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THE AMERICAN COUNCIL OF VOLUNTARY AGENCIES FOR FOREIGN SERVICE was established in 1943 to provide a means for consultation, coordination and planning, and to assure the maximum effective use of contributions by the American community for the assistance of people overseas. Through the Council, 44 member American voluntary agencies engaged in programs of active service overseas now coordinate their plans and activities both at home and abroad, not only among themselves but also with non-member agencies and governmental, intergovernmental and international organizations. Since 1955 the Council has operated the Technical Assistance Information Clearing House under contract with the United States Agency for International Development.

THE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE INFORMATION CLEARING HOUSE serves as a center of information on the socio-economic development programs abroad of U.S. non-profit organizations. Through publications and the maintenance of an inquiry service, it makes available to organizations, the government, researchers, and other users information about development assistance with particular reference to the resources and concerns of the private, voluntary non-profit sector.

THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON VOLUNTARY FOREIGN AID was established in 1946 by Presidential Directive "to tie together the governmental and private programs in the field of foreign relief and to work with interested agencies and groups." The purpose of the Committee is to guide the public and the agencies seeking the support of the public, in the appropriate and productive use of voluntary contributions for foreign aid. The Advisory Committee, made up of private citizens who serve without compensation, is in the Agency for International Development (AID); the Secretariat is located in AID's Voluntary Foreign Aid Service. Agencies registered with the Advisory Committee are eligible for certain benefits, including government grants of agricultural commodities under PL 480 legislation; reimbursement by the Government for the overseas shipment of these foods and their own donated supplies; and various kinds of property that are excess to government needs.
Introduction

This is the sixth in a series of reports issued since October 1965 by the Technical Assistance Information Clearing House describing all known programs of assistance in South Vietnam that are operated and supported currently by US nonprofit organizations.

The majority of the organizations listed are voluntary agencies. Missions, foundations and other nonprofit, nongovernmental organizations have been included in order to present a comprehensive picture of the range and extent of US private effort to provide the Vietnamese people with relief, material aid, and technical assistance in medicine, education, agriculture, community development, and social service.

The report is divided into two parts. Part 1 describes 25 programs employing, in Vietnam, over 300 US personnel, 75 international, and 500 Vietnamese. US nonprofit organizations, based in the United States, are administratively and financially responsible for these programs. The report does not reflect the participation of many other organizations, individuals and institutions who, as members and constituents of the administering agencies, channel their financial and material contributions to Vietnam through them.

Although the major emphasis of these programs, at this time, is on providing relief and material aid to refugees and relocated villagers -- more than $14.5 million worth of donated food, clothing, and medical supplies was shipped last year -- the agencies allocated over $4.5 million last year and have budgeted about $7.3 million for the current year to operate many other types of programs. (The figures are approximate owing to differences in fiscal years and in methods of financial reporting.) 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, and medical assistants; the development of rural cooperatives; child-welfare activities including day-care centers, orphanages, medical assistance and immunization programs, school-lunch and other supplementary feeding programs; and various self-help endeavors in construction, development of community facilities, and fostering of local industries and agriculture.
The 22 organizations mentioned in part 2, under Programs of Support, include those US nonprofit organizations that are providing aid to Vietnamese institutions; contributing to programs in Vietnam operated by other US organizations; contributing to programs operated by international organizations of which they are a branch; or providing training in the US to either Vietnamese or to international personnel who will be serving in Vietnam (US college and university student-exchange or scholarship programs have not been included). They have neither US personnel in South Vietnam nor are they administratively responsible for a program there. Their total contribution, both financial and in material aid, exceeded $8.5 million.

The data for this report has been submitted by the organizations 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.

March 21, 1967
PROGRAMS OF ASSISTANCE IN SOUTH VIETNAM OPERATED BY US NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

AMERICAN FRIENDS SERVICE COMMITTEE
160 North 15 St, Philadelphia, Pa. 19102

Address in Vietnam: 12 Phan Dinh Phung, Quangngai (mailing address: P.O. Box 67, Quangngai); AFSC Volunteers to Vietnamese Agencies - c/o Vietnam Christian Service, 83 Cong Ly, Saigon
Program initiated June 1966
Personnel: 8 US, 1 Japanese, and 7 Vietnamese (3 US and 1 Japanese are in the program of Services to Vietnamese Agencies).
Budget 10/66 - 9/67: $140,000.

CHILD WELFARE: A day-care center, established last September in Quangngai, accommodates 75 children for all-day care, including pre-school instruction, feeding, and bathing. A supplementary feeding program for siblings and other children will soon be established. Mothers assist with the children and participate in other activities at the center. The center will include training of nursery leaders sent by local groups and refugee camps, as well as field-work placement for social work students.

EDUCATION: Sewing classes have been started at the center for women in nearby refugee camps. Other vocational training will be initiated shortly.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Some public health education is being offered to families participating in the day-care center. In addition, a program is being established in Quangngai to provide physical therapy and rehabilitation for patients in the Provincial Hospital and on an out-patient basis. Care will include rehabilitative nursing, physical therapy, occupational therapy, simple prosthesis making and fitting, and medical social work.

VOLUNTEER SERVICES TO VIETNAMESE AGENCIES: Volunteers work on individual assignments within Vietnamese agencies and institutions such as social welfare centers, student hostels, hospitals, agricultural and construction projects, and orphanages in various locations.

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

AMA VOLUNTEER PHYSICIANS FOR VIETNAM
American Medical Association
235 North Dearborn St, Chicago, Ill 60610

Program initiated June 1965. Administered as a pilot project, under the name of Project Vietnam, by People-to-People Health Foundation until June 1966 when the AMA began administering the program.
Personnel: 12 to 16 physicians depart each month for tours of at least 60 days. 191 physicians have participated in the program since its beginning.
Budget 5/66 - 4/68: Approximately $672,300 - financed by AID.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: US volunteer physicians are assigned to provincial hospitals in 22 locations throughout South Vietnam.

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AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS
18th and D Sts, NW, Washington, DC 20006

Address in Vietnam: 201 Hong-Thap-Tu, Saigon
Program initiated July 1966
Personnel: 7 US (1 liaison officer and 1 secretary based in Saigon and a team of 5 at Quangngai - 1 leader, 1 sanitarian, 1 male nurse, 1 craft/recreation specialist, and 1 mass-care welfare/supply specialist.) An additional male nurse and a vocational training specialist are being sent from US in March. Vietnamese Red Cross has provided counterparts and others for training in refugee-aid work.

Budget 7/66 - 6/67: About $250,000 of which AID will contribute about $143,000. Additional budget will be provided as the program expands. In addition, Red Cross chapters throughout the US are providing educational and recreational equipment and supplies; dietary supplements; first-aid kits; layettes; infant and child feeding equipment and supplies, soap, textiles, and boy's clothing, either in kind or with cash contributions. In 1966, over $700,000 worth of supplies and equipment were shipped.

SOCIAL WELFARE: Red Cross is managing 10 contiguous refugee-camp areas, in Quangngai Province, for about 12,000 refugees. Additional camp areas with 12,000 refugees are expected to be brought into the program imminently. Self-help projects are being carried out in sanitation, construction, carpentry, masonry, etc., for which tools are being provided, with the aim of increasing and improving classroom, recreational, and community facilities, and making homes more secure.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: In addition to assisting with the distribution of basic necessities to the refugees, three main dispensaries and medical substations have been established in each camp area. Dietary supplements are being provided, primarily to children. ARC is helping finance the first three months of a first-aid training program to be conducted by 12 highly skilled "secourists" in areas with limited medical facilities.

EDUCATION: Three sewing centers have been established in the camps and ARC is sponsoring additional sewing classes at the Quangngai Rural Trade School for which sewing machines and cloth are being provided. Barbering and typewriter-repair training are also being taught and other "second-skill" training programs are being developed.

FOOD PRODUCTION: Small plots of land have been allocated in the camp areas for gardening. Fowl and pig raising projects have been expanded.

CONSTRUCTION: In Vinh-Son (Phu Cuong Province), ARC is helping finance a self-help construction project of homes and community buildings for 208 families who have permanently resettled in this location.

CHILD WELFARE: Through the Red Cross Youth Fund, 1000 cans of sweetened condensed milk are being shipped monthly for distribution by the Vietnam Red Cross Society on a prescription basis to sick children. Over 600 modified school chests to be used in refugee classrooms, and 123 regular school chests valued at $100 each, were shipped in December 1966. $15,000 of the Fund was used to purchase 15,600 short trousers and 4800 cotton shirts for boys in refugee camps administered by ARC. In addition, 5000 soft toys were shipped.
Cooperating with USAID, Government of Vietnam, and the Vietnam Red Cross Society. Also cooperate with the League of Red Cross societies, which will coordinate the work of the several national Red Cross societies now or soon to be conducting refugee programs in South Vietnam.

ASIA FOUNDATION
P.O. Box 3223, San Francisco, Calif 94119

Address in Vietnam: 46 duong Dcn-Thi-Diem, Saigon
Resident program initiated 1956
Personnel: 2 US, 11 Vietnamese.
Expenditures 1966: Approximately $300,000.

The Foundation contributes to a wide range of socio-educational activities undertaken by the Government of Vietnam and by private Vietnamese institutions, and organizations through the provision of financial assistance, the purchase of equipment abroad, study grants, international conference attendance, and the services of consultants on a contractual basis. Currently it is active in the fields of higher education, rural development, law and government, civic and community services, science and technology, youth and students, and communications media.

EDUCATION: Assistance is being provided to the University of Saigon for science research; to the University of Dalat for business and economic seminars; to Van Hanh University for faculty and library development; and to the University of Cantho for publications. Financial aid is also being given to the Ministry of Education for the preparation of educational radio and television programs for school use, as well as for conference and research connected with educational reform and curricula revision. An annual grant to the Directorate of Montagnard Affairs provides 161 subsistence scholarships for tribal minority students at the secondary and technical school levels. Through its Books for Asian Students Program, the Foundation distributes approximately 30,000 books annually to Vietnamese schools, institutions, groups, and individuals.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION: The Foundation is providing funds to the Prefecture of Saigon for public administration training courses for mid-level officials; to the National Institute of Administration for provincial research; to the Jurists' Association for Juridical Studies; and to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs for the establishment of a permanent Foreign Service Training Center. It also supports training courses for personnel of the Ministry of Labor and the Ministry of Social Welfare.

SOCIAL WELFARE: Financial assistance for administrative, programming, and training expenses is being furnished to the National Voluntary Service, the Voluntary Youth Workcamp and Seminar Association, Boy Scouts, National Youth Council, and to a number of recreational associations interested in stemming juvenile delinquency. Also provides financial aid or equipment and material to such organizations as CARITAS, the Young Christian Workers Movement, the Women's Protection Association, Regina Pacis, several Buddhist social organizations, and a number of self-help community development groups in the greater Saigon area.
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; and 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.

CONSTRUCTION: Provided building material for 350 homes at the Ben Cat Refugee Relocation Project (Binh Duong Province), constructed in cooperation with USAID and Military Civic Action Teams. Building material for 65 homes for flood victims in An Giang Province has also been provided.

EDUCATION: Contributing 40 sewing machines to the Cholon Tailoring Workshop Training School and Cooperative, administered by the Vietnamese Veterans Legion, to provide war widows and orphans with on-the-job training. An additional 18 sewing machines will be provided to sewing centers to be established, in cooperation with USAID, at Hau Bon and in 10 regional villages (Phu Bon Province) where 3-month training courses will be offered. Equipment is also being provided for an embroidery workshop training program for 100 students sponsored by the Thu Duc 4-T Club.

FOOD PRODUCTION: Assistance to the Duc Thu Farmers Association includes feed-preparation equipment for a hog-production program, and piping and other construction materials for an irrigation project. Assorted peanut-oil expelling equipment and funds for loans to farmers are being provided to the Hoc Mon Farmers Association (Gia Dinh Province). Seed and equipment are being provided for Victory-Garden programs at 4 sites in Gia Dinh Province.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Provides medicines and soap to hospitals, clinics, and other institutions. Four motorized sampan first-aid ambulances are being provided to the Chau Doc Provincial Hospital and Health Service Program for civilian aid in areas accessible only by waterways. An ambulance, to serve as a mobile dispensary has been provided to Minh-Quy Hospital in Kontum. Funds have been contributed towards the construction of a new dispensary at Chu Lai New Life Hamlet (Quang Tin Province). Assorted hospital equipment is being provided to a new civilian dispensary and maternity ward at Quang Trung (Gia Dinh Province).

MATERIAL AID: Supplying food, clothing, medicines, salt, and sweetened condensed milk to over 1.3 million persons. These include 700,000 military dependents (Rural Forces); 75,000 under the US Military Civic Action Programs; 180,000 children in 425 day schools; 15,400 children in 77 orphanages; 6000 children in 25 day-care centers; 200,000 refugees, and 5000 elderly persons in 14 homes for the aged. Supplies from July 1966 to July 1967 will amount to approximately 150 million lbs of food, medicines, and clothing as compared with 87 million for the previous year.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Distributing food and medical supplies to 14 health centers, 44 hospitals, 9 leprosariums, and 10 dispensaries. Supplies staff and maintenance support to Minh-Quy Hospital, in Kontum. An 8-year basic education and medical technicians training program for Montagnard girls is also part of the program. Provides material aid and services of 1 surgeon for St. John of God Hospital, in Honai (Bien Hoa). The Children's Polio Center, in Saigon, administered by the Sisters of Charity, was constructed with funds from CRS, MISEREX, and OXFAM. CRS recently established a health and nutrition center for infants at Gia Dinh, near Saigon in cooperation with the Sisters of Charity. A similar project is in progress for Montagnard mothers and infants, at Fyan (near Dalat).

SPECIAL PROJECTS: Contributes $200,000 annually in area of special projects, including emergency feeding, vocational training and rural development programs, hospital and school construction projects of Caritas Vietnam.

EDUCATION: Constructing 2 students hostels in Long Xuyen for 300 students. In conjunction with Iron Curtain Church Relief, constructing 56 chapel/schools. Financed the construction and equipping of an agricultural training school at Dakto. Contributed to Integrated School for the Blind in Saigon, recently constructed under the auspices of the Christian Brothers.

SOCIAL WELFARE: A trained US social worker serves in advisory capacity to Caritas School of Social Work; facilitating adoption of Vietnamese orphans by US adoptive parents. CRS is also constructing 13 social centers for refugees, in 13 urban areas, which will provide housing, day-care centers, dispensary service, work-shop training and rural extension service for refugees, and for needy in surrounding areas.

FOOD PRODUCTION: In cooperation with OXFAM, Caritas Internationalis, the Freedom From Hunger Campaigns of Australia and New Zealand, developed construction of cooperative village-owned fishing boats. A total of 24 villages have been assisted thus far; the project is currently supplying funds for netting;
Cooperating with Caritas-Internationalis, OXFAM, CORSO, Medical Mission Sisters, Iron Curtain Church Relief, Freedom From Hunger Campaigns of Australia and New Zealand. US Government donated food. Catholic Medical Mission Board and World Medical Relief provide medical supplies; the Government of Vietnam provides storage and inland freight.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE
260 West 44 St, New York, NY 10036

Address in Vietnam: 2 Su Van Hanh, Cholon District, Saigon
First mission established in 1911
Personnel: 105 missionaries of whom about 20 are involved in vocational training, academic instruction, nursing, and social welfare activities.

Operates a youth center in Saigon where over 500 students are enrolled in English classes taught full-time by 2 missionaries and part-time by 6 missionaries. Maintains a leprosarium 9 miles from Banmethuot where 680 in-patients and 185 out-patients were treated in 1966. Mobile leprosy treatment units regularly visit 5 villages. Personnel also visit periodically, 41 dispensaries and clinics where 5400 out-patients and 380 in-patients have been treated in the past year.


* CHRISTIAN CHILDREN'S FUND
203 East Cary St, Richmond, Va 23204

Address in Vietnam: 10 Tran Quang Dieu, Saigon (mailing address: P.O. Box 1543, Saigon)
Program initiated 1953
Personnel: 6 US (1 nurse, 5 administrative), 30 Vietnamese cottage mothers and other institutional staff, and 30 Vietnamese caseworkers. Additional caseworkers currently in training.
Budget 10/66 - 9/67: $424,000.

CHILD WELFARE: Owns and operates an orphanage for 210 children at Nhatrang. Provides assistance to 3 day-care centers at Eatuor, Pakhit, and Jerai Village (near the Banmethuot leprosarium) caring for 123 children with arrested leprosy or who have parents with leprosy. Contributes to the support of 55 children in the Worldwide Evangelism Home, an orphanage in Danang. A program of Family Helper Care Projects is underway to care for about 5000 children in resettlement areas; over 3000 children have been registered in the program. The assistance includes monetary subsidy, material aid, counseling, family planning, budget planning, and a referral service to care for other problems. Financial assistance for a family is directed to them through a subsidy to the child. Caseworkers operate out of Danang, Nhatrang, Saigon, and Phong Dinh. An in-service training program is operated in Saigon.
All facilities are operated with the cooperation of the Christian and Missionary Alliance and the National Vietnamese Church. USAID commodities are received through the Government of Vietnam. Commodities and some financial support are also provided by Vietnam Christian Service.

**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION**

Boston Post Road, Norwalk, Conn 06852

Address in Vietnam: 96 Le Loi, Quinhon (mailing address: P.O. Box 35, Quinhon)

Program initiated November 1966

Personnel: 4 US, 2 Koreans (community development workers), and 1 Greek.

An additional 10 staff members are anticipated by the end of the year.

Budget 11/66 - 2/68: $275,000 of which AID will provide $225,000.

SOCIAL WELFARE: CIF has developed and is operating a refugee-welfare training program for personnel from the Special Commissariat for Refugees to work in temporary refugee settlements and prepare refugees to return to their villages or to resettle elsewhere, to improve living conditions in refugee camps, strengthen refugee camp administration, and to coordinate the services and resources of outside agencies. In March, the first group of 30 Vietnamese is beginning a two-month training session. An additional 90 Vietnamese will be trained in 3 successive two-month sessions. These four groups will receive both classroom and field instruction in refugee registration, camp administration, sanitation, agricultural skills, nutrition, information programs, etc.

**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: 12 US including 9 teachers.


Budget 1967: $47,000.

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 primary school and day-care center for over 150 children.

Cooperating with Vietnam Christian Service.

**FOSTER PARENTS' PLAN**

352 Park Avenue South, New York, NY 10010

Address in Vietnam: 105 Yen Do, Saigon

Program initiated 1957

Personnel: 1 Canadian (director), 1 US (assistant director), 49 Vietnamese (including 25 social workers).

Expenditures 7/65 - 6/66: $778,000.

Budget 7/66 - 6/67: $1,010,600 of which 89.3% is in direct aid and services.
(Cont. - Foster Parents' Plan)

CHILD WELFARE/SOCIAL WELFARE: Provides welfare assistance including financial aid, food, and regular counseling by trained local social workers. One child is selected as the foster child, but attention is given to the entire family unit. This aid reaches an average of 6000 families (or about 30,000 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, Bannethuot, Bien Hoa and Honai area, Binh Tuy, Biao, Cantho, Dalat, Danang, Dilinh, Don Bosco, Dran, Gia Kiem, Lac Lam, Moc Hoa, MyTho, 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, NY 10016

Address in Vietnam: 213 Dar Lo Chong Hoa, Saigon
Program initiated 1965
Personnel: 2 US, 14 International (8 physicians, 6 nurses), 6 Vietnamese.
Budget 3/67 - 2/68: $690,000 of which approximately $400,000 will be contributed by AID. In addition, over $200,000 worth of donated medical supplies will be shipped.

CHILD WELFARE: Provides material aid and administrative support to 5 orphanages in the Saigon area caring for 2100 children. In cooperation with OXFAM, IRC is providing 2 nurse-social workers engaged in immunizing the children of all orphanages and day nurseries in Saigon, Cholon, Bien Hoa, and Gia Dinh; in lecturing on public health; and in improving the general health conditions of the children institutions. Over 10,000 children have been immunized. Under the supervision of these nurses, 4 semi-skilled workers have been assigned to two other orphanages in Saigon to improve the level of care. IRC is financing the construction of two new day-care centers in Saigon -- one that will be under the supervision of the Vietnamese Women's Association and the other to be administered by the Vietnamese Federation of Labor. In Gia Dinh, IRC financed the addition of a new wing to the Phat Giao Buddhist Day-Care Center and continues to provide it with budgetary support. Established a special program of educational support for the children and material aid to the widows of hamlet chiefs and other officials assassinated by the Viet Cong.
EDUCATION: In Spring 1966, IRC underwrote a training program for 234 teachers to staff classrooms in refugee camps. A handicraft school for handicapped refugees in Darlac Province was financed.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: 8 physicians and 6 nurses are currently on assignment: 6 physicians and 3 nurses are at district dispensaries in the provinces of Quangngai, Bien Hoa, and Longan; a physician and a nurse are at the Quangngai Provincial Hospital; 1 nurse is at the Danang Provincial Hospital; a surgeon is with the Phan Rang Provincial Hospital; and 1 nurse is serving as a consultant to the Government of Vietnam Ministry of Health. Training for 13 female health technicians in the Delta region (including Cauke, Sa Dec, and Vinh Long) is being financed. In Gia Dinh, the salary of a nurse-social worker is provided to the Salve Leprosy Clinic.

SELF-HELP PROJECTS: In 1966, funds were provided for color-fast thread for a Montagnard weaving cooperative in Darlac; for power tools used to produce lumber in the construction of refugee housing; for table-top looms to expand a sea-grass weaving cooperative in Gia Dinh Province; for an agricultural demonstration project in Bien Hoa; and for 3 seed-bank projects in the provinces of Kontum and Pleiku.


INTERNATIONAL VOLUNTARY SERVICES
1555 Connecticut Ave, Washington, DC 20036

Address in Vietnam: 304 Hop Thu, Saigon
Program initiated 1957
Personnel: 120 US, 3 Filipinos, 2 Canadians, 2 Indians, and 2 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 7/66 - 6/67: $1.5 million as provided by contract with AID. This does not include payments by the Government of Vietnam for housing, transportation, and salaries of local personnel.

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

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT: With the cooperation of local Vietnamese 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 local youth organizations in carrying out civic action projects.

EDUCATION: Teachers are assigned to Vietnamese schools where they are concerned primarily with teaching English and conducting workshops in science teaching techniques through the use of mobile science laboratories.


Cooperating with USAID, USIS, and the Asia Foundation. Also receive support from CARE, Catholic Relief Services, and Vietnam Christian Service.

MEDICAL MISSION SISTERS (Society of Catholic Medical Missionaries, Inc.)
8400 Pine Rd, Philadelphia, Pa 19111

Address in Vietnam: Holy Family Hospital, Quinhon
Program initiated 1960
Personnel: 6 US (2 physicians, 2 nurses, 1 x-ray technologist, and 1 administrative); 2 Filipinas (1 pharmacist and 1 administrative assistant); 2 Canadians (nurse-midwives); 2 Indians (nurse midwife and medical technician); 1 Dutch (physician); and 53 Vietnamese (assistant nurses, aides, and other employees).
Expenditures 1966: $24,000.
Budget 1967: $24,000.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: In Quinhon, staffs, equips, and maintains Holy Family Hospital, a general hospital with 40 beds, 10 bassinets, and an out-patient department. In 1966, 3064 in-patients and 23,238 out-patients were treated. In addition, 32,000 innoculations were given. A hospital addition recently constructed will increase the hospital capacity to 75 beds. A school of nursing, in conjunction with the hospital, will be opened later this year. Construction has begun on a residence for foreign nursing personnel.

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.

*+ NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF EVANGELICALS - WORLD RELIEF COMMISSION (NAE-WRC)
33-10 36th Ave, Long Island City, NY 11106

Address in Vietnam: 39 Nguyen, Hue Street, Hue
Program initiated 1961

EDUCATION: Operate the Christian Lay Leadership Training Center, a vocational and agricultural training school and farm located 3 miles from Hue. Instruction is provided in agriculture, animal husbandry, woodworking, blacksmithing, and sewing to refugees in the surrounding area and to resident students.

Program initiated 1965
Personnel: 6 US (1 supervisor, 3 engineers, 2 project coordinators).
Expenditures: Project financed by a cost-reimbursement contract with AID.

Three pilot rural cooperative electrification projects to serve numerous villages and hamlets are being developed by NRECA in the provinces of An Giang, Tuyen Duc, and Duc Tu. When fully operational, the cooperatives should serve approximately 40,000 members (households and industrial loads) and provide electrical service to some 250,000 people. NRECA staff is providing both technical assistance and management assistance during the construction phase and during the early stages of operation of each of the systems.

* PROJECT CONCERN, INC.
1262 Kettner Blvd, P.O. Box 2468, San Diego, Calif 92112

Address in Vietnam: P.O. Box 1148, Saigon
Program initiated 1964
Personnel: 2 US (1 administrator, 1 nurse), 2 British (1 nurse, 1 secretary), 2 Australian (1 nurse, 1 physician), 1 Canadian (lab technician), 4 Taiwanese (including 2 physicians), 2 Cambodians, 43 Vietnamese (supporting staff and medical assistants).
Expenditures 4/66 - 3/67: $72,000. In addition, $27,500 worth of donated medicines, medical supplies, and equipment were shipped.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Operates a 42-bed hospital in DaNgo (near Dalat), where 1270 in-patients and 12,500 out-patients were treated in 1966. In addition, mobile medical teams (physician, nurse, lab technician), periodically visiting the surrounding 19 villages, treated 9800 persons. Village Medical Assistants who had taken either 3-month or 6-month courses at the hospital and had returned to their villages, provided medical assistance to 15,160 persons. A dental clinic and mobile dental service has recently been established.

Cooperating with USAID; Government of Vietnam, Ministry of Health; International Voluntary Services, Asia Foundation, and International Rescue Committee.

* PROJECT HOPE
People-to-People Health Foundation, Inc.
2233 Wisconsin Ave, NW, Washington, DC 20007

Address in Vietnam: 70 Ba Ruyen, Thanh-Quan, Saigon
Program initiated 1961
Personnel: 3 US (1 surgeon and 2 nurses); 6 Vietnamese.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Established and operate in Saigon, the Orthopedic Rehabilitation Clinic. Nearly 2000 persons were treated in 1966. Provide some training to local medical personnel.

CHILD WELFARE/COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT: Through a child, family, and community self-help sponsorship program, SCF is providing counseling as well as financial grants and interest-free loans to help children, families, and organized groups in refugee camps and resettled hamlets to carry out self-help activities. Over 365 families are now being sponsored and are being assisted in carrying out self-help family projects such as raising pigs, chickens, and calves, and establishing small enterprises such as a variety store and barber shop.

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

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST WELFARE SERVICE
6840 Eastern Ave, Washington, DC 20012

EDUCATION: Operate the Vietnam Adventist Training School, a ten-grade mission school in Saigon with an enrollment of 552 students. Three other elementary schools are operated in Vam Nhon (250 students), Rochai (63 students), and Dame (50 students).

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Operate the Saigon Adventist Hospital, a 38-bed facility with 14 bassinets. In 1966, 1500 in-patients and 26,900 out-patients were treated. When security regulations permit, staff conducts clinics in rural areas. A health-education program is conducted both in the hospital and the village clinics. A school of nursing is in operation in connection with the hospital - 13 student nurses are currently in training.

SUMMER INSTITUTE OF LINGUISTICS
219 West Walnut, Santa Ana, Calif 92702

Address in Vietnam: 5 Suong Nguyet Anh, Saigon (mailing address: P.O. Box L-11, Saigon)
Program initiated 1957
Personnel: 26 US, 2 British, and 1 Canadian (administrative, linguistic analysts, translators, and literacy teachers). Vietnamese are employed as supporting staff and language informants.
Expenditures 1966: $123,000.
Budget 1967: $125,000.
RESEARCH/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; and 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; and Wycliffe Bible Translators.

VIETNAM CHRISTIAN SERVICE -- a joint program sponsored by Church World Service (National Council of Churches, 475 Riverside Dr, New York, NY 10027), Lutheran World Relief (315 Park Ave South, New York, NY 10010), and the Mennonite Central Committee (Akron, Pa 17501) to serve refugees and others in the emergency situation in Vietnam. The program is administered by the MCC.

Address in Vietnam: 83 Cong Ly, Saigon
Joint program initiated 1966 (CWS has been in Vietnam since 1954 -- no program 1958 - 1964; MCC relief programs were initiated in 1954).
Personnel: 53 US, 8 Canadians, and 1 Swiss (12 administrative, 6 physicians, 14 nurses, 3 medical assistants, 4 social workers, 4 home economists, 2 child-welfare workers, 8 community development workers, 4 agriculturalists, 3 agricultural assistants, 1 mechanic, 1 architect). 29 Vietnamese (social workers, nurses, interpreters, and office personnel).
Expenditures 12/65 - 11/66: $366,400. Nearly $1 million worth of donated clothing, food, medicines, and medical supplies were shipped.

CHILD WELFARE: In Saigon, operate a day-care center for 20 children. A child-sponsorship family-assistance program is being developed in conjunction with the day-care center. A child welfare worker is developing health and nutrition services at the Hoi Duc Anh Orphanage. Over 32,000 students in 7 schools in Saigon are receiving bread allotments daily; over 900 children in two Quangngai refugee camps receive milk and bread daily.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT: Two social workers, a public health nurse, and a staff of 7 Vietnamese have begun a community development program in Saigon that includes sewing and hygiene classes for mothers as well as the children's day-care center (see above). The program will also include various youth activities. In Di Linh, a 4-man community development team is working on a program to improve agricultural methods, public health and sanitation, and self-help projects. An agriculturalist and home economist are holding classes in gardening, animal husbandry, and home economics at the Montagnard Training Center in Pleiku sponsored by the Government of Vietnam. A team working in several refugee camps around Quangngai is providing instruction in public health, hygiene, and child care; developing recreation programs; and encouraging self-help projects. The first four members of a 5-man team have recently arrived in Tam Ky (province below Danang). A program of public health, vocational training, and self-help
projects is being developed. The NAE-World Relief Commission project at Hue has been provided with 7 staff members including 2 agriculturalists, an agricultural assistant, a mechanic, a vocational training instructor, a home economist, and a bookkeeper.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: In Nhatrang, operate a 33-bed clinic-hospital in cooperation with the Evangelical Church of Vietnam. About 35,000 patients were treated in 1966. In addition, a 30-bed tuberculosis unit has been completed recently. Last September, a clinic with a staff of 1 physician and 2 nurses was opened in Pleiku and is treating an average of 75 patients a day. A 20-bed hospital is expected to open later in the year. In Nhabe (near Saigon) a physician and a nurse have been assigned to a district clinic.

WORLD REHABILITATION FUND, INC.
400 East 34 St, New York, NY 10016

Address in Vietnam: USAID/PHD, A.P.O., San Francisco, Calif 96243
Program initiated 1965
Personnel: 5 US (1 administrator, 1 consultant for services to blind, 1 consultant in prosthetics and orthotics, 1 physician, 1 psychiatrist); 8 full-time Vietnamese and 12 part-time.
Expenditures 1/66 - 12/66: $288,000.
Budget 1/67 - 12/67: $390,000 - financed by AID.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Assisting the National Rehabilitation Institute, a Vietnamese government facility in Saigon, to improve and expand its services for disabled Vietnamese veterans and civilians. In 1966 provided a four-month training program in prosthetics and orthotics to 40 trainees who are now producing about 400 artificial limbs and braces per month. Refresher training in prosthetics and orthotics will be provided for four months in 1967. Assisting in the development of a paraplegic unit for veterans. Initiating a pilot program of rehabilitation services for the blind. Assisting in the establishment of four satellite centers, in the Military Hospital in Saigon, at the Cantho Provincial Hospital, in Danang, and at a fourth site to be selected. Facilities at Cantho and Danang are now being renovated and should be occupied in the late spring. Personnel will be provided for these centers by the National Rehabilitation Institute in Saigon.

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

* WORLD VISION RELIEF ORGANIZATION, INC.
919 West Huntington Dr, Monrovia, Calif 91016

Address in Vietnam: 2 Bis Thong Nut, Saigon
Program initiated 1965
Personnel: 2 US and 1 Korean (administrative); 2 Vietnamese (supporting staff).
Expenditures 10/66 - 9/66: $136,000. $389,000 worth of medical supplies and equipment were shipped, primarily to Vietnamese military hospitals.
Budget 10/66 - 9/67: $475,000.
The following organizations are providing either financial support; supplies, such as medicines, food supplements, clothing, and equipment; or they arrange for the training of overseas personnel in the US. They neither maintain US personnel in South Vietnam, nor do they directly administer a program there.

**AMDOC, INC, 27 East Canon Perdido St, Santa Barbara, Calif 93101**
Cooperating with AID and the American Medical Association in supplying physicians for the AMA Volunteer Physicians for Vietnam program. Within the past year, six physicians participated in this program through AMDoc.

**AMERICAN FOUNDATION FOR OVERSEAS BLIND, 22 West 17 St, New York, NY 10011**
In October 1966, shipped about $1200 worth of Braille paper and zinc plates to the Rehabilitation Center for the Blind, in Saigon, operated by the Vietnamese Friends of the Blind. Provide periodic assistance to 2 schools for blind children: an elementary school and a vocational school for boys.

**AMERICAN WOMEN’S HOSPITALS SERVICE, 50 West 50 St, New York, NY 10020**
Providing a monthly subsidy of $150 to support a babies clinic in Saigon operated by the Vietnamese Medical Women's Association. In 1966, $550 was sent.

**CATHOLIC MEDICAL MISSION BOARD, 10 West 17 St, New York, NY 10011**
Regularly schedule one major shipment a year of medical supplies, largely donated, including medicines, nutritional supplements, instruments, and equipment for distribution to hospitals, dispensaries, and clinics. Smaller special shipments are made periodically. In January 1967, a shipment valued at $106,700 was made.

**CHINA MEDICAL BOARD OF NEW YORK, 420 Lexington Ave, New York, NY 10017**
Provide periodic grants to the University of Saigon for assistance to the medical library and for teaching and research equipment. $5300 for teaching equipment and $7600 (of an original $10,000 grant) for the library remains to be disbursed in 1967.

**CHRISTIAN REFORMED WORLD RELIEF COMMITTEE, 733 Alger St, NE, Grand Rapids, Mich 49507**
On request, provide cartons, labels, and a list of suggested items for small packages to be sent to Vietnam for distribution by missionaries. Over 15,000 lbs of clothing were provided to NAB-World Relief Commission for shipment to Vietnam.

**COUNCIL OF INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS FOR YOUTH LEADERS AND SOCIAL WORKERS, 815 Superior Ave, NE, Cleveland, Ohio 44114 (formerly known as Cleveland International Program for Youth Leaders and Social Workers, Inc.)**
Currently sponsoring 5 Vietnamese students for 4 months of social-work training in the US.

**DIRECT RELIEF FOUNDATION, 27 East Canon Perdido St, Santa Barbara, Calif 93101**
In 1966, shipped 122,500 lbs of donated drugs, medical supplies, food supplements, etc., valued at over $2.2 million.
EDUCATION: Built and provide a monthly subsidy to the Tribal Trade School in Dalat specializing in agricultural and vocational training. Providing 20 college scholarships.

CHILD WELFARE: Contributing to the support of 180 children at the Phong Dien Christian School and 26 children at the Cantho School in Cantho, 159 children at the Gospel Light School in Dong Phu, 65 children in the Thang Binh Child-Care Center, 120 children and 30 families at a Quangnam refugee center, 57 children in the Son Ha Hrey orphanage in Son Ha, 144 children in the Bethlehem Orphanage at Ca Mau, and 10 children in the Home of Blessing Orphanage in Saigon. Preparing to sponsor an additional 200 children who will be placed in the MacMillan Memorial Orphanage in Ben Cat, now under construction. Construction has begun on the Children's Village in Bien Hoa where a school, clinic, and 50 to 60 homes will be erected, each accommodating several children and an adult.

SOCIAL WELFARE: Contributes to the support of 15 widows at the Zarepath Widows Home, in Thang Binh Province.

MEDICAL AID: Contributes crutches, wheelchairs, and other medical supplies as well as the salaries of 7 hospital workers to military hospitals in Nhatrang, Hue, Danang, Quangnam, and Saigon.

WORLDWIDE EVANGELIZATION CRUSADE
P.O. Box A, 709 Pennsylvania Ave, Fort Washington, Pa 19034

Address in Vietnam: P.O. Box 101, Danang
Program initiated 1958
Personnel: 5 US, 8 International, 30 Vietnamese.
Expenditures 1965: $20,400; 1966: $36,000.

CHILD WELFARE: Operates 2 orphanages: the WEC Children's Home in Danang, accommodating 100 children; and the Son Ha Hrey Orphanage in Ha Bac for 60 children. Land has been acquired for an additional orphanage in Kontum.

EDUCATION: Operate a primary school in Kontum for over 100 children. Another primary school will be erected soon on Ly Son Island.

MEDICINE & PUBLIC HEALTH: Operate the Happy Haven Leprosarium in Danang where over 250 in-patients and 50 out-patients in the immediate area were treated in 1966. Owing to present circumstances, the leprosarium can be visited only by helicopter periodically.

THOMAS A. DOOLEY FOUNDATION, INC, 442 Post St, San Francisco, Calif 94102
Provides funds, equipment, and supplies to the two orphanages of An Lac in the Saigon area, caring for over 600 children. Cooperate with Catholic Relief Services in shipment and distribution.

INTERCHURCH MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, 475 Riverside Drive, New York, NY 10027
Since January 1966, over $28,000 worth of donated medical supplies have been shipped through the Mennonite Central Committee.

INTERNATIONAL CATHOLIC AUXILIARIES, 1735 Asbury Ave, Evanston, Ill 60204
In Evanston, train international personnel for projects of the international organization. No US personnel currently in Vietnam. ICA personnel administer a student center, and a social work center in Saigon.

* INTERNATIONAL EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, INC, 211 East 87 St, New York, NY 10028
Recently made a shipment of educational supplies to the National Catholic Educational Association in Vietnam. Currently planning a program of assistance to the Medical Mission Sisters Hospital in Quinhon.

* INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL SERVICE-AMERICAN BRANCH, 345 East 46 St, New York, NY 10017
Has budgeted $35,000 for 1967 to be sent to ISS headquarters in Geneva for a program in Vietnam. In January 1967, ISS-Geneva became administratively responsible for a program to provide intra-country casework and counseling. At present, services and counseling are being provided primarily for intra-country adoptions.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM, INC, P.O. Box 50, Wheaton, Ill 60180
Make periodic shipments of donated drugs and medical supplies. From 6/65 to 6/66, 3600 lbs valued at $32,500 were shipped. Since 6/66, 1800 lbs valued at $500 were shipped.

MEDICINES FOR MISSIONS, 19303 Fremont Ave, North, Seattle, Wash 98133
Upon receipt of specific requests, donated medical supplies are shipped to overseas missionary hospitals, clinics, orphanages, etc. Shipping charges are paid by the recipient, mission board, or interested parties. In 1966, $14,000 worth of medical supplies were shipped.

PROJECT POLIO VIETNAM, INC, 240 Prospect St, Ridgewood, NJ 07450
A new program initiated in May 1966 to make periodic shipments of donated and purchased vaccine to immunize children against polio, diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus, and typhoid. By January 1967, over $5000 worth of vaccine (25,000 doses) was shipped. Supplies to immunize up to 150,000 children will be shipped in the near future. Cooperating with Catholic Relief Services and Vietnam Christian Service.

SALESIANS OF ST. JOHN BOSCO, 148 Main St, New Rochelle, NY 10801
US Salesians provide the main financial support to 3 projects that are administered and staffed by international personnel. Additional support is provided by CRS and locally. Currently there are no US personnel. In Go Vap, they operate an orphanage including a trade school, for over 600 boys; in Thu Doc, a boarding school offering an academic high-school program to 175 boys; and a recently established vocational teacher training institute at Tram Hanh in which 25 students are currently enrolled. MISERDO has equipped a machine shop at the school.
The US Salvation Army contributes to Salvation Army's International Headquarters in London, in support of programs in Vietnam. Salvation Army units from Korea and Australia are currently serving. Plans are underway for an extension of the Salvation Army program from the US. Several teams to work with refugees in the areas of nursing and health education, child care and social welfare, and vocational training are projected.

VIETNAM REFUGEE AND INFORMATION SERVICES, P.O. Box 2002, Dayton, Ohio 45329
Ships clothing, medicines, and school supplies to volunteer representatives at orphanages, hospitals, and refugee centers. In 1966, shipped over 3000 lbs. Provide mailing and packaging instructions and APO addresses for parcels to Vietnam.

VOLUNTEERS FOR INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, College Campus, Schenectady, NY 12308
Provides technical advice and information to community development, agricultural, and other projects. In 1966, 21 requests for assistance in solving problems were received from voluntary agencies, missions, and individuals. The majority of these requests were in the areas of community development, agriculture, and small industry.

WORLD MEDICAL RELIEF, 11745 Twelfth St, Detroit, Mich 48206
In 1966, over 106,649 lbs of donated drugs, vaccines, and medical equipment, valued at $6.1 million were shipped to hospitals, orphanages, and US Medical Civic Action Teams providing medical aid to Vietnamese civilians.

WORLD UNIVERSITY SERVICE, 20 West 40 St, New York, NY 10018
WUS-US assisted in developing and initially administered various facilities for students in Saigon and Hue including a reading room, library, book bank and book store, mimeographing centers, and clinic and dispensary. These activities are now administered by the Vietnamese division of WUS. The US division continues to contribute to International WUS in support of this program. In 1966, International WUS allocated $11,900 and in addition, WUS-US shipped over $8000 worth of laboratory glassware and educational supplies. The 1967 budget of $9650 will provide for a student cafeteria at the Saigon student center, medical supplies for the clinic, additions to the book bank, scholarships, and financial aid to a student center being developed at Tay Ninh; and financial support for a self-help project to improve the water supply system at a student hostel in Chulan.