

# Provocando sonrisas

Logrando salud bucodental

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# 1.1. Rotary's Focus Areas

- Rotary International focuses its humanitarian efforts on seven key areas to maximize local and global impact, seeking sustainable change in communities in need. These areas include promoting peace, combating disease, providing clean water, supporting education, fostering economic development, protecting the environment, and promoting maternal and child health.
- The “Provocando Sonrisas” project is focused on combating diseases; the Matamoros Rotary Club collaborates with local health service professionals to treat diseases and promotes equitable health for all who need it.

# 1.2. Community Diagnosis

- Objective:
  - Eradication of dental caries and restoration of the patient's oral health.
- Treatment:
  - Oral rehabilitation under general anesthesia
- Target audience:
  - Children with disabilities and from low-income families
  - Due to the patients' physical conditions, they cannot be treated in a dental office and therefore must be treated under general anesthesia.
- Commitment:
  - To provide children with disabilities the opportunity for care that is not offered by public health institutions.

# 1.3. Sustainability and scope

The "Provoking Smiles" project has been running for over ten years, addressing the needs of many children suffering from oral diseases.

The Matamoros Rotary Club has partnered with non-governmental organizations to secure funding, as well as with healthcare professionals who have consistently contributed their expertise to the surgeries performed.

This year, we hope to successfully secure a global grant to continue helping combat this disease among children in the city of Matamoros.

To carry out the surgeries, we have partnerships with hospitals that offer us special rates.

The anesthesiologist also provides his services at rates below the market cost.

The chief surgeon is an honorary member of the Matamoros Rotary Club, and his services are free for the project.



## 2. Grant Structure

Objective:

The goal of this grant is to carry out 20 surgeries over the course of a year.

<b>Cost per Surgery</b>	
<b>Concept</b>	<b>Cost in USD</b>
Hospital	\$ 757.00
Anesthesiologist	\$ 324.00
Chief Surgeon	\$ -
Supplies	\$ 270.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1,351.00</b>

<b>Cost per 25 Surgeries</b>	
<b>Concept</b>	<b>Cost in USD</b>
Hospital	\$ 18,925.00
Anesthesiologist	\$ 8,100.00
Chief Surgeon	\$ -
Supplies	\$ 6,750.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 33,775.00</b>

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