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Besides UNC faculty and students there were 3 nurses including the Project C.U.R.E. team leader and a PT aid on trip. Everyone worked together as one team. Julie and Audrey precepted students each day in the clinics and discussed pertinent clinical findings with the students and team during the bus ride return to the mining camp each evening. There was a debriefing session (post-clinic days) for the students each evening upon arrival into the Newmont mining camp. Private debriefing for the students upon request was provided. For three of the clinic days, a new physician medical director of the last three clinics joined the team. She was instrumental in sharing local protocols and helping with referrals to a higher level of care.

Primary care, patient education, vision screening, provision of reading glasses and sunglasses, pharmacy, physical therapy instructions, distribution of canes, and referral to other health care providers in the city.

Created standing orders for the in-country clinic nurses.

Provided CPR education to the in-country clinic nurses.

Provided diabetes nutrition and hypertension education to the in-country clinic nurses. Held discussions with nurses on community health care in the country.

no illnesses during experience : none none

provided to students via email link to Michaela

Romero, FNP Coordinator

completed in Typhon

This was a great international clinical experience for students and faculty.

In discussion with Project C.U.R.E. they shared that due to Ministry of Health restrictions they will not be doing these clinics in Suriname in the future. There is no further opportunity for UNC students to participate in Suriname. There is the option of other Project C.U.R.E. missions. Cost may be a prohibitive factor for students.

