

Salus University Students Give Back to Underserved Communities on Humanitarian Trips



Elkins Park, Pa. – The Pennsylvania College of Optometry (PCO) at Salus University Student Optometric Service to Humanity (SOSH) chapter went on its first post-pandemic trip to La Barca, Jalisco, Mexico. Fifteen students and two faculty members had the opportunity to not only examine and treat patients, but also personally connect with and help underserved communities in Mexico. During their visit, the group served 2,278 patients.

Photo caption: PCO/Salus faculty and staff posing for a group photo in La Barca, Jalisco, Mexico during their humanitarian trip.

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