



Some of us BWA Women visited this valuable work in Thailand last summer. Cynthia Muang is a faithful warrior of God who is doing a great work in this area with refugees. Here is what is happening right now.

Mae Tao Clinic has been providing health care, education and protection to the displaced and vulnerable people of Burma/Myanmar since 1989. For many conflict and poverty affected people along the Thailand-Burma border, Mae Tao Clinic is the only option to access health care, especially because services are free of charge.

We are now calling for your attention because we do not have sufficient funding for our most essential programs. **Hundreds of thousands are at risk of no longer being able to access affordable quality health care, education and protection.** Soon, we can no longer provide care up to our desired level, or train health workers to build up the health system in eastern Burma.

We cannot cease our activities, as many of our patients have nowhere else to go. However, we do need to significantly cut down our programs. **Patients will be forced to cover high out-of-pocket expenses for treatment in other facilities, which many cannot afford.** Due to these reasons, we fear that these communities will avoid seeking health care all together, which will worsen their health status and place their already vulnerable lives at risk.

We feel blessed as Baptist women around the world to be able to support this worthy project. **BECAUSE YOU GAVE!**