

Definitive location: Puerto el Carmen de Putumayo

After months of visiting potential sites, we found the ideal location!



Puerto el Carmen de Putumayo, on the border with the province of Putumayo, Colombia.

We've completed our search for the ideal location for the hospital. After visiting many possible sites in a large part of the Ecuadorian Amazon Basin, all the indicators point in the direction of Puerto el Carmen de Putumayo. A city of approximately six thousand inhabitants, located next to the Putumayo river which constitutes the border between

Ecuador and Colombia. Up and downstream there are dozens of communities, where many people live who, in search of medical care, have to travel for hours in a canoe to Puerto el Carmen. Here they merely find a medical post with very limited possibilities. The closest hospital is located in Lago Agrio, at least four hours travel over-

land. Additionally, in search of medical care, on a daily basis many people cross the river from the Colombian province of Putumayo, a substantial area plagued by drug cartels and guerrilla's. The establishment of a hospital in Puerto el Carmen would be a huge step forward for the entire region.

We've received our first donations

The first financial donations have been received by us. Next to the much appreciated incidental donations a number of benefactors have fixed their contribution for a prolonged duration. To all people who have shown faith in our goal: fantastic!

Quina Care Ecuador

The statutes for Quina Care's registration in Ecuador are ready. The right people to participate in the local board are being sought. It's a delicate task, as additionally to our trust, these people also need the same vision as we have. Only when we have the local board can we sign the statutes.

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