

TRANSFORMING CARE IN MOZAMBIQUE

EMERGENCY MEDICINE

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ABOUT

Currently there is no emergency medical system in Mozambique. Precious seconds, minutes, and hours are lost during emergencies, because no immediate medical care is available.

When a patient has an emergency, it is almost always up to them to decide where to seek treatment and to find transportation. As a result, the vast majority of patients die before they can even reach a medical facility for treatment.

PLEDGE Health is teaming up with partners at the Ministry of Health, local health care leaders at district and central hospitals, and with academic leaders to bring a solution to this challenge.

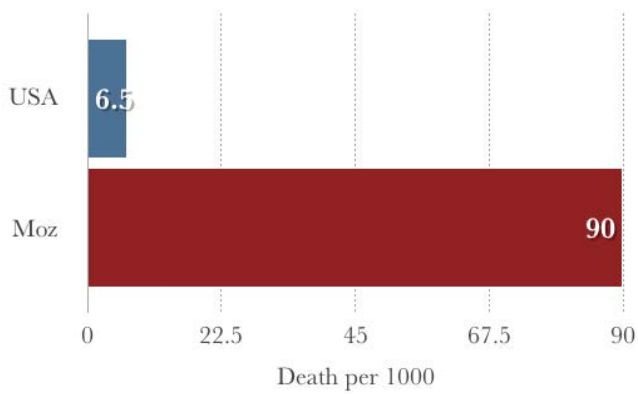
Together, we are training the first ever Mozambican specialists in emergency medicine, working with hospitals to improve patient flow and secure safe and effective patient transfers and to structure a pre-hospital system to get patients to care before it is too late!



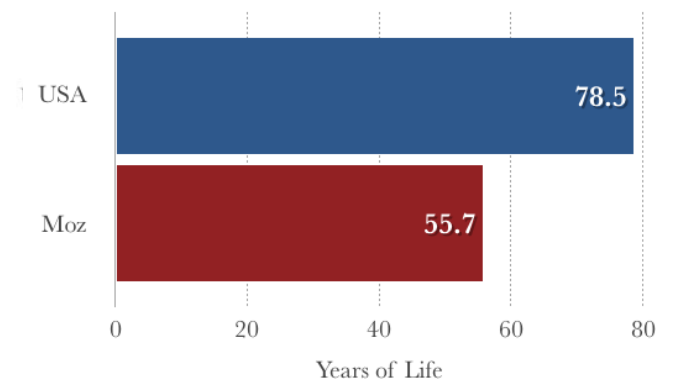
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WHERE WE'RE AT TODAY

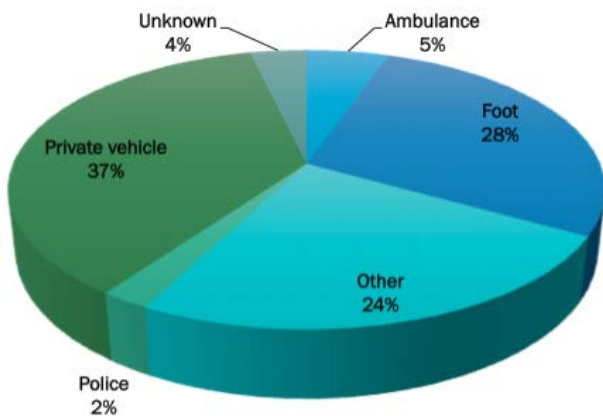
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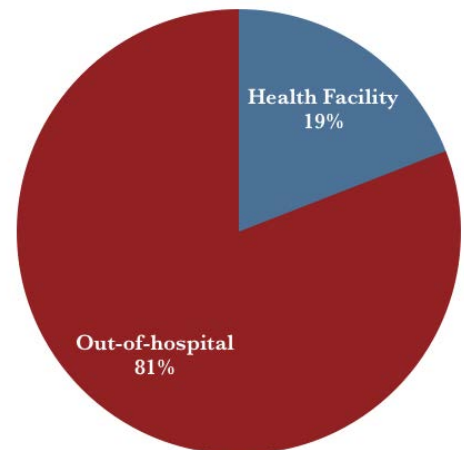
Life Expectancy at Birth



Mode of Arrival at Hospital



Location of Death



MEET THE TEAM

PEOPLE BEHIND THE COLLABORATION



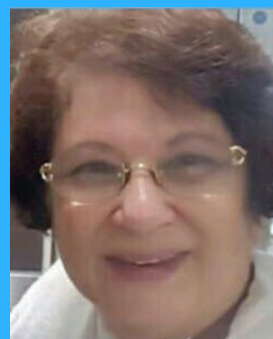
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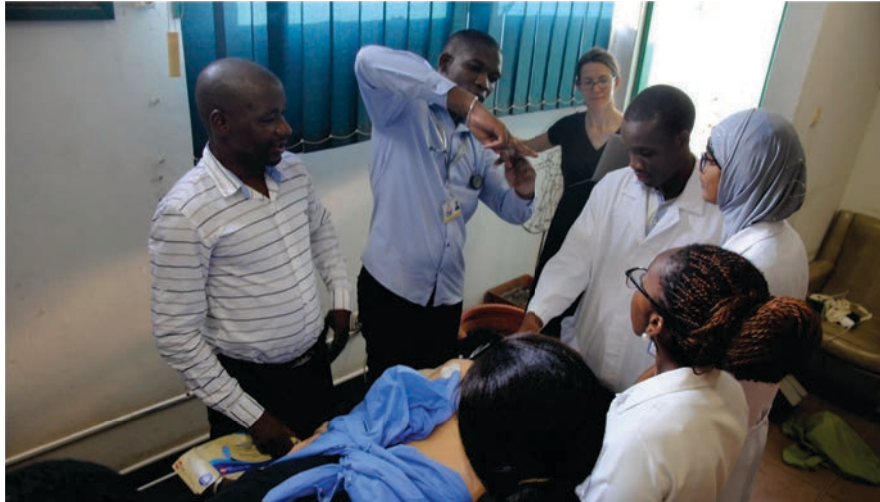
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In addition to the team leaders, we have garnered an incredible group of supporters including volunteer expert faculty, nurses, residents and students from Universities across the Globe. This international group supports the committed efforts of the Ministry of Health, hospitals and universities which have funded the burgeoning emergency medical specialists and system.



WHERE WE'RE GOING

We are working with our colleagues to develop processes and improve systems in order to provide emergency care where it has not been provided before.

June, 2017: 6 doctors became the first ever emergency medicine specialist trainees in Mozambique

January 2018: The Ministry of Health sponsored these six residents to train for 6 months in Tanzania at an established training program

July 2018: PLeDGE Health commits to an active role in supporting prehospital care development

September 2018: PLeDGE Health is partnering with the Ministry of Health to host the first ever Scientific conference on emergency and critical care

February 2019: PLeDGE Health partners with the Ministry of Health and Mavalane General Hospital to trial hosting the residency program with volunteer faculty and senior residents from established programs

WHAT WE NEED

JOIN US IN CHANGING THE OUTCOME OF EMERGENCIES IN MOZAMBIQUE!



PLeDGE Health is bringing emergency care to places it has never been.

This task is **not easy** and certainly is **not cheap**. We need your help in supporting our work and our volunteers in the following objectives:

August 2018: Translating the WHO Basic Emergency Care course into Portuguese (\$5000)

September 2018: Partnering with the Ministry of Health and the WHO to deliver the first ever BEC course at Mavalane Hospital (\$10,000)

October 2018: Bringing critically needed medical supplies to our partner hospitals and health facilities with the assistance of MEDSHARE (\$25,000)

February 2019: Expanding residency training, clinician education, and team training to a second site, at Mavalane General Hospital (\$20,000)