

## Con Corazón Outreach Report

14<sup>th</sup> January 2022 – Marampaqui

The rain is pouring down here in Marampaqui. It comes along with a cold and humid weather. We could see the people wearing extra clothes. As we are arriving, we found out that our parking place looks green but slippery and as soon as the tires get in touch with the surface it becomes muddy.

There are lots of patients coming over, and once again we are turning dental and medical patients away. We give them tickets written in little pieces of papers so they can have a spot in the next outreach.



### Activities

Even though we turned away about 12 patients we have seen more patients than initially were planned. We normally plan 25 patients for the medical doctor and 13 patients for the dentist. Sometimes our compassion leads us to take more patients so we had to add few more to the queue. When the doctors realized it, they do not look very excited.

- General Medicine, Dr. Gustavo saw 32 patients. Many people with respiratory problems. Do some of them got Covid? That is a question we ask ourselves.
- Dentist, Dr. Flor saw 15 patients. Many dental extractions.
- Laboratory, Wendy did 8 laboratory exams.
- Pharmacy, all patients received their medicines. Jhoni explained to them carefully about the doctor instructions.
- Nurse, besides triage and screening, Sayda did 8 intramuscular injections.



We also realized that there are few ill people staying at home. Their families asked to visit them. They live 30 minutes away from our Health Center. Unfortunately, we could not as we were very busy. We told them that in our next outreach we will visit them along with the doctor and medicines.

## Photo Gallery



Oral health and prevention has been taught regularly in Marampaqui. As part of the activity, we encourage locals to teach children about oral hygiene. We also give away tooth brushes and toothpaste sponsored by Colgate company.



Medicines are being delivered regularly. Our nurse Sayda is teaching Jhoni how to do intramuscular injections



This old man met us on the road, near Marampaqui whilst we were going back to Cusco. He said that his daughter is suffering of pain to the point that she cannot walk. With tears in his eyes, he begged us for some medicine. Dr. Gustavo immediately wrote down a prescription with analgesics and anti-inflammatories so he can go to our Health Center and ask Jhoni for the medicines.