



INTERGOVERNMENTAL INSTITUTION FOR THE USE OF MICRO-ALGAE SPIRULINA AGAINST MALNUTRITION
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“There are people in the world so hungry that God cannot appear to them except in the form of bread”

"Hay personas en el mundo tan hambrientas que Días no puede a parecerles a ellos, salvo en la forma de pan"

“Gandi una volta disse: ci sono persone nel mondo cosi' affamate che Dio puo' apparire a loro solo in forma di pane “

Il y a des gens dans le monde qui sont si affamés que Dieu ne peut leur apparaître que sous la forme d'un pain."

"هناك كثير من البشر يتضورون جوعا في العالم، حتى إن رحمة الله لا يمكن أن تظهر لهم إلا في شكل خبز"

Mahatma Gandhi

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IIMSAM`S MEXICO REGIONAL OFFICE ONGOING OUTREACH MEDICAL BRIGADE PROGRAMME IN PARTNERSHIP WITH U.S.A. VOLUNTEER MEDICAL DOCTORS BRINGS RELIEF & MUCH NEEDED MEDICAL EXPERTISE SERVICES TO DEPRIVED POPULATIONS THROUGHOUT MEXICO.



IIMSAM SPIRULINA LIFESAVING SUPPLIES FOR DISTRIBUTION

IIMSAM Intergovernmental Treaty Organization (I.T.O.) Headquarters/New York., N.Y. (30-31 January 2012:

Realising its commitments to the peoples of the world especially the ones in emergency situations has been playing a proactive role to provide humanitarian relief. IIMSAM's Mexico Regional Office Director & Special Adviser of the S.G. (C.P.A.) **Ms. Geraldine de la Serna** headed the Mexican IIMSAM Team composed of: the Internationally renowned singer **Emmanuel**, our Goodwill Ambassador; **Dr. Salomon Shamosh Halabe**, IIMSAM Spirulina Expert, **Dr. Rosalba Muñoz**, Protocol, **Mr. Sergio Peregrina** CPA and our Nutritionist **Montserrat de Alba** conducted the latest Medical-Brigade services. IIMSAM continues its Humanitarian Mission in Mexico where over **2 million + peoples** have already and are benefitting from the IIMSAM Spirulina distribution programme worldwide and in particularly in Chiapas, Mexico in

partnership with the local authorities of the state of Chiapas. **IIMSAM's Outreach Programme through its Medical ongoing Brigades** are serving thousands since its inception last year.

IIMSAM's Medical Brigade was carried out in a marginalized community of the San Juan Bautista sub-division of the city of León, Guanajuato, on January the 16th through the 20th of 2012. The Medical Brigades are Medical trained personnel who volunteer their time and their goodwill to IIMSAM in order to carry out this lifesaving goodwill actions that are serving thousands who cannot afford nor have medical services in these marginalized impoverished communities throughout Mexico. It is composed of: Specialized American Doctors in ophthalmology from Jefferson City, Missouri, *Dr. Monte Shinkle and his technician wife Betty Shinkle, Dr. Larry Merry and technician Tom Duffy*, supported by the Concord Baptist Church of America. Pastors *Francisco Espinoza of Iglesia* Bautista Estrella de Belén and *Abraham Morales* of Iglesia Bautista Camino de Vida headed both brigades; *Diego Gracia and Comandante (Security) Jose Luis Centeno* were the coordinators. **In addition IIMSAM distributed Spirulina fortified food items to help fight the anemic and malnutrition that this community suffers as well as giving nutritional guidance and assistance. Approximately 1,000 benefitted on this occasion, eyeglasses were given out, and medical attention was provided as required.**



The Secretary General of IIMSAM H.E. Remigio Maradona commented: *"I am very proud of our IIMSAM Team in Mexico for a fantastic deed well done on this imperative **Outreach Medical Brigade Programme** in the service of the Mexican peoples and in particularly those in need in a marginalized community of the San Juan Bautista, city of León, Guanajuato. Mexico....This Outreach Medical Brigade Programme composed of U.S. Medical Doctors has serviced thousands since its inception in 2011...Bringing much needed medical expertise and services to provincial marginilised communities' sites throughout Mexico... I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to the **U.S. Medical Team Volunteer-Facilitators** along with my **colleagues and supporters** of the **IIMSAM Mandate** for without their caring and commitment it would have not been possible...I commend them for a job well done".*

IIMSAM AT A GLANCE:

Accredited as an **Inter-governmental Observer** to the United Nations Economic and Social Council (**Under ECOSOC Resolution 212/2003 5th of March 2003**). IIMSAM is an **Autonomous Inter-Governmental Treaty Organisation** mandated by an International Convention Agreement to disseminate Spirulina as an instrument in fighting severe malnutrition worldwide. IIMSAM is registered under the **United Nations Treaty Series No. 37542-37543, dated 12th June 2001; in accordance with the Article 102 of the Charter of the United Nations.**

THE EVER GROWING IIMSAM FAMILY ACROSS THE WORLD IIMSAM TEAMS/SECRETARIATS AND OUR FAMILY OF MEMBER STATES:

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2-MILLION + BENEFICIARIES HAVE BEEN SERVED UNDER THE IIMSAM SPIRULINA DISTRIBUTION PROGRAMMES ACROSS THE WORLD IN THE FIGHT AGAINST ACUTE MALNUTRITION AND HUNGER: IIMSAM recognizes that hunger and malnutrition are a major impediment to sustainable development, and reaffirming that reducing hunger is a **primary target** of the **United Nations Millennium Development Goals #1.**

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