

The unfailing dedication of Cuban health care professionals has led to dramatic improvements in quality of life, for millions of people who previously had no other hope of receiving decent medical care. IFCO/Pastors for Peace is pleased to honor the diligent health care professionals of the Cuban health care system. We especially pay tribute to Cuba's national leadership, whose vision of universal health care as a right of every citizen sets an example for the world.<sup>77</sup>

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Above Photo Right: The late **Reverend Lucius Walker, Jr.** (founder of IFCO/Pastors for Peace and the inspirer and founder of the Pastors for Peace Caravan to Cuba), visiting a Cuban health institution.

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