Susan Opar, ‘00
San Antonio, Belize

Chris and I worked in the San Antonio Clinic as well as the Big Falls clinic 15 km away. These clinics were open to the Mayans free of charge. We helped visiting Cuban doctors with physical exams, medicating, and other treatments. This experience gave us a chance to interact with and learn from a very special group of people.

Letizia was not only fun to play with but she taught us a great deal about her language and culture.

Cuban doctors
Chis and I also went along on mobile clinics into the deep rainforest. We would take weights and histories of the patients and check to see if immunizations were up to date. It was an amazing experience to see how these people live in the isolation of the forest.