
Sutures from Magee Save a **Mother** in **Malawi**

All elective surgeries at Kamuzu Central Hospital in Malawi had been cancelled for **lack of sutures**, but Diana's c-section – to deliver twins – was an emergency.

The procedure went well, but Diana kept bleeding. **Post-partum hemorrhage** can kill a mother in two hours. The staff tried pitocin, uterine massage . . . the only recourse was an **emergency hysterectomy**. **But did they have the right sutures?**

Luckily, three days earlier, a volunteer courier from Global Links had delivered a donation of sutures that had come in from Magee-Womens Hospital – exactly the right kind of sutures necessary for an emergency hysterectomy. Diana went home two days later, with her beautiful new babies. She already had two other children at home.



**Sutures from Magee – donated to Global Links –
kept alive a mother of four in Malawi.**

Please remember – save sutures. Save a life.