



## October 2013 Weekly Prayer Guide

### Week 1

#### Christian Health Facilities

Pray for Christian hospitals, and for the construction of the new **Bishop Masereka Hospital** in the Rwenzor region of Uganda, which will serve more than 20,000 women and their families. [Read More](#)

Pray for the 20 hospitals in the **Emmanuel Hospital Association** caring for the underserved in Northern India. [Read More](#)

### Week 2

#### Gender Equity

October 11 is the **International Day of the Girl Child**. Pray for increased access to education and opportunities for girls, lifting them out of poverty. [Read More](#)

Prayers for **Restored Relationships**, a Christian alliance supported by **Tearfund** and other CCIH members to engage churches against violence in the home. [Read More](#)

### Week 3

#### Communities & Health

Pray for empowering community members to serve their community's health needs, such as **IMA World Health's** program to train community members in the NTD program in Haiti. [Read More](#)

Prayers for the work of the **Community Rural Health Project** to mobilize communities to achieve freedom from stigma, poverty and disease. [Read More](#)

### Week 4

#### Child Survival

Praise for progress in child survival. Recent **UNICEF** report reveals the annual number of under-five deaths fell from 12.6 million in 1990 to 6.6 million in 2012. [Read More](#)

Prayers of thanks for programs to promote **healthy timing and spacing of pregnancies** giving children a better chance of survival. [Read More](#)