

All health sciences academic institutions need education resources covering all aspects of health and wellness, including mental health, nutrition, physical/occupational therapy, pre-hospital, and pre-hospital. <u>All resources should have current information</u>. Only medical publications, such as journals, printed in the last 12 months are accepted.

Step-by-step shipping instructions and important information are available on the GML website. Simply download the "*GML Shipping Information and Instructions*" pdf.

## **Current Health Sciences Recipients**

### <u>Burundi</u>

Defense Attaché Office Bujumbura ATTN: GML 2100 Bujumbura Place Washington DC 20521-2100

The Defense Attaché Office (DAO) at the US Embassy Bujumbura works with the Burundian National Defense Force (BNDF). The BNDF units are requesting medical related books/studies (military hospital continued education) and professional development or military studies focused books (Senior Command and Staff College), as well as any books from basic English comprehension level to advance military or regional affairs literature would assist. English comprehension levels within the BNDF vary greatly from basic verbal and reading skills to advance English with PhDs. A wide range of literature support would be welcomed and put to good use with our US Embassy's BNDF colleagues.

### **Cameroon**

State Registered Nursing School Limbe ATTN: Richard Nkwetta 3605 Cara Dr. Springdale, MD 20774

The State Registered Nursing School Limbe (SRNSL) is a professional institution located in Limbe in the southwest region of Cameroon. It specializes in training state registered nurses in the southwest region of Cameroon, and it is under the authority of the ministry of public health of Cameroon. Richard Nkwetta is a SRNSL alumnus. He knows first-hand the difficulty the school faces in terms of books, logistics and study materials for its students.

SRNSL is requesting nursing textbooks to enable the school to establish a modern library for the students to use in their academic work. Without textbooks, students are deficient in knowledge and therefore unable to understand and apply the required skills in their profession.

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<u>Ghana</u> Medix College ATTN: Leslie Sowah Odoi-Atsem 6518 Princess Garden Parkway Lanham, MD 20706

Medix College is in Adjiriganor, Accra, Ghana. Medix is a tertiary educational institution and is requesting textbooks and references for its allied health professional students. These textbooks will enhance their knowledge in the healthcare sector and will in turn improve the healthcare services in Ghana. Medix offers diploma's and certificates in Dental Hygienist, Pharmacy Technician, and Medical Assistant.

The need for Allied Health Professionals in Ghana is crucial as these group of health professionals can support physicians by applying their expertise to prevent disease transmission, diagnose, treat, and rehabilitate people of all ages and all specialties. Together they can deliver direct patient care, rehabilitation, treatment, diagnostics, and health improvement interventions as part of improvement in our health systems.

## **Colleges of Veterinary Medicine Recipients**

# <u>Ghana, Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania, and Ethiopia</u>

#### Hans Goertz University of Tennessee Institute of Agriculture (UTIA) McCord 101C, 2640 Morgan Cir Drive, Knoxville, TN 37996

The University of Tennessee (UT) has been selected to host a cohort of 10 African veterinary professors by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Faculty Exchange Program. This program is designed to assist developing countries to improve their agricultural education, research, and extension programs through exchanges with U.S. universities.

The cohort of African veterinary professors will spend the fall 2021 semester under the guidance of a faculty mentor at the UT Knoxville campus. They will participate in coursework, research activities, and field visits during the exchange.

The UT College of Veterinary Medicine is requesting veterinary textbooks and references to send with these professors when they return to their home institutions in Ghana, Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania, and Ethiopia. The Faculty Exchange Program will pay for additional checked luggage for the participants return travel.