## Guyana 2010



"For my eyes have seen your salvation, which you have prepared in the sight of all people." ~ Luke 2:30-31

### Arriving in Guyana





Most of the men in Guyana work in the sugar cane fields





Guyana is part of the Caribbean



#### Transportation for the week

Drivers in Guyana honk their horns excessively at cars, bikers, cattle, and other stray animals along the streets.



### Guyana In General





#### Our home for the week in Nigg

We stayed with Andy and Kathleen – this is their house in Bath

### **Our Clinic in Hamshire**





#### Guyanese Helpers



# Clinic Setup



#### 9 exam stations were set up in the church

Brian in the dispensary on the first day



Patients waited in the HOT Guyana sun to get their eye exams







### The First Station Distance Visual Acuity



### **Case History and Dilation**



#### Kristin dilating the patients

Angela taking case histories and near VAs



### The Exam



#### Jordan using trial lenses to find a suitable prescription

Lyndsay doing retinoscopy on her patient



# Whitney doing direct ophthalmoscopy





# Andrew using the BIO

### **Consulting with the Patients**



Brother Andy discussing glaucoma with his patient

Laura reviewing her patient's history before beginning the exam



#### Some patients required special testing



Jordan checking intraocular pressure with the tonopen Angela checking blood pressure



### Dispensary

Laura and Steve helping patients pick out glasses

We gave exams, glasses, and eye drops to over **1,100** people in Guyana

THE WAY AND

THE TRUTH

### **Evangelism Station**



Randy gave believer bracelets to young believers

The main religions in Guyana are Islam, Hinduism, and Christianity



#### 165 people pray to follow Christ!!!

Brother Andy was our host and helped with just about EVERYTHING

Dr. Dave was our clinic leader

Lyonel was the pastor of the church where we held clinic





#### Randy was our spiritual leader PJ ran the dispensary all week



Steve, Joe, and Chris modeling glasses to show the Guyanese how "stylish" big frames are

Michigan States







### Some of Our Favorite Patients



### We Formed Friendships With Many of the Guyanese







#### Relaxing after a long working day



Our days began at 6:00 am and ended around 8:00 pm

#### The donkey next door and the Muslims calls woke us at all hours of the night





#### Guyanese Market



Whitney and Kathleen at the market



\$1 USA = \$200 Guyanese







### Kaieteur Falls



The tallest single drop waterfall in the world



This tiny poisonous frog lives in the rubber plant and can put you in a coma!







#### Walking through the jungle



#### Sitting in the jaguar cave



Chris, Andrew, and Jordan washing their faces in the waterfall to "look 10 years younger"





#### **Baganara Resort** Relaxing After a Long Week



### JFK Airport

# Making the most of our 30 hour stay in the airport because of weather delays





