

#### About us

Jacinto Convit World Organization (JCWO) is a 501(c)(3) public charity incorporated in 2014 in the state of California, whose mission is to provide access to better healthcare services and treatments to those who need it most, while training new generations of professionals. JCWO focal points are research and diagnostic testing of illnesses, as well as the development of new professionals via three high impact programs: Cancer Immunotherapy, Molecular Diagnostics and Internship.

### **Cancer Immunotherapy**

This program develops a low cost, simple, potentially safe personalized, and effective immunotherapy, named ConvitVax, targeted to underprivileged patients with breast cancer. This therapy combines the patient's tumor cells with bacillus Calmette Guérin (BCG) and low concentrations of formalin. Studies in animals and a human pilot experience show that the combination of these components stimulate the immune system, achieving an effective and specific response against the body's tumor cells with minimal to no side-effects and a possible establishment of immune memory, which may reduce the possibility of disease recurrence.

# **Molecular Diagnostics**

Through local partnerships, JCWO helps to provide a free of cost, early and specific diagnosis for patients of all ages and genders in poverty, affected by various cancers, mainly leukemia and solid tumors, as well as infectious diseases like HIV. This type of



testing improves their quality of life, prognosis and response to treatment, and increases their survival rate due to early detection, stratification of disease risk and the possibility of determining the best treatment option for each specific diagnosis. Currently, more than 1200 highly vulnerable children and adults have benefitted from this program in Venezuela.

# Internship

As firm believers that science and education are fundamental for the development of nations, JCWO gives students from all over the world, the opportunity to learn new skills and participate in highly challenging projects within the organization, contributing to their personal and professional growth.

Interns can impact the world through areas such as healthcare, research, design, marketing and fundraising. To date, more than 40 students from countries like Canada, England, India, Kenya, Lebanon, Nigeria, Northern Ireland, Pakistan, Philippines, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, United States and Venezuela have benefitted.

#### Join our cause

JCWO is seeking funds to initiate a phase 1b/2 clinical trial with ConvitVax in 40 women with metastatic breast cancer, and to benefit more patients with diagnostic testing, in Venezuela.

With your support, we can improve the lives of those who need it most, while training new generations of professionals. Join this cause and scan the QR code to donate!



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