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Annual Report 2024



Stichting Gentle Care Foundation

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Preface

The years 2023 and 2024 were all about raising funds and creating brand awareness. And how lucky we were. The funds were kind to us and gave generously to our NEMO project. This means that we were able to save the desired amount for our transport van on the last day of 2023. In March 2024, Yayasan Gentle Care Indonesia purchased the van with inventory and the necessary permits and insurance. The transport van has since been fully deployed to transport patients. A great success.

In addition, the project, such as a shelter for patients, so that they do not have to spend the night in a parking lot at the hospital, has been put forward. Our Medical Guesthouse offers space for 2 families.

This space became available and could be used by Yayasan Gentle Care Indonesia. We work on our brand awareness by regularly attending Rumah Kita markets. This is the Indian and Moluccan care home in Wageningen where I worked. It is precisely here that we meet people who really appeal to the work of our foundation. The large Pasar Malams are too big for us. We didn't get the right attention there.

All in all, 2023 and 2024 have been very prosperous for the foundation. We therefore look forward with great positivity to 2025, in which we want to work on 2 projects. We want to expand the Medical Guesthouse for patients, office space and storage for medical goods. And we want to start a pilot with training to improve medical knowledge. We offer this training to the healthcare staff of the posyandu. Low-educated young ladies work here and have the first contact with patients in the desa. The newly acquired knowledge can be used for screening and prevention. This training program is for 50 people. We want to start with 10 people.

The chairman

Charles Kreleger

Looking back at 2024

A very nice year!



Looking back at 2024



March 2024

Purchase NEMO bus



April 2024

First patient transported to hospital



May 2024

Start receiving patients in Medical Guest House Mataram



Working visit July 2024

On the road with NEMO

Looking back at 2024



August 2024

NEMO project wins a prize



October 2024

Students arrive in Lombok for a minor internship



September 2024

Nice donation from Rumah Kita & Protestant Church Wageningen



September 2024

Day of the elderly organized



Start NEMO-project

We purchased our NEMO patient transport bus in March 2024. That was a real milestone for us as a foundation!

After we arranged the permits and insurance, NEMO immediately hit the road.

It did not take long before the first patients presented themselves. To achieve this, we work together with motivated social workers who know the various villages and families in need well.

NEMO has transported many patients over the past 9 months and carried out glasses projects and screenings in various corners of Lombok Timur and Lombok Tengah.

We are extremely grateful to all donors, funds and Wilde Ganzen for their contribution!!!



Gentle Care Medical Guest House Mataram

While transporting our patients, we learned that our patients, when they have to be in the hospital for several consecutive days of therapy, spend the night in the parking lot.

We saw this with our own eyes during our working visit in July 2024. Entire families spend the night in the parking lot. This is obviously not desirable for our patients, who already have fragile health.

That is why we opened a small medical guest house in April 2024. We have renamed this small house the Gentle Care Medical Guest House.

2 families can spend the night here, cook in the small kitchen and take a refreshing shower. Yayasan Gentle Care Indonesia has equipped the Guest House with AC. In addition, the Yayasan ensures that there is a large bag of rice and some vegetables so that the patients and their companions can prepare a simple meal.

The hospital has asked our Foundation if we are willing to accommodate several patients. They see great possibilities. Patients from the island of Sumbawa can also be scheduled for necessary operations and therapies.

To meet the high demand, the Gentle Care Foundation, together with Yayasan Gentle Care Indonesia, plans to build an extension in 2025.

From April to September 2024, a collection was held for this purpose in Rumah Kita, a care home for Indian and Moluccan elderly people in Wageningen, together with the Protestant Church Community Wageningen. And it is with great gratitude and pride that we can announce that we have received a wonderful amount!



Glasses project

A great collaboration with Pearle Wageningen

This way, old, used glasses are given a second life in Indonesia.

People who have problems with their vision and cannot go to the ophthalmologist and cannot afford glasses, are screened by an ophthalmologist.

They can then fit themselves glasses that meet their prescription.

If they like the mechanic and can read the texts from a book well again, they can take the glasses home. We have already been able to help many elderly people get glasses.

Response from one of the elderly: "I can read again. I love doing that! But it's been so long since I was able to do this."





Prize for Yayasan Gentle Care Indonesia & Rumah Senja

Romy Hidayat (CEO Yayasan Gentle Care Indonesia) received an award from the Ministry of Health in Jakarta in August 2024 for the most innovative project on improving medical care on the island of Lombok.

The project for which Romy received the prize includes project NEMO, screening program for the elderly and rumah senja.

Rumah senja is a project of our field partner in Lombok Timur (east Lombok). They are committed to elderly care. They do this within the concept of a caring neighborhood community. The active involvement of citizens in shaping their own healthcare environment and health plays an important role in this.

We are so very proud!





Internship

In October 2024, we welcomed 3 students from the Netherlands to Lombok for the first time for a minor 'international health studies'.

In collaboration with the Universitas Nahdlatul Ulama Nusa Tenggara Barat, we have put together a program for the students.

Our goal is to give students an unforgettable experience, provide insight into the healthcare sector and healthcare structures in Indonesia and connect students with each other.



Financial Annual Report 2024

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Explanation of annual figures 2024

We have been collaborating with Wilde Ganzen for the NEMO project since February 2023. We delivered the final financial report for this project in May 2024.

We used the second part of the year 2024 to raise donations and funds for 2 new projects: NEMO office and Posyandu employee training. We will carry out both projects in the first and second quarters of 2025.

Collections were made for the NEMO office project from April 2024 to September 2024. This amount is reserved.

The contribution from Stichting alle beetjes and the donations are reserved for the Poyandu employee training project, costs for year 2 NEMO and costs for the purchase of medical devices for project NEMO.

The intended policy for the coming year is aimed at raising funds, gifts and donations and the local implementation of the foundation's activities in Indonesia.

This annual financial plan contains the figures for the year 2024.

The financial year ended with a balance of **€13,921.08**

Theo Kapinga

Penningmeester Stichting Gentle Care Foundation

December 2024

Received	
Donations up to € 500,-	€ 1.800,54
Income from fundraising	€ 7.617,51
Bank Account Balance 31-5-2024	€ 5.129,61
Total received	€ 14.547,66
Expenses	
Purchase and shipping of medical devices	€ 457,12
Bank account costs/promotional material	€ 169,46
Balance	€ 13.921,08*

*Of which € 2,168 is reserved for costs of mandatory purchase of a second Rabobank banking product, shipping 2nd hand glasses for project glasses and unforeseen costs. This after deducting the necessary costs for project NEMO year 2, expansion of MGH and training of employees posyandu (see policy plan)

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Income Statement Gentle Care Foundation 2024

<i>Income</i>	<i>2024</i>
Protestantse gemeente Wageningen	€ 3.617,51
St. Alle beetjes	€ 4.000
Donations up to € 500	€ 1.800,54
Total Income	€ 9.418,05
Balance Bank Account 31-5-2024	€ 5.129,61
Total	€ 14.547,66
<i>Expenses</i>	
Purchase and shipping of medical devices	€ 457,12
Costs Rabobank	€ 128,59
Costs Promotional material	€ 40,87
Total Expenses	€ 626,58
Total balance 31-12-2024	€ 13.921,08

I've learned that people will forget what you said. People will forget what you did. But people will never forget how you made them feel.

Maya Angelou



Preview to 2025

New plans!



Preview to 2025



January 2025

Continue patient transport
& continue the glasses
project



February 2025

Start expanding Medical
Guest House Mataram



April 2025

Start training employees
Posyandu



Working visit July 2025

On the road with NEMO

Extension Medical Guest House

Gentle Care Medical Guest House

- *To prevent our patients from having to spend the night in the hospital parking lot, we have opened the Gentle Care Medical Guest House.*
- *Patients and their families can temporarily stay overnight in our Gentle Care Medical Guest House.*
- *Our Medical Guest House is equipped with an AC, a kitchen, bathroom and comfortable bedroom.*
- *Patients meet in our medical guest house.*



Extension

- *From April to September 2024, collections took place at Rumah Kita Nursing Home in collaboration with the Protestant Municipality of Wageningen. The proceeds from this collection will be used to provide our Gentle Care Medical Guest House with an extension.*
- *The plans and construction drawings have already been implemented. Yayasan Gentle Care Indonesia has hired a contractor. Construction is scheduled to start in early February 2025.*
- *With this extension we can accommodate an additional family overnight.*
- *In addition, the extension is used for storage of materials required for our NEMO project.*
- *The Gentle Care Medical Guest House is also used as the official address of Yayasan Gentle Care Indonesia. This has the added advantage that the Yayasan can then apply for subsidies from the government for the foundation's projects.*

Training employees Posyandu

Posyandu

- *The posyandu is the first medical post where people can be screened.*
- *The posyandu serves a very large number of people.*
- *The posyandu employees assess the patients and determine who should be referred to the puskesmas or the hospital.*



Employees

- *Young ladies from the village who have no (medical) training*
- *Are under the responsibility of the village head.*



Training

- *To ensure that the posyandu employees screen thoroughly, know what to look for and how to best record their observations, we want to provide them with training.*
- *In 25 modules we ensure that employees acquire knowledge and skills that contribute to more targeted screening. This allows more preventive and proactive work to be done to improve health and access to healthcare.*



Summary

*It is in our hands to create
a better world for all who live in it*

Nelson Mandela

As you have read, 2024 was the start of a new phase for our Foundation. Our project NEMO has started. We have been able to start with the Gentle Care Medical Guest House. And can welcome students.

We entered the year 2024 with a strong foundation and clear goals. In the coming (six) year we will continue to focus on raising funds and donations and creating brand awareness.

In addition, we hope that we can start building the extension of our Gentle Care Medical Guesthouse and the training for the Posjyandu employees in early 2025.

We thank everyone who cares about our foundation and has already contributed to our projects! And hope that many more donations will follow.



Thank you!

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