



ANNUAL REPORT

2018

AVISA

Program for the prevention and detection of child sexual abuse and care for victims.

This program works holistically prevention: providing tools for self-protection to children, forming the educational team in the prevention and detection of sexual abuse and raising families for the care and protection of children. The aim is to build WATCHERS COMMUNITIES against child sexual abuse.

Programs implemented

- 13 AVISA programs were carried out, reaching 2487 boys and girls, 1,670 relatives and 125 teaching staff. Schools: De la Cuna a la Luna, La Salle, Eagles School, Santa Cruz Cooperative School, Los Tajibos (Cotoca), Jardín Nuevos Pasos, CAID Nuevos Pasos, Tundy, Gabriel José Moreno (Paurito), Justo Leigue Moreno, Roca y Coronado, La Merced; Iglesia MIES.
- Awareness workshops in Spain: Church of Sabadell and youth camp of FADE Catalonia.
- Two training sessions of the AVISA program were carried out for professionals in Cochabamba and Peru, and three courses on "Drawing as a diagnosis of Child Sexual Abuse", reaching 132 participants.



NUTRIR LA VIDA (NURTURE LIFE)

THE BOLIVIAN ORIENTE ONCOLOGICAL INSTITUTE (IOOB) AND THE ASSOCIATION NEW STEPS

Nutrir la Vida is a networking program in which we have as general objectives to strengthen the kitchen service to provide a varied and balanced diet for IOOB patients, as well as to strengthen families and patients in knowledge and habits of integral Health.

OUR MISSION

Implementation of an action plan that includes a theoretical and practical work of eighteen months duration carrying out the review and strengthening of the nutritional plan of children with cancer, improvement of the kitchen service and the program of values to their families.

Actions taken in 2018:

WITH THE KITCHEN EQUIPMENT:

- Two awareness workshops by the IOOB psychologists team.
- Cuatro talleres de capacitación para el equipo de cocina en los que se ha dictado una parte teórica acerca de la mejora de hábitos de higiene, limpieza y cuidado personal y otra parte práctica en la que han aprendido nuevas técnicas de cocción y se han elaborado nuevas recetas de cocina que se han añadido al menú del hospital.
- Four training workshops for the kitchen team in which a theoretical part has been taught about the improvement of hygiene habits, cleaning and personal care and another practical part in which they have learned new cooking techniques and new

recipes have been developed of cooking that have been added to the hospital menu.

- Provide the whole team with work uniforms.
- Innovate the cooking recipes of the IOOB therapeutic menus.
- Application of good hygiene practices and food handling.
- Hire a new chef for pediatrics.
- Achieve in hospitalized children greater acceptance of hospital food by means of nutritious and tasty recipes presented in an attractive way.

WITH PARENTS:

- Raising awareness among parents about the relationship between health and nutrition.
- Prepare a specialized cookbook of healthy cooking for families of children in treatment.
- Prepare the draft of the "Guide for families of children affected by cancer".
- The document "Surveys of families of children affected by cancer" has been prepared with the objective of identifying the families' eating habits.
- Four cooking workshops in which we have a theoretical part about the importance of the type of food of children affected with cancer and another practical part in which we prepare recipe recipes developed to improve their quality of life.
- Implement the "NUTRIR LA VIDA EN CASA", the first external group of nutritional accompaniment to families of sick children that includes the donation of specific foods that, because of their high price, are not available to families.

WITH CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS

- Development of a "nutritional baseline" of all children treated in pediatric oncology of the IOOB.
- Four cooking workshops in which we have a theoretical part about the importance of the type of food of children affected with cancer and another practical part in which we prepare recipes developed to improve their quality of life.

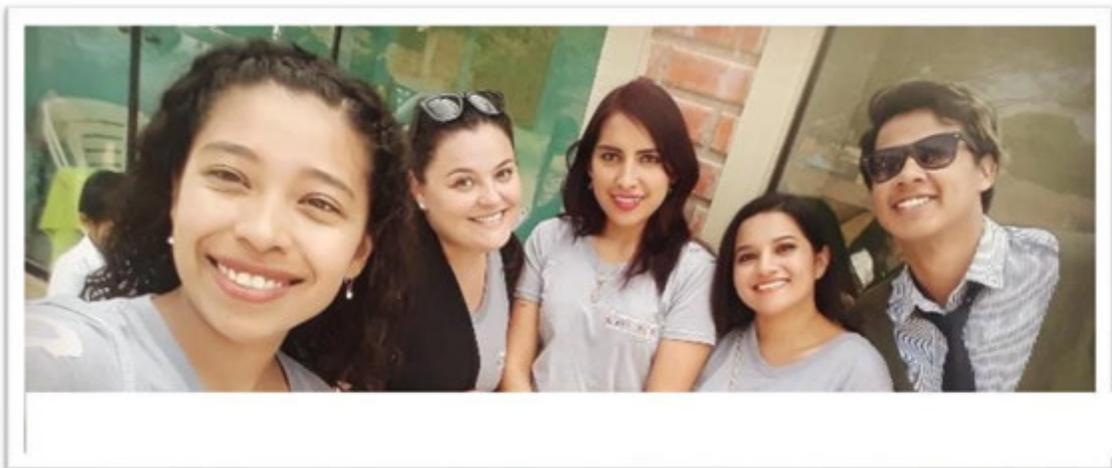


JARDÍN DE INFANCIA NUEVOS PASOS (NEW STEPS KINDERGARTEN)

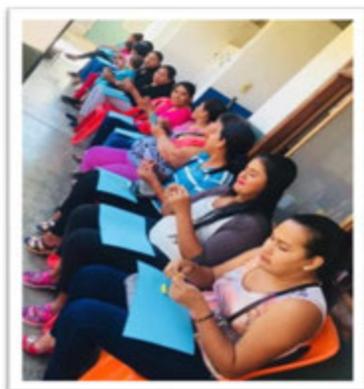
The work in the New Steps Kindergarten began on the first days of February 2018 in the Jorori neighborhood in Santa Cruz de la Sierra Bolivia.

During the first 2 weeks the social team together with the director Raquel Malagón, we were interviewing receiving the pre-registrations of the families interested in being part of the project, to later make a visit with the social workers in each of their homes. About 10 families were interest in entering the New Steps Kindergarten and after analyzing the situation of risk, 53 children were admitted to attend the 2018 school year.

On this occasion we had 3 classrooms for pre-kindergarten children and 1 for 3 years old children. The school year began on February 16 with a teaching staff composed by Yani Tuero, Silvia Claros, Helen Camargo and Rodrigo Oliveira as professors. Within the non-teaching staff we continue to count on the collaboration of Lidia Maraza as assistant director and Don Ángel who does the night guard functions.



In the Kindergarten we work for the holistic development of the students. For this reason, we have collaborated with the health services of the neighborhood to guarantee the attention of the children; we have worked on prevention and detection of child sexual abuse; schools of parents have been made; we have participated in community events; recreational activities have been carried out with the families; we have enjoyed days of cleaning and conditioning the facilities where families and staff have worked as a team and have strengthened ties; a small support group has been created for the mothers once a week where each of them has been able to find a space of security to keep growing and, definitively, year after year the New Steps Association is becoming a living entity and a reference in the neighborhood.



Thanks to the excellent teaching work with the children of previous years that endorses us and the deep ties that the team of AVISA (Detection, prevention and intervention of child sexual abuse) has generated after an intervention at the school Alan W. Farah belonging to the Jorori neighborhood, the agreements signed by which the children of the New Steps Kindergarten enter directly in that school are still standing.



It has been a year full of challenges, learning and fun, for children, parents and teaching staff, a year in which at the moment of closing the course parents and teachers expressed an immense gratitude for the progress, work well done and shared love.



C.A.I.D.

The Integral Day Care Center (CAID), is located in the eastern part of the city of Santa Cruz-Bolivia. In 2018 we worked with three tutors: Sheila Cardozo (tutor of the youngest ones), José Luis Cholima (middle school tutor) and Gladys Salvador (Superintendent and tutor of the oldest ones), and two cooks, Mery and Yovanna besides the volunteers that arrived on different dates. In March: a Canadian team; in June special visit of the missionaries Juan Moisés and Eduardo Sosa; in July: Ana, Esther and David and a couple, in September the spouses Joel and Stefanny.

Activities performed:

✓ **Parent schools**

Four parent schools were held in which they reported on the work and progress in the CAID, in addition to the development of the Avisa program.

✓ **Medical campaigns**

With the collaboration of the Health Center "Onduline" in charge of Dr. Marco Herbas and Dr. Michael Rojas, who are in charge of the area. Workshops were held such as: Child Nutrition, Deworming, H1N1 Influenza vaccination, the measures to be taken in the face of this disease, and the correct way of personal hygiene, hand washing, etc. with delivery of medicines.

✓ **Donation**

The families of the children of the dining room were benefited with provisions at the end of the year and clothes donated in the schools of parents.

✓ **Celebrations**

Every three months we celebrate birthday parties, with games, cake and give gifts to each child.

✓ **Academic follow-up**

As tutors every three months we went to the schools to get a report about the children's academic performance. And thanks to these reports we were able to help several of our children so that they do not miss the school year.

✓ **Equipment of school supplies.**

At the beginning of school, they were given school supplies and textbooks to start their studies.

✓ **Evaluation and coordination meetings.**

We meet every fifteen days with the executive director of the Association and the tutors at CAID to evaluate the team work and the children's progress. As a team we participate in the general meetings of the entity.

✓ **Social work**

Three families were intervened for family assistance, other families for the frequent neglect of children, others for not attending school, the dining room, parents' disinterest towards their children, among other things and also for others due to bad health, in charge of Lic. Claudia Rivera.

✓ **Last activity of the year**

And we finished our management with the expected Christmas treat the appointment was in a spa called "LEMON CITY" joined the three workshops of NEW STEPS, Youth Workshop, Children's Workshop and CAID. The children enjoyed the entertainment with games, pool, gifts and a delicious lunch.

