical aid and equipment).

MATERIAL AID & RELIEF: Provides food for 1.3 million refugees, relocated villagers, and Montagnards. This includes 180,000 children in 425 schools, 15,400 children in 77 orphanages, 6000 children in 25 day-care centers; 850,000 military dependents; 200,000 refugees in 283 refugee relief centers; and 5000 elderly persons in 14 homes-for-the-aged. Between July 1965 and July 1966, over 87 million pounds of food and clothing were shipped.

Assisting in the resettlement of over 1000 families (7000 persons) from the Saigon and Quinhon areas to a 300 acre site at Cam Ranh Bay.

Is contributing \$200,000 to the development of Caritas-Vietnam and to the support of its special programs which include emergency feeding, housing, training, and resettlement of refugees.

EDUCATION: Administering an Iron Curtain Church Relief project to construct 65 chapel schools that will accommodate 20,000 children.

FOOD PRODUCTION: In cooperation with OXFAM, Caritas Internationalis, and Freedom from Hunger Campaign (of Australia and New Zealand) developed a project for the construction of 24 fishing boats. Currently supplying netting and small loans.

Assisting farmers on the island of Phu Quoc, to form cooperative pepper plantations. Each cooperative will include 12 families.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: From July 1965 to July 1966, has distributed over \$800,000 worth of medicines and equipment, and contributed to the support of 14 health centers, 44 hospitals, 9 leprosariums, and 19 dispensaries. Fully staff and operate Minh Quy Hospital in Kontum; also conducts an 8-year basic education and a medical assistant training program at the hospital. Twenty Montagnard girls currently enrolled. Provide material aid and the services of one surgeon to St. John of God Hospital at Honai.

Cooperating with Caritas-Internationalis, OXFAM, CORSO, Medical Mission Sisters, Iron Curtain Church Relief, Freedom from Hunger Campaigns of Australia and New Zealand. US Government donates food. Catholic Medical Mission Board and World Medical Relief provide medical supplies; Vietnamese Government provides storage and inland freight.

Christian and Missionary Alliance
260 West 44th Street
New York, N.Y. 10036

Address in Vietnam: 2 Su Van Hanh, Cholon District, Saigon

First mission established in 1911.

Personnel: 103 (17 currently on furlough) missionaries of whom about 16 are involved in vocational training, academic instruction and social welfare activities; 10 are US and 6 are Canadian.

Expenditures: Programs supported by local churches with some assistance from Mennonite Central Committee.

Operates a youth center in Saigon where approximately 530 students are enrolled in English classes taught full-time by 2 missionaries and part-time by 6 missionaries. Maintains leprosarium with 300 inpatients and 1500 to 2000 outpatients 9 miles outside of Banmethuot. Mobile leprosy-treatment units regularly visit 6 villages; 3875 leprosy patients are treated in this mobile work.

Cooperating with Christian Children's Fund, Mennonite Central Committee, NAE-WRC, and World Vision.

* Christian Children's Fund
203 East Cary Street
Richmond, Va. 23204

Address in Vietnam: 10 Tran Quang Dieu, Saigon (mailing address: P. O. Box 1543, Saigon)

Program initiated: 1953.

Personnel: Over 60, including 1 US nurse, 5 US administrative personnel, 30 Vietnamese cottage mothers and other institutional staff, 20 Vietnamese caseworkers, and additional caseworkers currently in training.

Expenditures: 1965 - \$11,000 for affiliated child-care projects; \$32,000 for own facilities.

1966 - \$40,400 for existing facilities. \$170,000 has been assigned for expanded program.

SOCIAL WELFARE: Owns and operates an orphanage for 250 children at Nhatrang. Assists 210 children in Banmethuot in 4 affiliated child-care centers for the rehabilitation of children with arrested leprosy and for the care of children of parents ill with leprosy. Contributes to the support of 60 children in the Worldwide Evangelism Home, an orphanage in Danang.

A program of Family Helper Care Projects is being developed to care for about 5000 children. 3000 children are now registered in the program. Twenty caseworkers, all of whom participated in an in-service training program, are carrying a caseload of about 100 families each. Four caseworkers have been assigned to each of the four regions of South Vietnam and 4 are assigned to Saigon. The assistance includes monetary subsidy and possible material aid, personal counseling, family planning, budget planning, and a referral service to care for other problems which may exist or arise. Financial assistance for a family is directed to them through subsidy to the child or children within the families concerned.

All facilities are operated with the cooperation of the Christian and Missionary Alliance and the National Vietnamese Church. USAID commodities are received through the Vietnamese Government. Commodities and some financial support are also provided by the Mennonite Central Committee.

*+ Church World Service see Vietnam Christian Service
National Council of Churches
475 Riverside Drive
New York, N.Y. 10027

*+ Community Development Foundation
Boston Post Road
Norwalk, Conn. 06852

Address in Vietnam: 134 Le Loi, Quinhon (mailing address: Box 35,
Quinhon)

Program initiated: July 1966

Personnel: 2 US; 1 Korean community development expert; 2 Vietnamese.

An additional 15 staff members are anticipated by the end of the year.

Budget 1966: \$50,000.

SOCIAL WELFARE: CDF is developing a program to provide professional training and services to a number of refugee camps and resettled villages in the Quinhon area. The services include counseling and guidance in the initiation and completion of self-help projects; small grants or loans; and training of local leaders in community development work. Current projects include construction of a bridge at Tinh Giang; a vocational-training workshop at Ghenh Rang; and a dike for flood control in Xuan-Phuong.

This program is operated in conjunction with the Save the Children Federation program.

Eastern Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities
Brandt Blvd. and Oak Lane
Salunga, Pa. 17538

Address in Vietnam: 336 Phan Thanh Gian, Saigon

Program initiated: 1957.

Personnel: 8 US including 7 teachers.

Expenditures: 1965 - \$21,900; budget: 1966 - \$32,700.

SOCIAL WELFARE: Operates two facilities in Saigon: a student center with reading and study facilities where over 200 persons are enrolled in English classes; and a community center which includes a primary school and day-care facilities for over 150 children.

Cooperating with the Mennonite Central Committee.

* Foster Parents' Plan
352 Park Avenue South
New York, N.Y. 10010

Address in Vietnam: 105 Yen Do, Saigon

Program initiated: 1957.

Personnel: 1 Canadian director; 1 US trainee; 35 Vietnamese (including 22 social workers).

Expenditures: 1965 - \$701,000 (exclusive of cash gifts) of which \$617,305 went for cash grants and goods, and \$8,495 went for surgical and medical needs. \$62,257 cash gifts; \$19,960 gift parcels.

1966 - \$778,000 (exclusive of cash gifts) of which \$673,000 will go for cash grants and goods and \$10,000 for surgical and medical needs.

SOCIAL WELFARE: Provides welfare assistance including financial aid, food, clothing, household goods and regular counseling by trained local social workers to 5672 children and their families (about 28,000 people). Special emphasis is placed on enabling children to obtain academic education or vocational training. Additional funds are available for self-help endeavors and for emergencies.

MEDICAL AID: Pays for emergency surgical and medical needs of individual children and their families. Have special financial and treatment arrangements with the Seventh Day Adventist Hospital in Saigon and with the Evangelical Clinic at Nhatrang.

CENTERS OF OPERATION: Saigon, Banmethuot, Bien Hoa and Honai area, Binh Tuy, Biao, Cantho, Dalat, Danang, Dilinh, Don Bosco, Dran, Gia Kiem, Lac Lam, Moc Hoa, My Tho, Nhatrang, Phan Thiet, Tuy Hoa.

Cooperating with the Government of Vietnam, the US Embassy in Saigon, the Seventh Day Adventist Hospital in Saigon, the Evangelical Clinic at Nhatrang, and public hospitals and clinics,

*+ International Rescue Committee
460 Park Avenue South
New York, N.Y. 10010

Address in Vietnam: 213 Dar Lo Chong Hoa, Saigon

Program initiated: 1965.

Personnel: 3 US, 4 Vietnamese, 14 International (8 physicians, 6 nurses).

Expenditures: 1965 - \$47,000 plus \$45,300 worth of medical supplies.

Budget 1966: \$785,000 plus \$200,000 worth of medical supplies.

EDUCATION: Sponsored three-week training program, in 16 locations, for 244 teachers assigned to refugee schools. Has established handicraft and self-help projects in Dong Xoai, Darlac and other locations.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Eight medical doctors and 6 nurses, mainly refugees from Cuba, provide medical services in refugee districts of Quang Ngai, Bien Hoa, Phan Rang, and Long An. In cooperation with OXFAM, IRC provides two Vietnamese nurses/social workers engaged in immunizing the children of all orphanages and day nurseries in Saigon, Cholon and Bien Hoa and in improving the general health conditions of the children institutions. In the

Mekong Delta, IRC provides training for 13 female civilian health technicians. Financed a 6-months training program for 15 Village Medical Assistants in the Montagnard region.

CHILD WELFARE ACTIVITIES: Provides food, clothing, educational equipment and administrative support to five orphanages caring for 2,100 children. Is sponsoring new day-care centers in cooperation with the Buddhist School of Phat Giao, the Vietnamese Women's Association and the Vietnamese Federation of Labor.

SOCIAL WELFARE: Has established a special program of assistance to the families of hamlet chiefs who were assassinated by the Vietcong. Has provided seeds, highland rice, camp radios and other equipment to Montagnard settlements and refugee camps.

Cooperating with the Vietnamese Ministry of Social Welfare; Council of Voluntary Agencies in Saigon and its member agencies; Vietnamese Women's Association; Vietnamese Federation of Labor; USAID.

International Voluntary Services
1555 Connecticut Avenue
Washington, D. C. 20036

Address in Vietnam: 348 Le Van Duyet, Saigon

Personnel: Current total 115 including 110 US, 2 Canadians, 2 Filipinos, and 1 Taiwanese. About 10 Vietnamese serve as interpreters and clerical workers. By June 1967, the program will have 200 personnel including 80 teachers, 40 agriculturalists, 60 community development, youth and refugee workers, and 20 administrative personnel.

Expenditures: 1965 - \$275,000. Budget for 1966 - \$1.2 million as provided by contract with USAID. This does not include payments by Vietnamese Government for housing, transportation, and salaries of local personnel.

AGRICULTURE: IVS agriculturalists are now primarily working in government sponsored extension work among the farmers, and in the training of Vietnamese technicians. In cooperation with local farmers, develop sites to demonstrate new varieties and new techniques.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT: With the cooperation of local Vietnam government officials and civil servants assist in all phases of district development including: 1) self-help projects such as construction of schools and market places, improvement of sanitation and health facilities, development of vocational training programs and improvement of community organization and local government operation; 2) urban renewal projects such as development of local dispensaries, improvement of drainage and sewage systems, vocational and teacher training programs, and school construction; 3) youth and student work which includes assistance to various indigenous youth organizations in carrying out civic action projects.

EDUCATION: Teachers are assigned to existing Vietnamese schools where they are concerned primarily with teaching English and conducting work-

shops in science teaching techniques through the use of mobile science laboratories.

CENTERS OF OPERATION: About 20 locations in the central highlands, including Saigon, Cantho, Hue, Nhatrang, and Dalat, coastal lowlands and the Mekong delta.

Cooperating with USAID, USIS, and the Asia Foundation. Also receive support from CARE, Catholic Relief Services and the Mennonite Central Committee. Interested private groups and individuals in the US contribute to projects of individual volunteers.

*+ Lutheran World Relief
386 Park Avenue South
New York, N.Y. 10016

see Vietnam Christian Service

Medical Mission Sisters
(Society of Catholic Medical Missionaries, Inc.)
8400 Pine Road
Philadelphia, Pa. 19111

Address in Vietnam: Holy Family Hospital, Quinhon
Program initiated: 1960.

Personnel: 11 US (3 doctors, 2 nurses, 3 nurse-midwives, 1 medical technologist, 1 X-ray technologist, and 1 administrative assistant); 2 Filipinas (1 pharmacist and 1 administrative assistant); and 41 Vietnamese (2 assistant nurses and 39 aides and other employees).

In addition 2 to 4 nurses are expected by early next year.

Expenditures: 1965 - approximately \$24,000; 1966 - similar to 1965.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Staffs, equips and maintains Holy Family Hospital, in Quinhon (opened 1960). This is a general hospital with 40 beds., 10 bassinets and an outpatient department. In 1965, 2700 inpatients and 26,000 outpatients were served. A hospital addition currently under construction and to be completed by the end of the year will increase the hospital capacity to 75 beds. It is anticipated that a school of nursing, in conjunction with the hospital, will be opened early next year. Construction will begin shortly on a residence for foreign nursing personnel. The Vietnam Government has given two additional tracts of land for future expansion of the hospital and training school.

Cooperating with the Diocese of Quinhon; Government of Vietnam; and Catholic Relief Services which contributes food-stuffs and clothing for the hospital patients and for the refugees in the area around the hospital.

*+ Mennonite Central Committee
Akron, Pa. 17501

see Vietnam Christian Service

*+ National Association of Evangelicals - World Relief Commission (NAE-WRC)
33-10 36th Avenue
Long Island City, N.Y. 11106

Address in Vietnam: 39 Nguyen, Hue Street, Hue
Program initiated: 1961.
Personnel: 3 US; 1 Canadian (administrative); 75 Vietnamese.
Expenditures: 1966 - \$40,000. As the program develops, it is expected to become self-sufficient.

EDUCATION & SOCIAL WELFARE: Since 1961, a vocational training center in Hue has been in operation. In 1965, NAE-WRC signed a contract with the Government of Vietnam to carry out programs of direct relief, education, and technical assistance. The main emphasis is on the development and training of local leadership to serve the rural population. An expanded central training and research center, the Christian Lay Leadership Center, is now being developed for Hue, which will include primary, secondary, and technical schooling; on-the-job training in agriculture and industry; assistance for war-orphans and underprivileged youth; understanding of the Christian faith and life; development of community leadership and self-help extension projects. All assets and personnel involved in the center are now located on farm property about 3 miles from Hue.

Cooperating with USAID, Mennonite Central Committee, Christian Children's Fund, Christian and Missionary Alliance, and the Government of Vietnam.

* People-to-People Health Foundation, Inc. (Project HOPE)
2233 Wisconsin Avenue, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20007

Address in Vietnam: Project HOPE Rehabilitation Center, 70 Ba Huyen, Thanh-Quan, Saigon
Program initiated: 1961.
Personnel: 3 US (1 surgeon and 2 nurses); 6 Vietnamese.
Expenditures: From 6/65 to 6/66 - \$33,000. Budget: From 6/66 to 6/67 - \$32,000.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Established in Saigon the first US Orthopedic Rehabilitation Clinic in South Vietnam. Since the clinic opened in 1961, over 3000 persons have been treated. Provide some training to local medical personnel.

Cooperating with USAID, and the Government of Vietnam.

* Project Concern, Inc.
1262 Kettner Blvd.
P.O. Box: 2468
San Diego, Calif. 92112

Address in Vietnam: P.O. Box 1184, Saigon
Program initiated: 1964.

Personnel: Total 51. 2 US (1 administrator, 1 nurse); 2 British (1 nurse, 1 secretary); 2 Canadians (1 nurse, 1 lab technician); 4 Taiwanese (including 2 doctors); 2 Cambodians, 9 Vietnamese (supporting staff); 27 Montagnards and 3 Vietnamese (medical assistants).

Expenditures: 4/65 to 3/66 - \$54,700. Budget: 4/66 to 3/67 - \$72,000.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Operates a 42-bed hospital in DaMpag (near Dalat). Over 2900 Montagnards a month are treated at the hospital and outpatient clinics. Over 700 a month are treated by a mobile medical team (doctor, nurse, lab technician) which periodically visits each of the surrounding 25 villages.

Operates a Village Medical Assistant training program for Vietnamese, Montagnards, and Thais, who are instructed in first-aid, the use of basic drugs, diagnosis, public health, and English. 35 have graduated from 3-month courses; 10 have graduated from a 6-month training program. A second 6-month course was begun in September.

MATERIAL AID & RELIEF: Provides food to counteract vitamin deficiency, hygiene kits, and medicine.

PLANS: A 20-bed hospital building provided by the Vietnamese Government at Cheo Reo, Phu Bon Province will be staffed by June 1967. Program will also include a Village Medical Assistant training program, with associated village visitations.

Cooperating with USAID. The Government of Vietnam has assisted in providing buildings and improvements.

* Project HOPE see People-to-People Health Foundation

Project Vietnam see AMA Volunteer Physicians for Vietnam

Formerly administered by the People-to-People Health Foundation. Now administered by the American Medical Association.

+ Salvation Army
120-130 West 14th Street
New York, N.Y. 10011

While Salvation Army personnel from Australia are serving in Vietnam, plans are underway for an extension of Salvation Army program from the United States. Several teams to work with refugees are projected. These teams will consist of from 5 to 10 specialists in the areas of nursing, child welfare, social welfare, health education, vocational training in construction and other skills, etc.

The special emphasis will be the undergirding of family life. The establishment of several community and child care centers is anticipated.

+ Save the Children Federation
Norwalk, Conn. 06852

Address in Vietnam: 134 Le Loi, Quinhon (mailing address: Box 35,
Quinhon)

Program initiated: July 1966.

Personnel: 2 US; 1 Korean community development expert; 2 Vietnamese. An
additional 15 staff members are anticipated by the end of the year.

Budget 1966: \$50,000.

SOCIAL WELFARE: Through a child, family, and community self-help sponsor-
ship program, SCF is providing social and economic aid to children, families,
and organized groups in refugee camps and relocation settlements in the
Quinhon area. 67 families are now being sponsored.

This program is operated in conjunction with the Community Development
Foundation program.

*+ Seventh-Day Adventist Welfare Service
6840 Eastern Avenue
Washington, D. C. 20012

Personnel: Total 94. 6 US, 88 Vietnamese. (Teaching personnel include
2 US, 11 Vietnamese).

Expenditures: 1965 - \$58,240; 1966 budget - \$63,240. Over \$27,000 worth
of medicine and equipment have been shipped in 1966.

EDUCATION: Maintains the Vietnam Training School for 224 children in
Saigon since 1957.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Operates the Saigon Adventist Hospital, a 38-bed
facility established in 1955. 1940 inpatients and 28,400 outpatients were
treated in 1965.

* Summer Institute of Linguistics
219 West Walnut
Santa Ana, Calif. 92702

Address in Vietnam: P.O. Box L-11, Saigon

Program initiated: 1957.

Personnel: Total 45 (14 currently on leave). 38 US, 4 English, 2 Canadians,
1 Australian.

Budget 1966: \$100,000.

EDUCATION: Conducts a program which includes linguistic field research
and analysis in 17 languages; comparative linguistic studies; collection of
anthropological data; translations; preparation of educational material
for literacy programs; language orientation courses. Provides lecturers in
English to the Universities of Saigon and Hue. Operates the Linguistic
Research Center at Kontum which also does anthropological research.

Cooperates with the Government of Vietnam Ministry of Education, Department of
Cultural Affairs and Educational Materials Center. Universities of Saigon
and Hue. Wycliffe Bible Translators.

Vietnam Christian Service -- a new joint program sponsored by Church World Service**, Lutheran World Relief**, and the Mennonite Central Committee** to serve refugees and others in the emergency situation in Vietnam. The program is being administered by the Mennonite Central Committee.

Address in Vietnam: 83 Cong Ly, Saigon

Programs initiated: CWS has been in Vietnam since 1954 (no program 1958-1964). MCC relief programs were initiated in 1954.

Personnel: Total 65, including medical personnel, agriculturalists, social workers, home economists, material aid specialists, and administrative personnel. Two agriculturalists are on loan to NAE-WRC at Hue. Additional local personnel serve as interpreters and assistants and receive in-service training.

Expenditures: 1965: CWS - \$35,000. MCC - \$32,500. Budget 1966-1967: total - \$400,000. CWS will make available \$250,000; Lutheran World Relief has allocated \$100,000 (\$50,000 for personnel, \$25,000 for supplies to supplement gifts in kind, and \$25,000 for other program services); and MCC will make available \$50,000.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: A 35-bed clinic-hospital at Nhatrang, served by 1 doctor, 4 nurses, and 10 local staff members, is operated in cooperation with Evangelical Church of Vietnam. Over 40,000 patients were treated in 1965 including 200 patients in a tuberculosis treatment program. Provides the services of 1 doctor and 2 nurses in Pleiku where a 20-bed hospital is under construction.

MATERIAL AID: About 4,250,000 pounds of US government surplus commodities will be distributed in 1966. Cloth, cut-garments, new children's clothing, and used clothing, as well as multi-vitamins, medical supplies, and drugs will also be provided.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT: One agriculturalist is helping to operate a Montagnard Training Center at Pleiku. A social worker, a nurse, 2 agriculturalists, and a home economist are developing a program in Quang Ngai. A social welfare project is being initiated in Saigon.

World Rehabilitation Fund
400 East 34th Street
New York, N.Y. 10016

Address in Vietnam: USAID/PHD, A.P.O., San Francisco, Calif. 96243

Program initiated: December 1965.

Personnel: 1 US administrator, 1 US consultant for services to the blind.
8 full-time Vietnamese and 12 part-time.

Expenditures: From 1/66 to 12/66 - \$288,000.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Assisting the National Rehabilitation Institute, a Vietnamese facility in Saigon, to improve and expand their services. Provided a 4-month training program in prostheses, and orthotics to 40 trainees who are now producing over 400 artificial limbs and braces per month. Additional training will be provided next year. A program of services to the blind is also being developed.

The first of 3 satellite centers will be established in January at the provincial hospital in Cantho, and a second one will be established at Danang in March.

Cooperating with USAID, Government of Vietnam, Project HOPE, International Red Cross, and the Vietnamese Red Cross.

* World Vision Relief Organization, Inc.
919 West Huntington Drive
Monrovia, Calif. 91016

Address in Vietnam: Hoe Truyen-Giao, 329 Vo Tanh Street, Saigon
Program initiated: 1965.
Personnel: 1 US administrator, 1 Vietnamese.
Expenditures: 1966 - \$525,000, primarily for relief supplies.

SOCIAL WELFARE: Established and maintains, with the cooperation of the National Evangelical Church, 3 Christian refugee centers in Quinhon, Quang Ngai, and Danang. Provides for 300 orphans at the refugee centers and in Saigon. Maintains an agricultural and vocational training school near Dalat.

Ships food, clothing, personal kits, and medical supplies and equipment for distribution to hospitals and refugees.

Cooperating with USAID, Government of Vietnam, and the Christian and Missionary Alliance.

Worldwide Evangelization Crusade
P.O. Box A
Fort Washington, Pa. 19034

Address in Vietnam: Box 101, Danang.
Program initiated: 1958.
Personnel: 4 US; 5 international (4 medical); 45 Vietnamese (6 medical).
Expenditures: 1965 - \$20,400; 1966 - \$28,000.

Operates a leprosarium in Danang, accommodating 200 patients; however owing to the present situation, the leprosarium is only visited periodically by helicopter. WEC also operates an orphanage for about 100 children at Danang. Provides medical assistance. Conducts literacy program among Hrey Montagnards.

Cooperating with the Mennonite Central Committee, Christian Children's Fund, and Wycliffe Bible Translators. The Government of Vietnam has supplied medicines for leprosy work.

The following list includes those agencies which are currently providing supplies, equipment, financial support, or arrange for the training of overseas personnel in the US. They do not maintain any US personnel in Vietnam.

AMDOC, INC., 27 East Canon Perdido St., Santa Barbara, Calif. 93101 - Cooperating with the American Medical Association in recruiting physicians for the AMA Volunteer Physicians for Vietnam program.

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, New Brunswick, N.J. 08903 - 1966 budget provides for two grants: \$2000 for translation of Boy Scout literature; \$4000 for the training and equipment of adult leaders. In 1965, \$6000 from the World Friendship Fund was assigned to the Vietnamese Boy Scouts.

DIRECT RELIEF FOUNDATION, 27 East Canon Perdido St., Santa Barbara, Calif. 93101 - In 1965 shipped 140,000 lbs. of medical and other supplies. Since January 1966, shipped 40,000 lbs. worth \$878,000.

THOMAS A. DOOLEY FOUNDATION, INC., 442 Post St., San Francisco, Calif. - Provides funds, equipment, and supplies to the two orphanages of An Lac in the Saigon area, caring for over 600 children. Also ship personal hygiene "Dooley" kits for refugee children. Cooperate with Catholic Relief Services in shipment and distribution.

INTERNATIONAL CATHOLIC AUXILIARIES, 1734 Asbury Ave., Evanston, Ill. 60204 - In Evanston, train international personnel for projects of the international organization. No US personnel currently in Vietnam. Operate a student center, and a social work center in Saigon.

INTERCHURCH MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, 475 Riverside Dr., New York, N.Y. 10027 - Since January, have shipped, through the Mennonite Central Committee, about \$15,000 worth of medical supplies.

+ INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL SERVICE-AMERICAN BRANCH, 345 East 46th St., New York, N.Y. 10017 - Finances and administratively responsible for the ISS program in Vietnam during 1966. Provides social services including counseling and assistance in problems of overseas adoption, homeless children, and separated families.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS, INC., P.O. Box 50, Wheaton, Ill. 60301 - Provide medical supplies and equipment to missionary doctors and hospitals.

MEDICINES FOR MISSIONS, 19303 Fremont Ave., North, Seattle, Wash. 98133 - Upon receipt of specific requests, ships donated medical supplies to missionary hospitals, clinics, and orphanages, etc. Shipping charges paid by recipient, mission board or interested parties.

SALESIANS OF ST. JOHN BOSCO, 148 Main St., New Rochelle, N.Y. - US Salesians contribute financially to the support of programs that are administered internationally. In Go Vap, operate an orphanage for 600 boys which includes a trade school; in Saigon, a halfway house accommodating 40 boys; and in Thu Doc, an academic high school.

VOLUNTEERS FOR INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, 230 State St., Schenectady, N.Y. 12304 - Provides technical advice and information to community development, agricultural, and other projects.

WORLD MEDICAL RELIEF, 11745 Twelfth St., Detroit, Mich. - From 1/65 to 6/66, over \$3 million worth of drugs and equipment has been shipped.

** WORLD UNIVERSITY SERVICE, 20 West 40th St., New York, N.Y. 10018 - U.S.-WUS assisted in developing and initially administered various facilities for students in Saigon and Hue including a reading room, library, and book bank, mimeographing centers, and clinic and dispensary. These activities are now self-administered by the Vietnamese division of WUS. U.S.-WUS continues to contribute to International WUS in support of this program and ships educational equipment and clothing received from US campuses.