

WHO ARE WE?

OUR MISSION

Partners In Health Engage (PIH Engage) is a grassroots network mobilizing local communities to build a global movement for the right to health. We recruit, train, and equip dedicated teams of volunteer community organizers who mobilize their communities in the fight for health equity. With each campaign, petition, and event, we generate new resources, foster public discourse, and advocate for policies that advance the right to health worldwide.



14TH ANNUAL TRAINING INSTITUTE

In August 2023, 160+ Engagers gathered in Washington D.C. for the first in-person Training Institute since the COVID-19 pandemic. Participants prepared for the campaign year through workshops, discussions, and strategy sessions, advocated for health equity on Capitol Hill, and built momentum towards realizing the right to health!

With rare exceptions, all of your most important achievements on this planet will come from working with others—or, in a word, partnership.

Paul Farmer





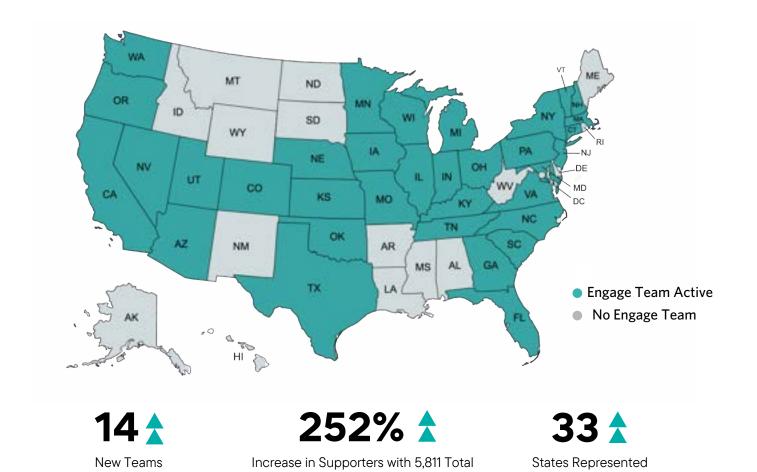


ADVOCACY

FUNDRAISING

OUR THREE PILLARS

PIH Engage is how we organize local communities toward building a global movement for the right to health. We organize by building dedicated, well-resourced teams and by fostering alliances with groups who share our vision. We educate by hosting discussion groups and public lectures about the right to health. We advocate for global and domestic policies that further the right to health. We generate resources to fund high-quality health care for people living in poverty. Together, we demand the right to health be protected for all people, everywhere.



FOSTERING COMMUNITY

As a constituency of **775+ members** and **85+ teams**, our capacity to change policies, generate resources, and disrupt exploitative systems is strong and ever-growing. Our power to advance global health equity derives from the relationships we form to build a **justice-based movement** for **the right to health**.

COMMUNITY BUILDING & EDUCATION

For this campaign year, members aimed to understand and articulate the core values and concepts of PIH and PIH Engage, recognize and explain the enduring impacts of racism and colonialism on the health of marginalized communities, and comprehend the framework, context, and reasoning behind all our campaigns.

With the launch of the new
Crash Course platform, we have
achieved **423 dedicated**members through the PIHE
Crash Course completion.



With 148 events including 90
public community events, teams
educated themselves and others
about forces shaping health systems
and strides in global health equity.

RAISING OUR VOICES

WHAT IS ADVOCACY?

At PIH Engage, we believe that realizing the right to health requires **strategic** and **targeted political action**. To create change, we must pressure our elected officials to promote and codify justice-based health legislation.

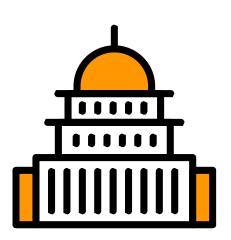


MEETING WITH SEN. RUBIO (R-FL)

The Florida Hill Day delegation of Engagers met with Sen. Marco Rubio's office to advocate for the CHW Access Act. Meeting with offices and forming personal relationships is one advocacy tactic we use to fight for long-term change in global health equity.

OUR CAMPAIGN

Promoting and codifying the global right to health requires targeted political action congressional offices. Our Engage leaders engaged with 192 congressional offices, enabling them to cultivate relationships with staffers, advocate for the Paul Farmer Memorial Resolution (PMFR) and Community Health Worker Access Act (CHWAA), and assess congressional champions for health equity. PFMR honors Dr. Farmer by enshrining his vision for global health equity, and providing practical policy solutions to make it a reality. Dr. Farmer often reminded us that the United States "is on the globe, too." Recognizing health inequities are unjust regardless of where they occur, PIH Engage proudly supports crucial investments in health infrastructure within the US. The Community Health Worker Access Act is a draft bill that would increase access to CHW services for Medicare and Medicaid beneficiaries to improve whole-person, coordinated care.



1373

Advocacy Actions +48% increase

182

Meetings with Congress +57% increase



HILL DAY 2023

On August 14, 2023, over 160+ Engagers gathered on Capitol Hill and held 100+ meetings with Members of Congress representing states across the U.S. to garner support for the PFMR and the CHW Access Act.

MORE THAN JUST A NUMBER

These achievements are not just numbers or statistics; they represent the collective **dedication**, **passion**, and **unwavering commitment** of Engage and its supporters. They symbolize the power of advocacy, the strength of collaboration, and the profound impact we can have when we unite for a common cause.



279

Appropriations requests +147% increase

865

Congressional calls, letters or emails +32% increase

192

Congressional offices engaged

16

Letters or published articles

-6% decrease

35

Total Co-Sponsors of Paul Farmer Memorial Resolution

6

New sign-ons for Paul Farmer Memorial Resolution

SOLIDARITY IN ACTION

FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN

Sierra Leone has been facing a crisis of deaths during pregnancy due to a failing healthcare system, itself largely a product of colonial rule and ongoing resource extraction. Partners In Health has invested in the staffing, infrastructure, and supplies needed to address this crisis, but more resources were needed to realize the **Maternal Center of Excellence (MCOE)** to revolutionize care in Sierra Leone and beyond. Building on previous efforts to support the construction of the MCOE, the PIH Engage network committed to raising \$125,000 this year for care at the MCOE.



STRIDES IN SOLIDARITY

In April 2024, the University of Miami Engage team hosted a Strides in Solidarity fundraising event garnering support from their community and building connections to raise money for the MCOE in Sierra Leone.



IMPROVING MATERNAL HEALTH

With the Ministry of Health, PIH began improving the maternal care available at Koidu Government Hospital.

OUR IMPACT

Through conversations with friends and family, Strides in Solidarity walk-a-thons, and many more solidarity-based events and actions, Engagers successfully mobilized **4,448 supporters** to raise **\$128,683** in solidarity with the PIH Sierra Leone team. These funds are enough to fund a blood bank, labs, and essential drugs for antenatal, labor, delivery, neonatal intensive care, and post-operative services for over 600 patients.

4K+People involved

\$128K+

Amount raised

70+Events hosted

3K+
People engaged

TESTIMONIALS

"I would attribute a lot of our success to our out-of-the-box brainstorming regarding selling tickets to our event and advertising. You don't want bodies to fill seats, you want committed and dedicated supporters of your group and your cause (PIH). Expanding your PIH community through networking will pay off for future advocacy and fundraising and will maybe even inspire people to get involved."

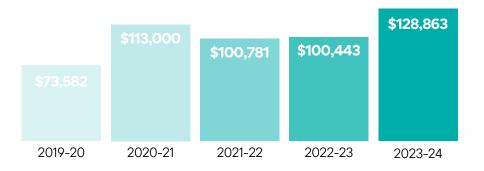
Sofia F. Fundraising Lead, Bainbridge High School

"Fundraising for PIH was something I never thought I would be doing, but after meeting people who are genuinely interested in what we were raising money for at our bakesale, I knew I couldn't back down. It's so inspiring to meet others with the same passion, and I am forever grateful for how hardworking and dedicated the UT Dallas Chapter is. We have worked so hard to go above and beyond our goal, and I am excited for what the future holds for us!"

Vivien G. Fundraising Lead, University of Texas at Dallas

GROWTH IN FUNDRAISING

AMOUNT RAISED



Engagers Fundraising in 2023-24

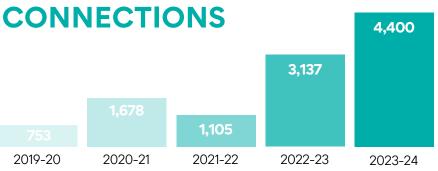
+14.60% increase

4,400

Total People Reached at Fundraising Events in 2023-24

+40.26% increase





Total Fundraising **Events Since 2020**

Amount Funraised Since 2019

2023-2024 CAMPAIGN HIGHLIGHTS



PARTNERS IN POETRY

The Bainbridge High School team organized a solidarity event, raising over \$15,000+ for the MCOE.



LETTERS TO MEMBERS OF CONGRESS

The Boston City team pushed their members of Congress to support the PFMR.



HALLOWEEN FUNDRAISER FOR MCOE

The Milton Academy team sold candy grams to fundraise for the Maternal Center of Excellence.



UTD FUNDRAISER FOR MCOE

The University of Dallas Texas team started the campaign year by raising funds for the Maternal Center of Excellence, selling refreshing summer treats and drinks.

There will be no equity without solidarity.

There will be no justice without a social movement.

Joia Mukherjee



MEETING WITH SEN. GILLIBRAND (D-NY)

The Yale University team met with Sen. Gillibrand's office to garner support for the Paul Farmer Memorial Resolution.



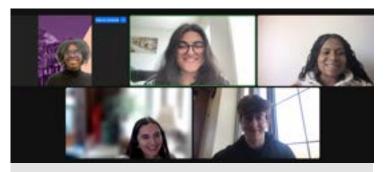
UCSD COMMUNITY BUILDING

The University of California San Diego team hosted a social bonfire to engage new members, involve members in upcoming advocacy efforts, and build community.



CWRU HEALTH CONFERENCE

The Case Western Reserve University team hosted a universal healthcare conference about inequities in Cleveland with community members, government leaders, and healthcare workers.



MEETING WITH SEN. WARNOCK (D-GA)

The University of Georgia team met with Sen. Warnock to discuss global health appropriations.



BAKE SALE FOR THE MCOE IN SIERRA LEONE

The Rutgers University team sold baked goods to raise money for the Maternal Center of Excellence.



TRINITY SPRING KICK-OFF

The Trinity University team started the spring semester by building community and educating members.



A HUMAN RIGHT.

JOIN THE CAUSE.

2023-2024

