# THE SPONSORING ASSOCIATION FOR POOR PATIENTS (SAPP) HO CHI MINH CITY



# Helping poor Patients and unlucky children is our joy and happiness

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#### President Tran Thanh Long, Ph.D

## Open Letter |

#### The National President Ho Chi Minh has ever said:

" It should come from the deep love of people to contribute the protection health for people and do all the things that you can do to reduce their miseries"

#### Dear Sirs and Madams!

To each person, each family, each nation, health is a valuable property. Health of people depends on many factors such as: family, society, environment and so on ... Serious disease, illness of any person in a family is always affected with sorrow, losses, hunger in all households.

In the past 16 years, the humanitarians, the patriotism of organizations, individuals, units and donors, doctors, nurses and medical workers have helped SAPP sharing difficulties, unfortunes of poor people, poor patients in and out of the country. Following the work of the past President Nguyen Vinh Nghiep, the leader and members of Executive Board of SAPP have been focusing to help poor patients through the charity programs below:

- Saving poor children of congenital heart disease
- Recover eye sight to poor blind people and congenital blind children
- \* Health care for poor women
- Purchasing Health insurance card for the poor
- Wheelchairs for disabled people and paralyzed children
- Sound and voice to hearing impaired children
- Scholarship for good poor disabled pupils and students
- Charity meals for poor patients and their relatives taking care of them
- For the children's smile
- And other humane programs for poor people.

In the past 16 years, hundred thousands of poor patients have been supported by your good heart with your great help. We are really happy working with you to share the difficulties, the misery of poor patients, poor people. What we - SAPP - have done for indigent people thanks to your enthusiasm of supporting us. We sincerely extend our gratitude to your high humanity. Actually, there are still many extremely poor people who need your help, we really expect your go-together with us on the spirit "Love people as love yourself" so that SAPP - HCMC is always the warm point for poor patients.

Once again, thank you so much - our humanitarians - supporting for poor patients and for us as well.



Former Secretary General Nguyen Van Linh donated a valuable painting that auctioned 1,06 billion dong for helping poor patients.



Prime Minister Phan Van Khai visited SAPP's office on 21 Nov. 1998

## Saving poor children of congenital heart disease

More than 3,000 children with congenital heart disease have been operated and returned to normal life in 35 provinces and cities



If the children of congenital heart disease have not been operated, they could not live. SAPP has supported the expenses of heart operation for thousands of children.



# Recover eye sight to poor blind people and congenital blind children

356,450 patients of cataract eye diseases have been operated in 63 provinces and cities

Over 30.000 congenital blind children and hundred thousands of blind aging people of 356,450 people with cataract eye disease have been helped by SAPP with eye - surgeries free of charge.

## Health care for women and checking women's cancer

Since the fourth quarter of 2009, SAPP has been implementing to examine 9,754 women and checking 5,203 cases of cancer disease and 101 cases have been operated.



This program is for finding out and early treatment for women of cancer diseases especially breast and uterus cancers.

## Purchasing Health insurance card for the poor

134.000 health insurance cards have been provided for poor people mostly in Ho Chi Minh City



Thanks to health insurance cards, many poor people have been treated their diseases free of charge.

# Wheelchairs for disabled people and paralyzed children

The program has touched humanitarians' love to children and handicapped people, so that more and more donors in and out of the country have supported them. Therefore, number of wheelchairs has increased every year.

From the beginning of the program, just a hundred wheelchairs until now thousands of wheelchairs.





SAPP has provided 35.320 wheelchairs, tricycle wheelchairs to disabled people in 60 provinces and cities.

## Sound and voice to hearing impaired children

Over 16,500 hearing aids have been provided for the children of hearing loss in the Central, the North, the South and Ho Chi Minh City





Thanks to hearing aids, the children can hear and speak to integrate into the society

# Scholarship for disabled pupils and students

Since the school year 2001 until now, 10,349 scholarship awards have been granted for poor, disabled pupils and students, especially the ethnic pupils in highlands





Several poor disabled pupils have got scholarships from SAPP, so that they can continue going to school.

## Charity meals for poor patients and their relatives taking care of them

9,500,000 meals have been distributed free of charge to poor patients in the hospitals in HCMC.



The branches of SAPP such as: Bao Hoa, Nhon Hoa, Tu Tam, Phuoc Thien ... have provided those charity meals for poor patients, helping them reduce the burden in life.



### For the children's smile

36.844 children in provinces and cities have got harelips and cleft palates surgeries.



Bringing again the innocent and natural smile to children



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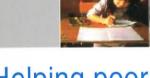
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Sharing sorrow doubling happiness!

Please join us right away this time

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