It is likely that Olga will find her independence and be able to support her daughter. The fact that today she has taken her first computer science class is guaranteed.

We cannot predict the future, but we can guarantee the present. At Fundación MAPFRE we run International Social Projects that TODAY benefit thousands of children and young people at risk of poverty and social exclusion. Young people like Olga, with her whole life ahead of her.

Olga Lucía Hernández Feria is a beneficiary of the Fundación JUANFE de Colombia association, which, with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, helps single mothers in this country find a way to make a living in order to support their families.
2018 INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL PROJECTS
ENSURING OPPORTUNITIES

Fundación MAPFRE
Fundación MAPFRE is a non-profit organization created by MAPFRE in 1975, which runs activities in the public interest both in Spain and in other countries in order to contribute to the well-being of society through the accomplishment of the following objectives:

- Ensuring the safety of people and their property, with a special focus on road safety, accident prevention and health.
- Improving people’s quality of life.
- Promoting culture, the arts and literature. Researching and disseminating knowledge related to history.
- Raising awareness of the culture of insurance and social protection.
- Improving the economic, social and cultural conditions of the most disadvantaged persons and sectors of society.
At Fundación MAPFRE we continue to be strongly involved in collaborating on what for us is the main objective of the SDGs, Ending poverty, and we are doing so, above all, through our International Social Projects.

This report is a testament to the work carried out during 2018 and outlines the various international projects on which we have collaborated.

We support these actions through 103 projects run by local social entities and NGOs in 24 countries: Germany, Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, the United States, Philippines, Guatemala, Honduras, Malta, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Portugal, Puerto Rico, Dominican Republic, Turkey, Uruguay and Venezuela.

Our main goal is to end the inequality of opportunity that leads to complex issues such as poverty and vulnerability.

To achieve this, we focus our attention on children and young people and attempt to prevent this disadvantaged situation from becoming an entrenched and intergenerational problem.

We have a clear strategy. We focus on improving their education and ensuring that they have their basic needs met in order for them to be able to reach their full development. This means that they can develop their educational, social and health skills in order to achieve
personal autonomy through empowerment and self-worth, thus helping them to escape the cycle of poverty.

We work to bring about a change in the social landscape of the countries we operate in, firstly for the beneficiary and then their family, their school and finally their whole community. Our activities are carried out at local level with the support of our colleagues in the countries where corporate volunteering activities and support work take place for each one of these projects.

Although we are all too aware of how difficult it is to calculate the significance of allocating more than four million euros a year to social projects, we have provided a few figures to illustrate the scope of this work:

- 85,023 people received educational support in various forms.
- 76,884 people received nutritional supplementation.
- 72,831 people received health care.
- 51,176 people received employability training.
- 742 women received empowerment training through social projects.
- The total number of beneficiaries reached was 95,164 people.

ADespite these excellent results, I want to point out that the most important aspects of life cannot be quantified. Each individual child, young person and adult whom we have helped in some way is unique and important to us.

We want to provide and ensure opportunities for all of our beneficiaries and to publicize this work through a campaign in which we tell the real life stories of these children, young people and adults who are the true protagonists of the International Social Projects.

Antonio Huertas Mejías
President
Fundación MAPFRE
It is likely that Candy will one day work as a nurse. The fact that she is enjoying her second year of university education is guaranteed.

Candelaria Rosa Rivera is one of the beneficiaries of Hogares Teresa Toda, in Puerto Rico, an organization which, supported by Fundación MAPFRE, offers comprehensive care for girls living in vulnerable situations by offering them a safe environment as well as financial, social and personal development to help them escape the poverty trap.

We cannot predict the future, but we can guarantee the present. At Fundación MAPFRE we run International Social Projects that TODAY benefit thousands of children and young people at risk of poverty and social exclusion. Young people like Candy, with her whole life ahead of her.

It is likely that Gleysi Irene will one day become a doctor. The fact that she is the first woman in her family to go to school is guaranteed.

Gleysi Irene Rico is a beneficiary of the Asociación Pan y Amor which, supported by Fundación MAPFRE, offers comprehensive education to children at risk of social exclusion in Nicaragua.

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It is **likely** that José will become an engineer. The fact that he is happy on his first day as a university student is **guaranteed**.

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José Ávalos is one of the beneficiaries of the **University of Engineering and Technology (UTEC)** in Peru, which, backed by Fundación MAPFRE, offers scholarships to students from low-income families to help them obtain a university education.

It is **likely** that Roberto will achieve his dream of becoming a soccer player. The fact that today he is learning about the value of effort and team work is **guaranteed**.

We cannot predict the future, but we can guarantee the present. At Fundación MAPFRE we run International Social Projects that TODAY benefit thousands of children and young people at risk of poverty and social exclusion. Young people like Roberto, with his whole life ahead of him.

Roberto da Costa is taking part in a **Fundación Barça project** in Brazil which, in collaboration with Fundación MAPFRE, uses sports to educate thousands of children about values.
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LATAM SOUTH 31.281 / 40.69%
LATAM NORTH 24.850 / 32.32%
NORTH AMERICA 7.233 / 9.41%
EUROPE 6.970 / 9.07%
ASIA 456 / 0.59%
TOTAL BENEFICIARIES OF MAPFRE PROJECTS
GENERAL 95,164 / 24.92%
EDUCATION 85,023 / 22.27%
HEALTH 72,831 / 19.07%
EMPOWERMENT 742 / 0.19%
NUTRITION 76,884 / 20.14%

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Fundación MAPFRE, through its International Social Projects Social Action program, collaborates with the goal of improving the lives of vulnerable groups in society in 24 countries around the world through 103 projects.

Through our contribution to social projects we foster Comprehensive education, which we understand to be all the aspects that a person needs to rely on in order to fully develop as a person. Our lines of collaborations are the following:

- Education
- Health
- Access to the labor market
- Nutrition

Each collaboration is systematically analyzed which enables us to measure and audit the development of the projects in order to ensure that all of them meet the required standards.

We believe it is crucial to ensure the continuity of the projects and bring about change in the lives of people through sustainable support over time.

Our projects promote volunteering actions which foster interaction between Fundación MAPFRE volunteers in each country and the different entities and NGOs with whom we collaborate.

During 2018 we reached 95,164 total beneficiaries with the program.

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

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76,884
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ARGENTINA

Location:
Buenos Aires

Beneficiaries:
406 children

Association partner:
Fundación Misión Marianista

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition, health, empowering and employment formation

WORKING TOWARDS EDUCATION, SOCIAL INCLUSION AND OVERALL ADVANCEMENT

The Fundación Misión Marianista, with the support of Fundacion MAPFRE, is carrying out four projects in Argentina within the framework of the Education and Social Inclusion initiative. These activities focus on education, foster care and health care of people of low income.

The first activity, “Educational workshops which create dreams”, develops educational, recreational, artistic and cultural workshops for children with complicated lives, offering them the companionship they need to face these difficult situations.

Next is the Hogar San Cayetano, a shelter for adolescent girls who lack the means to access secondary education. These adolescents come from families where the older brothers work in the fields and the younger sisters devote their time caring for the family and the home. This center gives the adolescents an opportunity to complete their secondary education.

The work of the shelter is complemented by the Maria Madre de la Juventud university residence, which gives these young women access to university studies in an environment which meets the needs of their overall development.

Finally, the Ninquihué project is a house and day care center which looks after children who live in the street. The project aims to manage not only the education and development of these children while they are growing, but also their personal development, teaching them daily hygiene habits and personal care. The project also covers nutrition, and includes group support activities among the children.

The aim of the Fundación Misión Marianista is to work on the education, social inclusion and overall advancement of the poor and needy, principally with young girls and boys, adolescents and young adults.
ARGENTINA

IMPROVING THE FUTURE OF A COMMUNITY IN ARGENTINA THROUGH EDUCATION AND HEALTH

The universal project of the Centro Comunitario Jesús María, with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, is working for the overall development of the Tres Isletas community by providing a healthy diet, comprehensive education, professional training and access to health services.

The project, called Building a Community with Education and Health, is working with 25,000 people, comprising boys and girls under 14 years old, adolescents between 15 and 18 years old, and adults.

The beneficiaries take part in a Comprehensive Training Program which develops their skills, values, attitudes and abilities. The center carries out a series of activities focused on their education and the offering of health care, by which it aims to improve their opportunities for the future.

The project includes educational initiatives for children and their parents, training courses for the teachers at the center, and career training for children and adolescents, thus preparing them professionally to build a better future for the community.

The Centro Comunitario Jesús María began in 1999, as an initiative of the nuns of Jesús María, in response to the needs of those who settled in the Barrio Alianza in Tres Isletas.

Location:
Tres Isletas/Chaco

Beneficiaries:
25,000 people

Association partner:
Centro Comunitario Jesús María

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition, health and employment formation
ARGENTINA

Location:
Buenos Aires

Beneficiaries:
180 boys and girls

Association partner:
Asociación Civil Mensajeros de la Paz

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition and health

RESTITUTION OF RIGHTS TO VULNERABLE CHILDREN

The Asociación Civil Mensajeros de la Paz, with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, is carrying out the Hogares Malen project through which it provides a home and care to boys and girls under the age of 12 who find themselves in situations of vulnerability in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

The organization has been working on this project since 2010. 180 boys and girls are given support in the following areas:

- Nutrition.
- Reinsertion and continuity in the education system.
- Comprehensive health care.
- Training in the exercising of rights.

The association works with three care homes where children are given a place to live. Health care is organized together with local institutions. Workshops on social integration, training for employment and diverse recreational and educational activities are also held.

In addition, the Asociación Civil Mensajeros de la Paz liaises with the Childhood and Adolescence authorities to ensure that these initiatives affecting the living conditions of the beneficiaries become long-lasting.

The Mensajeros de la Paz organization has a long history of working with young people, both at the international level and nationally in Argentina, where it has been carrying out projects for the protection of children and adolescents at social risk for the last 16 years.
**Foster Care and Development of Social Values for Young People**

Aldeas Infantiles SOS, with the support of Fundacion MAPFRE, is developing this program of foster care in Mar de Plata to provide an environment of development and growth to young people at risk of social exclusion.

The organization is carrying out two complementary programs. In the Foster Care Program, groups of 6 to 9 children of different ages are placed with a professionally qualified and paid caregiver who is responsible for the care, development and protection of the children in her/his care.

The Family Strengthening and Community Development Program is aimed at strengthening the network of protection and care among boys, girls, young people and their families of origin.

The aim of the organization’s work is to achieve social and family integration of the boys, girls and young people, encouraging their independence and the pursuit of the same rights and obligations as apply to other young people.

SOS Children’s Villages started in Argentina in 1978, beginning its activities with the construction of a small village made up of six families in Oberá, in the Misiones province. Currently, SOS Children’s Villages offers service to more than 50 children and young people in situations of need.
**Brazil**

**Location:**
Recife

**Beneficiaries:**
2,000 children, adolescents and young people

**Association partner:**
Movimiento Pró-Criança

**Lines of action:**
Education, nutrition and employment formation

**Taking Care of the Nutrition and Health of Children**

The Movimiento Pró-Criança, in conjunction with Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out this Promoción de los derechos de los niños, adolescentes y jóvenes con calidad de vida project, in order to maintain good access to nutrition and health for beneficiaries in the Recife area of Brazil.

The goal of the project is to provide young people with access to a balanced and safe diet, helping to bring about changes in their eating habits and providing them with information on health and education which therefore raises their awareness of these matters.

The idea of this project is to establish daily diet guidelines, in order to create a routine for the beneficiaries; the project also seeks to establish a bond with families who serve as the main intermediaries and are responsible for conveying a culture of healthy eating.

Founded in 1993, the Movimento Pró-Criança is an organization linked to the Olinda and Recife Archdiocese which seeks to promote the citizens’ rights of children, teenagers and young people in at-risk situations or who have been abandoned, as well as providing opportunities for their social inclusion through education.
The Instituto Crescer, in conjunction with Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out the Crescer Mapfre project in order to offer a comprehensive and creative-centered education to young people in vulnerable situations in the Itajaí region (Brazil).

The project seeks to promote a comprehensive, creative and environmentally friendly education. The content of this plan is dealt with in an interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary manner, in order for the students to be able to integrate it into their own experiences and they also play a role in deciding what the content will involve.

Crescer Mapfre revolves around four central themes: communication, the working world, health and ethics, and citizenship. These four themes are covered in theoretical classes and through field work and business, scientific, political and cultural units.

The Instituto Crescer began in 2003 with a desire to change the circumstances of young people in the Itajaí-SC area.
BRAZIL

Location:
Maceió, Algoas

Beneficiaries:
1,600 people

Association partner:
Nutrir

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition and health

A BALANCED DIET FOR VULNERABLE CHILDREN

The Centro de Recuperação e Educação Nutricional CREN, a Nutrir association project is working to eradicate childhood malnutrition in Brazil. Fundación MAPFRE has been collaborating on this project since 2014.

The CREN offers healthcare and educational and nutritional support to vulnerable children suffering from malnutrition. They also work with families on training projects to help them enter the working world.

The children receive help in two different forms, with the most serious cases being semi-boarders who stay at the center from 8am to 5pm and receive 5 balanced meals as well as ongoing pedagogical support and care in different areas. 100 children are looked after in this way.

Malnourished children or those with mild obesity are treated as “out patients”, together with family members suffering from chronic diseases. 1500 people receive this support.

This project focuses on treating the children through a balanced diet, infection and parasites control, educational work and helping them to improve their cognitive development.
Sao Paulo, Brazil

Fundación Real Madrid, with Fundación MAPFRE’s backing, has rolled out FRM’s Social Sports School project in Sao Paulo. This project seeks to contribute to the development of children from the Centro Social Santa Luzia Social Center and the Centro Social Sao Nicolau.

The goal of the project is to contribute to the development of their beneficiaries through the FRM’s methodology and the Don Bosco preventive system, which is carried out through sports practice, teaching about values, healthy and hygienic lifestyle habits and socio-recreational workshops as well as family social integration.

This project encompasses a sports program including 11-player soccer, basketball and futsal during the school year; they also offer cultural excursions and promote close family relationships, ensuring that the whole family gets involved in these same activities.

The Real Madrid Foundation works to preserve and maintain the historical heritage of the club, to foster the values inherent in sport as their main asset, to promote comprehensive education for children and young people and to bring about the social inclusion of vulnerable populations. Since the first school was created in Argentina in 2003, the foundation’s work has grown considerably and it currently has 261 schools in more than 72 countries on all five continents where more than 33,986 children and young people from at-risk backgrounds benefit from their work.
Location: São Paulo
Beneficiaries: 60 young people
Association partner: Plan International Brasil
Lines of action: Education

**Brazil**

**Education and Leadership for Children Living in Vulnerable Circumstances**

The organization Plan International Brasil, in conjunction with Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out its Escuela de liderazgo para niñas project, with the goal of empowering 60 young people between 14 and 18 years old who are also living in vulnerable situations, in the Sao Paulo (Brazil) region.

The goal of this project is to empower young girls by helping prevent gender-based violence and through activities which teach them to develop their skills and learn about their rights, as well as through promoting their active citizenship as agents of change.

Educating these young girls and teenagers will comprise three different sections:

- Developing their skills and their full potential and independence.
- Strengthening their knowledge of their rights in order for them to become a force for change.
- Encouraging civic engagement with actions that have a political impact in order for the girls themselves to promote exercising their rights in life, free from gender-based violence, abuse and inequality, within their schools and communities.

Plan International Brasil began back in 1937 and is currently operating in 69 countries. Their work consists of improving the lives of children and their communities over the long-term. More than 1.5 million children worldwide have received the help of this NGO.
The Asociación Filhas de Santa Maria da Providência, with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, has rolled out this project which seeks to cater for 300 children and young people from vulnerable backgrounds with a view to improving their family and community ties, and to contribute to ensuring their rights and those of their families.

The project consists of providing support for children from 11 months old and from 1 to 5 years old who are living through difficult social and personal circumstances. This project will provide preschool education for 300 children.

The project also concerns itself with their family setting with the idea of helping strengthen familial and community relationships, in order to guarantee the rights of young children and their families.

The Asociación Filhas de Santa Maria da Providência is an entity which has been working to provide an education based on ethical and humanitarian principles since 1962 and which provides young children with a comprehensive education thereby enabling them to develop to their full potential.
**Location:**
Niterói (Rio de Janeiro)

**Beneficiaries:**
220 children and young people

**Association partner:**
Fundación Real Madrid

**Lines of action:**
Nutrition

**CoMPREHENSIVE DEVELOPMENT AND STRENGTHENING OF FAMILY TIES**

Fundación Real Madrid, with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, has rolled out its Deporte por la Paz Social Sports School project for children and young people at risk of social exclusion in Niterói, Rio de Janeiro.

The aim of the project is to promote the comprehensive development of the beneficiaries of the project. For this reason they offer sporting and socio-educational activities such as soccer, crafts, workshops on reading and writing, IT, and arts and dance, among others.

The project also seeks to help the beneficiaries improve their family and community ties by inviting these same families to take part in the project through talks on different topics. Lastly, this project also includes career guidance in order to join the working world, and provides specific assistance to beneficiaries who have reached a minimum age.

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A SCHOOL WHERE CHILDREN FROM UNDERPRIVILEGED BACKGROUNDS CAN GROW UP

The Jatobazinho school, run by the ACAIA Pantanal organization, is a boarding school which provides comprehensive care to children at risk of exclusion in Mato Grosso do Sul.

Fundación MAPFRE has been collaborating with this project in which 60 children benefit from receiving high-quality education and a balanced diet since 2015.

In terms of education, the project caters for students from the 1st to the 5th year of grade school, with regard to health and nutritional care, establishing guidelines for prevention and nutritional advice, as well as clinical analyses. In addition, medical and dental care is also offered if need be.

The children also learn about culture, with painting, music, theatre and dance activities...The children therefore learn about and promote local cultural knowledge, as well as that of other cultures.

Acaia Pantanal started out as a subsidiary of the Instituto Acaia in 2006, with the idea of creating an environmental conservation area around the Baía Vermelha lake in Corumbá. The Jatobazinho School started its activities in 2009 with 39 children and adolescents with learning difficulties from the riverside communities.

Location:
Mato Grosso du Sud

Beneficiaries:
60 children

Association partner:
ACAIA Pantanal

Lines of action:
Education and nutrition
**Brazil**

**Location:**
São Paulo

**Beneficiaries:**
1,956 people

**Association partner:**
Fundación Julita

**Lines of action:**
Education and employment formation

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**SPORTS SERVING AS AN ENGINE OF DEVELOPMENT IN THE EDUCATIONAL PROCESS**

The Fundación Julita organization, supported by Fundación MAPFRE, launched its Comunidade em Movimento project in 2007 in São Paulo (Brazil) and assists 1,956 people living in vulnerable social and/or financial circumstances.

Their main objective is to democratize access to sports, using this as an agent of development in the education system and in the building of citizenship and promoting quality of life.

The beneficiaries of Comunidade em Movimento undertake sports and recreational activities which place a high value on a sense of community and social entrepreneurship.

The volunteers running the project’s activities for the community receive training and backing from the foundation.

The plan for the next cycle is to step up the training of the group of monitors in order to eventually get more people to attend and to extend its reach, as well as to take actions to contribute to the sustainable growth of the initiative.

The Fundación Julita is an initiative of the farmer and coffee producer Antônio Manuel Alves de Lima. It was created on 6 December 1951 on a 47,000 m² area of land. At that time, the main goal was to house the migrant families from rural areas of the country through a cooperative model where the families could live, plant, harvest and learn to read and write. In addition to housing and land for planting, assistance is also provided for their educational, dietary, and healthcare needs as well as professional guidance.
Aldeias Infantis SOS Brasil runs the Sonhar – Preparando vidas (Preparing lives) project, which Fundación MAPFRE has been collaborating on since 2014, in order to promote the empowerment and development of 500 adolescents and young people from low-income families in various cities in Brazil.

The project is aimed at young people from 15 to 22 years old, who carry out various related activities in three specific areas: education, work training and life training.

These activities are designed to ensure that young people stay interested in studying by working on relevant topics and holding workshops to help them acquire the necessary skills for entering the job market and encouraging those taking part to reflect on their responsibilities in life.

The project also aims to find opportunities, spaces and conditions in which teenagers, young people and their families can act and articulate their opinions, thereby encouraging good citizenship and social transformation. At the same time, the project explores cross-cutting subjects such as gender, racial equality and disabilities.

Aldeias Infantiles SOS Brasil is a non-governmental organization which promotes actions to defend and guarantee children’s, adolescent’s and young people’s rights through community development action and Advocacy. It operates in 12 federal units in Brazil, where it has been running for the last 50 years.

Location:
João Pessoa, Paraiba, Caicó, Araçoiaba and Pernambuco

Beneficiaries:
500 young people

Association partner:
Aldeias Infantis SOS Brasil

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition and employment formation
Rio de Janeiro and Suzano (São Paulo)

3,100 people

Fundación FC Barcelona

Education

The Fundación Fútbol Club Barcelona, which has been receiving support from Fundación MAPFRE since 2011 works on the socio-educational development of 3,100 young children and trainers through sports in Brazil.

The project consists of applying the FutbolNet methodology in two Brazilian cities. This practice is based on sessions in which children and young people have the opportunity, through sport, to moderate their own behavior in an empowering experience where positive relationships are reinforced and where they live out the values inherent in playing sports.

FutbolNet consists of playing a game of football in three parts with three basic rules that have specific objectives in mind: there is no referee on the field which means that conflict resolution is encouraged among participants, the teams are mixed in terms of gender, disability, abilities, backgrounds, etc. and ensuring that everyone is involved helps foster social inclusion.

FutbolNet is conceived as a change agent, the idea is for the teacher to establish a trusted environment which enables each student to be themselves and to voice their concerns.

The Fundación FC Barcelona has been working since 1994 on the basis of their experience in sports and the values they have learned. It promotes a course of action focused on conveying positive values to children and adolescents through harnessing the practice of sports as a way of promoting healthy and stable development.
**COMPREHENSIVE SUPPORT TO VULNERABLE CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS**

The Crianças e Adolescentes project of the Liga Solidária association, in collaboration with Fundación MAPFRE, provides educational and nutritional support to children and adolescents in situations of vulnerability living in the district of Raposo Tavares, in São Paulo.

The project benefits 500 children and adolescents between the ages of 6 and 14, and works to offer them comprehensive education so that the children can become citizens conscious of their rights and their potential for change.

Numerous activities of a cultural and artistic or sporting nature are made available in the program, among them: debates, sports, reading, computer technology, robotics and music.

The “Crianças e Adolescentes” program is based on the 4 pillars of education proposed by UNESCO: learning to be, learning to know, learning to do and learning to live together. These four pillars uphold the pedagogical efforts, while enriching the subjective, emotional, cognitive and cultural skills on which these efforts are based.

The Liga Solidária, founded in 1923 as La Liga das Senhoras Católicas de São Paulo, is implementing nine education and citizenship programs in the city of São Paulo. This institution benefits nearly 10,000 people a year— children, adolescents and adults.

**Location:**
São Paulo

**Beneficiaries:**
500 children and adolescents

**Association partner:**
Liga Solidaria

**Lines of action:**
Education and nutrition
BRAZIL

Location:
Palhoça, Manaus, Sta. Lueia, Vazontex, Illhéus, Taipa and Sede

Beneficiaries:
947 children and adolescents

Association partner:
Fundación Fe y Alegría Brasil

Lines of action:
Education and nutrition

COMBATTING DISCRIMINATION, EXPLOITATION AND VIOLENCE

The Fundación Fe y Alegría Brasil is carrying out the Grow up to Be — Education, Citizenship and Culture project with the support of Fundacion MAPFRE, which aims to improve the human development index of young children and adolescents.

The project encourages their return to, and permanence in, the school system, as well as their access to employment. It also places importance on the values of solidarity and mutual respect, artistic and cultural expression, and access to public services, all aimed at people at risk of exclusion in Brazil.

To achieve this, the Foundation runs workshops on citizenship and social values, radio, computer science, theatre, dance, music, karate, capoeira and other sports, art, training sessions with the families, nutritional guidance and food preparation. Counseling and foster services are also provided.

The aim is to prepare these young people to live in full social harmony, keeping them clear of any form of discrimination, exploitation or violence.

The Fundación Fe y Alegría Brasil has been carrying out its work in Brazil since 1981, where it works in 21 municipalities in 16 states. Its projects have benefited nearly 21,000 people.
Ação Comunitária, in collaboration with Fundación MAPFRE, is developing the Crê-Ser – Educación Complementaria project with the aim of promoting learning techniques and citizenship which stimulate the talent of children and adolescents.

Crê-Ser is a socio-educational program which manages the continuous training of the social educators and managers who work with the children and adolescents to promote, through comprehensive development, projects related to leading independent lives.

Besides its work with educators, the project implements direct actions with the children and adolescents. These actions follow the lines of sustainability, the guaranteeing of rights, life projects and overall development.

It is worth highlighting that these socio-educative practices are complemented with a strengthening of families as the promoters of their children’s development. This work is carried out through sensitization of and dialogue with the families, in meetings and workshops which promote reflection and action.

Since 1967, Ação Comunitária has been working on individuals’ development from the age they learn to write until they enter the job market. The organization tries to stimulate characteristics and potential of individuals from infancy so that they can develop their own skills and abilities.

**Location:**
Campolimpo (São Paulo)

**Beneficiaries:**
894 educators, children and families

**Association partner:**
Ação Comunitária

**Lines of action:**
Education
HEALTH, EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT FOR THE MOST DISADVANTAGED

This project, of the Sociedade Beneficente Israelita Brasileira Hospital Albert Einstein, supported by Fundación MAPFRE, offers comprehensive care to 1,475 boys, girls and young people from deprived areas. This initiative provides health care related to maternal health to those living in the district of Vila Santa Catarina and the neighborhood of Paraisópolis in the Vila Andrade district.

The care focuses on aspects such as a healthy pregnancy, breast feeding, primary care for the newborn and sexuality in adolescence. It also centers on preventing accidents in infancy, gender vulnerability, and prevention of violence to children, adolescents and women, the exploitation and sexual abuse of children, and drug abuse.

The project also works towards the incorporation —both socially and in the workplace— of the young people and women from the community of Paraisópolis, the second largest slum in São Paulo, with 80,000 inhabitants. Its objective is to unite forces and facilitate the integration of people at risk of being excluded from employment, promoting the economic and social development of the entire community.

The Sociedade Beneficente Israelita Brasileira Hospital Albert Einstein began its social activities in the 1960’s with infant care programs in Morumbi. In 1997 it created the Einstein Paraisópolis Community Program to help 10,000 children in one of the largest communities in São Paulo.
The Fundación Nuestros Hijos, with the help of Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out this project to provide care to children and young people suffering from chronic diseases so they can get back to their studies.

The goal of the project is to provide students and their families with full support so that these children can go back to school. The project also involves checking up on their progress and helping with any of the students’, their families’ and even the educational center’s needs.

The teaching staff who will be working with the beneficiaries are specialists in psychology, special education, pedagogy, social work, etc. Moreover, employment advice is offered to young people searching for employment.

The Fundación Nuestros Hijos was created in 1991 by a group of parents who had lived through the experience of having a child with cancer. This foundation has been working ever since then to offer a high-quality, free service for children from low-income backgrounds with cancer.

**Location:**
Santiago de Chile

**Beneficiaries:**
174 students and families

**Association partner:**
Fundación Nuestros Hijos

**Lines of action:**
Education and nutrition
Location:
La Pintana

Beneficiaries:
72 children and young people

Association partner:
Fundación Padre Semeria

Lines of action:
Education

EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT FOR CHILDREN LIVING IN VULNERABLE CIRCUMSTANCES

The Fundación Padre Semeria has been working on the Educational Support project, supported by Fundación MAPFRE since 2015, by means of which 72 Chilean children and young people receive proper educational support.

The program takes place in the Fundación’s Homes in Pintana, which houses children who have been living in vulnerable situations.

The program is structured in three complementary sections:

- Academic upgrading: this takes place from Monday to Friday and is run by each of the home’s educational psychologists. It focuses on the boys and girls arriving at the homes who have not gone to school before and have behavioral and learning difficulties that prevent them from completing a full day at school.
- Educational support: this is run from Monday to Thursday in the afternoons and is a time when teachers support children in their various tasks and studies and help them with study habits in general. It takes place in the study lounge of every home.
- Extra-curricular Activities Workshop: activities workshops are held on Fridays for unscheduled activities which seek to uncover the children’s burgeoning talents, and to work on their social skills and increase their self-esteem.

The Fundación Padre Semeria, founded in La Pintana in 1983, believes that education is a fundamental tool in helping underprivileged children escape from poverty.
The Casa de la Madre y el Niño organization, in collaboration with Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out its Casa Sueños project with the goal of providing opportunities for children living in poverty in Bogota.

Casa Sueños is a program which gives the young beneficiaries the chance to live in a foster family and to carry on with their university studies, since many of them have not had the chance to do this before.

The organization is committed to providing support to its beneficiaries throughout their entire journey, i.e. from when they enter the system (regardless of their age) until they are living with an adoptive family, and subsequently when they go to university and start building their own future. Without their help, having reached the age of 18, these young people would need to do this all by themselves with no support whatsoever.

The Casa de la Madre y el Niño organization, with 75 years worth of stories to share, was the first Colombian institution to promote adoption as the best way of reestablishing the fundamental rights of abandoned children in Colombia.
Location:
Bogotá, Medellín, Cartagena, Montería and Barranquilla

Beneficiaries:
1,900 young people

Association partner:
Fundación Colombiana para el Desarrollo

Lines of action:
Education

STRENGTHENING THE CAPABILITIES OF YOUNG COLOMBIANS AND IMPROVING THEIR FUTURE

The Fundación Colombiana para el Desarrollo (FUCOLDE) is carrying out the Values for Coexistence and Skills for Youth Employment project with the support of Fundación MAPFRE. Through this program it aims to improve the lives of boys, girls and young people at risk of social exclusion in Colombia.

The project follows two courses of action. The first works with young people between the ages of 12 and 17, generating protective environments and areas where they can strengthen their leadership abilities. These spaces develop reflective thinking and ethical practices, as well as the exercise of values: care, responsibility, solidarity, transparency and honesty, all within the framework of strengthening coexistence and the shaping of a community.

The second line of action works with those between the ages of 18 and 30, offering activities such as meetings and seminars which will strengthen their personal skills and abilities to find a job in which to flourish. Artistic expression will help them develop a self-sufficiency based on reflective thinking and aspects of positive psychology, allowing them to appreciate the opportunities they have within their reach.

The Fundación Colombiana para el Desarrollo (FUCOLDE) is a non-profit institution created in June 2012 with the objective of working internally and with different national and international organizations, public and private, and with cooperation agencies, to help overcome the structural causes of poverty. It aims to consolidate a more fair society through the implementation of social development programs, the development of new job-creation models and socioeconomic schemes in the quest for sustainable solutions for the communities which are the vulnerable victims of Colombia.
The Fundación NU3, in collaboration with Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out its Centro integral la chinita initiative, in order to provide assistance to children under the age of 14, young people from 15 to 18 years old, pregnant and breastfeeding mothers and elderly people.

The nu3 Centros Integrales (Comprehensive Centers) have been set up within these communities and are managed by the foundation. These centers seek to bring about the reincorporation into society of the communities it works with, through implementing food safety and nutrition, healthcare, education and income generation strategies.

Some of the actions taken in the different centers include promoting maternal breastfeeding and prenatal care, teaching about sexual and reproductive rights, early pregnancy prevention, promoting childhood rights and healthy lifestyle habits.

Fundación NU3 was established in 2005 in Barranquilla, Colombia, when faced with the large number of children in Barranquilla and the Atlántico department who needed access to nutritional and energy-giving food, something which is crucial for their proper growth and development.
COLOMBIA

Location:
Bogotá

Beneficiaries:
105 children

Association partner:
Fundación Dharma

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition and health

EFFECTIVE COMPANIONSHIP AND COMPREHENSIVE CARE FOR CHILDREN WITH CANCER

The Fundación Dharma, with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, provides a home and support to boys and girls with cancer in Bogota. The project makes it possible for 105 boys and girls between 5 and 18 years of age to receive the treatment needed for their illness, at the same time allowing them to continue with their academic development.

With this work, the Fundación is improving the quality of life of the children and their families through effective companionship which takes all their possible needs into account.

The project counts on the “Housing Program” which provides 26 places each month, and personalized attention to an average of 80 boys and girls a year. The “Academic Support Program” sees 17 recipients of grants in different universities, two in elementary school and at least three in total at elementary and other levels. In addition, the “Assistance and Guidance Program” and the “Recreational Activity Program” help the children face up to their treatment.

Since its founding in 1998, the Dharma Foundation has been providing help to children and young people with cancer and with extremely limited resources.
NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR TEENAGE MOTHERS

The Juan Felipe Gómez Escobar Foundation (JUANFE), is working on a project to improve the physical and psychological health of vulnerable children of up to two years and their teenage mothers, in Cartagena de Indias, Colombia.

Fundación MAPFRE has supported this project since 2015 by subsidizing the aid to infants and teenage mothers at the Centro Integral de Desarrollo Infantil (CIDI), reaching out to 240 beneficiaries.

The center aims to improve the social, emotional and cognitive development of the vulnerable girls and boys who range in age from birth to 24 months old, and offers them a variety of activities and resources.

CIDI provides health care (vaccinations, medical and growth check-ups) training (workshops on breastfeeding and diet, workshops on infant stimulation, and sessions on child rearing) and overall development (including motor stimulation and therapies for independent progress.)

The Juan Felipe Gómez Escobar Foundation is a non-profit organization which, since 2001, has been working to improve the living conditions of children and adolescents in situations of poverty in the city of Cartagena de Indias.
RESTITUTION OF RIGHTS
TO THE MOST VULNERABLE CHILDREN

The Fundación Ayuda a la Infancia Hogares BAMBI is working in Medellín, Colombia, offering health and nutritional care, and education, to vulnerable children in the area.

The project has the support of Fundación MAPFRE, and provides care to 35 children between the ages of 3 months and 6 years, offering food, health, and education, as well as spaces for the children to play.

All the activities offered at the center are focused on the personal safety of the children and restitution of their rights. They are carried out by a professional team formed by a doctor, a nurse, a nutritionist, a psychologist, and teachers.

These programs have been designed bearing in mind the socio-economic conditions of the families, with which the team works actively to strengthen the bonding.

The Fundación de Ayuda a la Infancia Hogares Bambi started in 1985 with the creation of the first home in the city of Cali. The model was subsequently copied in the cities of Bogota and Darien, and a few years later, in Medellin. In their more than 30 years of operation, at least 13,000 boys and girls have benefited from its projects.
GUARANTEEING THE PROPER GROWTH
OF VULNERABLE CHILDREN

Fundacion MAPFRE collaborates with the Foundation for the Support of Abandoned Children (FANA) in Colombia, by providing a proper diet to 87 children who live in the center run by the organization.

The beneficiaries are children, ranging from newborns to 2 years old, who find themselves in situations which violate their rights, be it due to abandonment, mistreatment, abuse or neglect and who now live under the protection of FANA.

Fundación MAPFRE gives financial support to provide the children with milk and the necessary nutritional supplements to enable them to grow up strong and fit.

The objective is to guarantee the provision of a high quality diet so that the children can maintain or improve their growth standards.

The final aim of the project is to ensure that the children grow up in favorable conditions which will foster their physical and emotional rehabilitation, and at the same time, favor their development, according to their specific needs.

FANA began in 1971, offering shelter, nutritional care and quality early education to abandoned boys and girls, thus helping to resolve their vulnerable situation and to restore their rights. FANA’s goal is to work for the children who need help, their families and the community, improving their quality of life and ensuring their proper development.

Location:
Suba, Bogotá

Beneficiaries:
87 boys and girls

Association partner:
Fundación para la Asistencia de la Niñez Abandonada

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition and health
**COSTA RICA**

**Location:**
San José

**Beneficiaries:**
1,500 children and young people

**Association partner:**
Fundación Pro Unidad de Cuidado Paliativo

**Lines of action:**
Education, nutrition and health

**WORKING TO IMPROVE THE CONDITIONS OF HOSPITALIZED CHILDREN**

The Fundación Pro Unidad de Cuidado Paliativo works to improve the quality of life of children and young people undergoing treatment in various medical centers in Costa Rica.

The project, with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, offers educational support, nutrition and healthcare along with help with social skills to 1,500 patients a year.

The goal of this program is to develop better care for children and young people with serious diseases who are living through difficult circumstances or have a terminal illness.

The beneficiaries have a deterioration of motor skills, posture and movement, around 25% require oxygen at home for lung conditions related to their disease, some of them have a tracheotomy and others are on ventilators.

They are provided with a respiratory therapist who help them and their families through direct care and in educating the patient, the families and their healthcare team.

The Fundación Pro Unidad de Cuidado Paliativo began working in 1992 to alleviate patients’ pain when there is no known cure due to the nature of the disease, and therefore they rely on comprehensive palliative care.
WORKING TO HELP CHILDREN WITH CANCER ENJOY THEIR YOUTH

The Daniel Project, run by the Asociación Proyecto Daniel Pro Ayuda a Jóvenes con Cáncer y Otras Enfermedades Crónicas has become an important tool over the last 8 years in helping children diagnosed with cancer in Costa Rica.

Fundación MAPFRE has been collaborating on this project since 2015 through funding the development of educational activities and leisure pursuits enjoyed by 300 children in the city of San José in Costa Rica.

The Daniel Project carries out recreational therapy in hospitals and provides psychological support as well as educational and leisure activities outside hospital so that young people with cancer do not miss out on enjoying their young life because of their illness. The project seeks to offer young people with cancer the necessary information to learn how to face their illness. They also support them through leisure activities that help them to cope with living with a cancer diagnosis without losing hope and to continue enjoying their life.

The Daniel Project, founded in 2010, is an association which focuses all its efforts on improving the quality of life of young people with cancer in San José. It has been a pioneering NGO in creating spaces in the San Juan de Dios and Hospital México public hospitals where they have provided much requested recreational therapy and companionship for patients.

Location:
San José

Beneficiaries:
300 children

Association partner:
Asociación Proyecto Daniel Pro Ayuda a Jóvenes con Cáncer y Otras Enfermedades Crónicas

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition, health and employment formation
The entity Fundación Real Madrid, with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, has rolled out the FRM’s Social Sports School project in Santo Domingo in order to combat child labor and crime.

This project, which was started in 2011 by the Salesian Society of the Dominican Republic, continues to offer comprehensive training to its beneficiaries, social development and help in reducing child labor and crime. Furthermore, another one of its goals is to improve the quality of life of child street workers or those living in at-risk situations.

The fact that football is on offer is mostly what attracts recipients and their families to this program although it also helps get children back to school and fosters social and family integration. The beneficiaries also receive training in values and improve their overall quality of life.

The Fundación Real Madrid works to preserve and maintain the historical heritage of the club, to foster the values inherent in sport as their main asset, to encourage comprehensive children and young people’s education and bring about the social inclusion of vulnerable populations. Since the first school was created in Argentina in 2003, the foundation’s work has grown considerably and it currently has 261 schools in more than 72 countries on five continents where more than 33,986 children and young people from at-risk backgrounds benefit from their work.
INCLUSIVE EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

The Fundación InteRed, supported by Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out this project designed to train teaching staff from the country’s educational system and CAID staff, in order to ensure they are providing an inclusive education.

The project seeks to establish a training process for teaching staff in order for them to go on to reflect these practices in their classes they teach their students. The entire process will be complemented by back-up and support in the classroom to consolidate their learning.

They also propose incorporating training and awareness-raising for the management teams of educational centers, i.e. management and coordinators, educators and counselors, as well as the students’ families.

InteRed is an NGO which was founded in 1992 and promoted by the Teresian Association. It serves as a network to exchange ideas and promote solidarity among societal groups, towns and cultures from the north and south. Since its inception, it has taken the long-standing tradition of the Teresian Association as its reference and has a social and educational outlook.
DOMINICAN REP.

Location:
Barahona

Beneficiaries:
326 people

Association partner:
Amanecer Infantil

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition, health and employment formation

COMPREHENSIVE CARE FOR AT-RISK FAMILIES

The Amanecer Infantil organization, together with Fundación MAPFRE’s collaboration, runs the Centro de Atención Integral Infantil (Comprehensive Children’s Care Center), in Barahona, Dominican Republic, which benefits more than 326 people.

This center, built by Amanecer Infantil in 2010, offers comprehensive care for children from birth to six years old who have been abandoned, abused, mistreated and are suffering from severe malnutrition.

The organization also works with the children’s parents in order to help them integrate into society. This means that parents can then give their children the care they need.

The center has professionals from different discipline working to offer the necessary care to all the beneficiaries: a teaching team for children and parents: teachers, a psychologist, a counselor and coordinator; children’s and health caregiver teams: nurses, carers, doctors and pediatricians; a team working on social and family issues: social workers, a psychologist, a lawyer and a doctor; an auxiliary team: for other additional tasks such as cooking, cleaning, obtaining supplies and maintenance work.

Amanecer Infantil is a Spanish NGO which began back in 2007 with the goal of providing comprehensive care to at-risk young children (from birth to six years old) in the Dominican Republic. It is battling this situation through the Children’s Care Center, and also works with the children’s parents in order to support them in providing their children with the necessary care.
A NEW FUTURE FOR GROUPS OF VULNERABLE YOUNG PEOPLE

The Asociación Nuevos Caminos, with the support of Fundacion MAPFRE, is working on an educational program for boys, girls and young people in the slums of Sabana Yegua, Azua in the Dominican Republic.

The project looks after 49 children and young people and has had the support of Fundacion MAPFRE since 2013. The aim is to offer new opportunities to those in vulnerable situations, and give them the choice of a good education to prepare them to face their future with optimism.

Nuevos Caminos offers help in two ways: one is by granting scholarships to needy children and young people to attend the school in Azua. The other provides financial support to university students in Sabana Yegua, covering the cost of their courses and transport.

Through adult literacy programs, tutoring of children, and care for the elderly, the project also encourages the adults who have benefited from this initiative to demonstrate to the rest of their community how they can be helped by a good education.

Nuevos Caminos is a Spanish NGO which has been committed for more than 35 years to developing communities where it has a presence in Latin American and African countries. Its aim is to work in communities lacking social and economic resources, in order to generate opportunities so that people can build themselves a better future.
FIGHTING THE EFFECTS OF MALNUTRITION

The Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos Foundation in San Pedro de Macorís is carrying out a project which offers housing, support, education, medical attention and care for children without resources, in a safe and warm family atmosphere.

Fundacion MAPFRE has been working with NPH on this project for the last 6 years, collaborating on a nutritional program directed at the most vulnerable children, aiming to counteract the negative effects that child malnutrition produces in the short and long term.

The program, which looks after 222 boys and girls, includes rigorous monitoring to track the children’s growth, a selection of daily menus specifically adapted to their needs and strict program reviews, as well as expert medical follow-up by the center’s team.

The Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos organization began in 1954, in Mexico, where the first center was set up. More than 18,500 girls and boys with health and malnutrition problems have passed through NPH homes over the last 64 years.
EMPOWERING WOMEN THROUGH TRAINING AND LEADERSHIP

The Manabi Association, together with the Mujeres Santa Marta Association, seeks to strengthen female leadership through comprehensive training.

The project’s principal training areas, supported by Fundación MAPFRE, are: strategies for building spaces where equal participation and decision-making takes place and strategies for investing in local and sustainable development.

This collaboration, which benefits 40 women, aims to provide new opportunities to these women, through the training and systematization of a comprehensive social and financial management model.

The Manabi Association seeks to bring about cooperation in the development of the areas of education, job training, women’s advancement, protection of children, health promotion, community strengthening, sustained social and economic development, as well as cooperation in developing cultural activities.
**ECUADOR**

**Location:**
Quito

**Beneficiaries:**
308 boys and girls

**Association partner:**
Fundación Sembrar y CESAL

**Lines of action:**
Education

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**PSYCHO-PEDAGOGIC AND EMOTIONAL CARE FOR CHILDREN IN SITUATIONS OF VULNERABILITY, AND THEIR FAMILIES**

The Fundación Sembrar and CESAL are working to develop child day care centers in the barrios of Pisullí y Roldós, in Quito, Ecuador.

The main objective of these centers is to provide comprehensive support (through psycho-pedagogic and emotional care) to vulnerable children from 1 to 5 years of age.

**Fundación MAFRE** collaborates with this project, which looks after the children while their parents work, or while they carry out activities which may compromise the safety of the children.

Additionally, complementary activities related to nutrition, environmental education and the support and training of the parents are offered.

This collaborative effort benefits 308 people, divided into direct beneficiaries (161 children,) 5 mother educators, 1 early childhood educator and 141 parents.

CESAL is an NGO which has been involved in international cooperation since 1988. Currently it is present in 12 countries of Latin American and Africa, carrying out projects related to education, health, housing, water and sanitation, productive development, small businesses, and training for employment and the strengthening of civil society.
ENSURING THE CORRECT DEVELOPMENT
OF VULNERABLE CHILDREN

The Fundación Sor Dominga Bocca carries out the Working for a future project with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, through which it cares for 21 girls who have suffered mistreatment, psychological, physical and sexual abuse in the city of Guayaquil, in Ecuador.

Thanks to this program the young people receive housing, health care, a balanced diet, academic education and school supplies with the aim of ensuring their correct development.

The aim of this program is to reintegrate the children into society through individual and group therapies, workshops and talks, and training for the girls’ families.

The project creates spaces which help channel communication and to manage the psycho-affective feelings generated by abuse and mistreatment. By working on their self-esteem, these girls can become psychologically and emotionally healthy people.

The Fundación Sor Dominga Bocca is a non-profit organization which began its work on July 1, 1997, in the city of Guayaquil, with young and adolescent girls who had been rescued from severely problematic homes. The girls are offered a suitable environment to take care of their needs for protection and to facilitate their comprehensive development in order to improve, strengthen and restore family ties, while the situation which motivated their institutional foster care is resolved.

Location: Guayaquil
Beneficiaries: 21 girls
Association partner: Fundación Sor Dominga Bocca
Lines of action: Education, nutrition and health
EL SALVADOR

Location:
San Salvador, Cuscatlán, La Libertad, Santa Ana and San Miguel

Beneficiaries:
265 children and young people

Association partner:
Fundación Real Madrid

Lines of action:
Education

COMPREHENSIVE TRAINING THROUGH SPORTS

The Fundación Amigos del Real Madrid, in collaboration with Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out this Social Sports Schools project in order to provide an intersectional and holistic education with sports at the center of its methodology.

The goal is to train children and young people who are exposed to risks on the streets, through the practice of sports. They will be trained in several different areas: sports, social and educational skills as well as an area devoted to additional activities.

The idea is to positively influences the habits and behavior of the students through character building, promoting good hygiene habits and though enabling them to voice their personal and future aspirations. Moreover, this training will be carried out together with their family, which will have a bigger impact on them and will place a high value on their well-being and fulfilling their rights and duties.

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CONSTRUCTING SPACE FOR PEACE FOR UNDERPRIVILEGED FAMILIES

EL SALVADOR

The Constructing space for peace project, developed by the CINDE Foundation with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, strives to promote a culture of peace in communities plagued by societal violence.

Through school support and recreational activities, psychosocial care and learning through different artistic disciplines focused on developing psycho-social abilities, the organization seeks to foster an environment where the exercise of human rights, comprehensive development, protection, recreation and participation are guaranteed.

Furthermore, they work with the families themselves to try to change the cycle of violence in family settings, through training processes and spaces where families can get together and relate to each other. They also train groups of teenagers and youth leaders to take on a leading role in transforming their reality.

The project offers comprehensive education, including nutritional support, education and healthcare to 200 people (150 children and teenagers from 4 to 18 years old and 70 parents or guardians).

Location:
Ayutuxtepeque and Ciudad Delgado

Beneficiaries:
220 people

Association partner:
Fundación CINDE

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition and health
EL SALVADOR

Location:
Soyapango and Mejicanos

Beneficiaries:
375 children and adolescents

Association partner:
Fundación CINDE

Lines of action:
Education and nutrition

EDUCATIONAL AND NUTRITIONAL CARE FOR NEEDY CHILDREN

The CINDE Foundation, with the collaboration of Fundación MAPFRE, carries out this project for the educational and nutritional care of 375 children and adolescents from 2 to 15 years of age.

The project benefits the sons and daughters of poor women who engage in street peddling in the districts of Soyapango and Mejicanos in the country’s capital, San Salvador.

Through the two Infant Development Centers (CINDE), the Foundation cares for the children from 2 to 6 years of age, and offers help with studies to the students from 7 to 15 years old.

In addition to educational support, the children receive nutritional care. For the young children in day care this means breakfast, lunch and a snack and a glass of milk; and in the case of the older children, lunch and refreshment.

Concurrently, bimonthly awareness training is carried out with the parents through training workshops focusing on themes which can help them with the education of their children.

The CINDE Foundation is a non-profit organization which has been working in El Salvador for 28 years, supporting children and young people from excluded social sectors, through quality comprehensive educational programs and balanced nutritional care.
GARANTIZING THE PROTECTION OF THE MOST VULNERABLE SOCIAL GROUPS

The Asociación Civil Mensajeros de la Paz is carrying out a program of comprehensive care for disabled people called Hogar Mensajeros de la Paz, located in Colonia San Francisco in San Salvador.

The project, which counts on the support of Fundación MAPFRE, works on the promotion of the rights of people with disabilities and currently offers comprehensive care to 9 seriously disabled persons for whom the State provides no institutional care.

The beneficiaries come into the program as children and receive the best care possible given the seriousness of their situations. The center counts on qualified health personnel who offer support to the beneficiaries at medical appointments, with the administration of medicines, and physical and occupational therapy.

In addition, they benefit from the provision of a healthy diet, clothing, recreation and culture.

Mensajeros de la Paz—El Salvador was formed with the fundamental mission of working on behalf of the most vulnerable members of society, and in particular on the promotion of the rights of people with disabilities within the framework of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, ratified by El Salvador in 2007.

Location:
San Salvador

Beneficiaries:
9 disabled young people

Association partner:
Asociación Civil Mensajeros de la Paz

Lines of action:
Nutrition and health
GERMANY

Location:
Berlín

Beneficiaries:
170 children

Association partner:
Die Arche

Lines of action:
Nutrition

A WARM MEAL SHARED TOGETHER FOR UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILDREN

The Die Arche organization provides a free daily breakfast to the children at its school, with Fundación MAPFRE’s support. The project was the response to a need they had uncovered, namely that for many families having a warm meal together does not form part of their daily routine.

In the Ark center, a healthy and varied diet for children contributes significantly to ensuring they have a productive day which they can make the most of.

The project includes the children’s participation, letting them know their preference in order to create a meal plan that works for them. They also take into account the customs of migrant children.

The organization believes that eating together is a special moment when you can talk to your children and nurture personal relationships. Experiencing an atmosphere of acceptance in their home.

The Ark’s employees are happy to listen to the children’s problems and joys and also teach them to respect what they are eating and to behave properly at the table.

Die Arche fights against childhood poverty in Germany by caring for the children taking part in their out-of-school program and offers them free meals and help with their homework, emotional support in order to empower and inspire them, and sports and musical activities.
The Manabi Association works to train women from the zone 7 neighborhoods of Guatemala City in entrepreneurship and to be Geriatric nursing assistants. These women are suffering from social exclusion and extreme poverty and have been victims of domestic and societal violence.

The goal of this project, in conjunction with Fundación MAPFRE, is to broaden the employment opportunities of women in this zone in Guatemala through training in the two areas mentioned.

The project directly benefits 40 women and will reach its objectives through facilitating its beneficiaries with employment skills, training in micro entrepreneurship, ongoing training and knowledge of labor rights and specific women’s rights. Providing analytical tools, creating spaces for debate and empowerment for them; and also offering them the necessary training in the areas of geriatrics and the fight against domestic violence.

The Manabi Association seeks to bring about cooperation in the development of the areas of education, job training, women’s advancement, protection of children, health promotion, community strengthening, sustained social and economic development, as well as cooperation in developing cultural activities.
GUATEMALA

**Location:**
Huehuetenango and San Juan de Sacatepéquez

**Beneficiaries:**
1,248 people

**Association partner:**
Fundación World Vision Internacional

**Lines of action:**
Nutrition and health

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**IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF LIFE OF COMMUNITIES AT RISK OF EXCLUSION**

The World Vision International Foundation with the backing of Fundación MAPFRE, runs the Collaborating on improving the health, nutrition and hygiene of children from San Juan Sacatepéquez y Huehuetanango, project in Guatemala.

The program benefits 800 children under 5 years old who receive assistance in order to improve their health, nutrition and hygiene. Furthermore, it strengthens local management skills, particularly those of the women in these communities.

These improvement are carried out through the training and enhancement of Community Health Committees, through care provided for pregnant women and newborn babies and through workshops focusing on how to make the most of the nutritional value of foods.

The goal of the project is for beneficiary communities to improve their quality of life and to adopt new practices the make the project’s involvement sustainable.

The World Vision Foundation is an international development and humanitarian aid organization, dedicated to the wellbeing and protection of children. Our commitment involves fostering holistic development, providing emergency aid, promoting justice and gaining public and private allies for the protection of our most vulnerable children.
A STABLE AND SAFE HOME
FOR THE VULNERABLE CHILDREN

The Pueblo de Niños project of Casa Guatemala, which for the last 5 years has counted on the support of Fundación MAPFRE, benefits 500 people in situations of vulnerability in Río Dulce, Guatemala.

The center, located some 275 kms northeast of Guatemala City, not only includes homes, but also classrooms, a library, a farm school, spaces for crafts workshops, greenhouses, and a medical clinic. Transportation services are available to those registered at the community as well as to those who need the support of Casa Guatemala.

The “Pueblo de Niños,” began with the aim of offering a stable home in a healthy environment, surrounded by protection, security and the necessary stimuli for an adequate education. Not to mention offering alternatives which develop quality of life, such as the necessary medical services.

Casa Guatemala has been working for more than 40 years for the children in situations of vulnerability in the indigenous communities of Río Dulce. Today the team is made up of teachers, staff and international volunteers.
HONDURAS

Location:
Santa Rosa Copan, Tegucigalpa, Choluteca, Tela and La Ceiba

Beneficiaries:
245 adolescents and young people

Association partner:
Aldeas Infantiles SOS Honduras

Lines of action:
Education

HELPING TO MAKE THE TRANSITION PROCESS INTO ADOLESCENCE EASIER FOR VULNERABLE YOUNG PEOPLE

Aldeas Infantiles SOS Honduras works towards bringing about the self-sufficiency of young people at risk of social exclusion in Honduras, with the support of Fundación MAPFRE.

The goal of the project is to ease their transition process towards self-sufficiency by means of a number of different alternatives which cater to the needs and interests of the young people taking part and to support them on this journey within a framework of respect and freedom.

245 adolescents and young people benefit from this project which runs activities that encourage young people in their community to take part and includes educational activities that enable them to become positive mentors for other young people involved in the project.

During this stage the organization works with two main activities, the first consisting of a Youth Club in each SOS Children’s Villages city where the beneficiaries work on topics such as rights, gender, changes that occur in adolescence, life projects, etc.

The second activity, which involves a Youth Counselor, promotes actions which encourage the development of personal skills and employability through new technologies: training processes in robotics and software development, an employability platform and laptops for the community.

Aldeas Infantiles SOS Honduras is an NGDO which works for the Children’s right to live in a family. The organization is dedicated to preventing the loss of family care of children and when it is lost, they offer them alternative care and work tirelessly to get the children back into their families and communities whenever possible or they help them find alternative family living arrangements.
Using new techniques in the education of people with learning difficulties

The Fundación Inspire organization, in collaboration with Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out this multi-sensory spaces project in order to provide an alternative training method for people with learning difficulties.

The goal of the project that Inspire proposes is to focus on the information we receive through our senses and how these can help us in the teaching process. This organization proposes an alternative educational method which boosts sensory stimulation through multi-sensory spaces.

With the help of a professional and certified guide, people with disabilities, the beneficiaries of this project, will have the opportunity to stimulate their senses, to improve their emotional development, to develop their communication, social and motor skills; to reduce stress and improve their memory and learning capacity.

The beneficiaries of the service are people with various types of disability who already work with some kind of therapy and have been directed to this project due to their specific needs. This project has been practiced and tested for a number of years and is certified by “The National Autistic Society (UK)”.

Location: Bulebel Industrial State
Beneficiaries: 450 people
Association partner: Fundación Inspire
Lines of action: Education and health
Helping children and young people with disabilities

The Fundación Equal Partners supported by Fundación MAPFRE, is running a project helping young people with disabilities and their families control their own lives in Valletta, Malta.

This project which benefits 184 children and young people, places a special emphasis on assessing each individual situation, finding out background information and creating the best framework for each one of them, according to their needs.

Through this program they cover all areas of the beneficiary’s overall education: educational support, healthcare, nutritional advice and access to the labor market.

Specialized professionals work hand in hand with the families, in order to bring about positive outcomes in the lives of children and young people. It prepares them for adulthood, and places great importance on helping them with their independence, improving their quality of life, as well as fostering their inclusion and self-determination.

The Fundación Equal Partners has been working since 1998 to provide support to people with disabilities. During this time, it has grown from 12 founding members, all of whom are family members with a child with a disability, to counting on the support of more than 300 partners.
Promoting the Importance of People’s Individual Dignity and Abilities

Fundación UP UPADE, in conjunction with Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out its Comunidad MAPFRE-Panamerican University project designed to promote the value of individual dignity and abilities.

The project’s goal is to launch a number of different activities and advisory services for Pueblo de Santa Fe, in Mexico City. Tasks will be carried out in order to strengthen the beneficiaries’ education and enable them to gain access to the labor market; there will be health promotion through medical consultations; legal advice; the promotion of people’s overall health in order to have better community relations; and fostering development through female empowerment and teaching values.

The Panamerican University was founded in 1967 as a business school. The Instituto Panamericano de Humanidades (IPH) (The Panamerican Institute of Humanities) was raised to the rank of University in 1978. This educational institution currently boasts three campuses where around 12,000 students study and in which 33 different degrees are taught.

Location:
Santa Fe (Ciudad de México)

Beneficiaries:
14,000 people

Association partner:
Fundación UP UPADE

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition, health and employment formation
LOCATION: Oaxaca

BENEFICIARIES: 130 children and young people

ASSOCIATION PARTNER: Fundación Real Madrid

LINES OF ACTION: Education, nutrition and health

STRENGTHENING HEALTH AND EDUCATION THROUGH SPORTS

The entity Fundación Real Madrid, with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, has rolled out the We Grow project, in the FRM’s Social Sports School, aimed at girls, boys and young people from the Pintores and Monte Albán communities.

The goal of this project is to bolster their four main lines of action: sports practice, a socio-educational approach, health promotion and affectionate family relationships. In each of the areas mentioned, different aspects are worked on which encourage the personal, educational and social development of the beneficiaries through sport.

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The Casa de la Amistad organization, with the help of Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out its EDDOFO project which offers educational, emotional and training tools to empower children and young people with cancer.

The goal of the project is to provide the beneficiaries (children and young people) and those around them (families), with the tools to hone their skills and capacities. The goal is to help them to cope with the disadvantaged position they are living in by empowering them.

The idea is also to help them learn specific skills through workshops which will help them build life projects during their time in the project. In these emotional skills programs the idea is to boost self-esteem and learn how to transform adversity into opportunity.

The Casa de la Amistad is an institution that was founded in 1990 with the goal of offering comprehensive and free support to people with cancer from low-income backgrounds, right from birth to 21 years old. Since its founding, this entity has impacted the lives of over 8300 families.
MEXICO

Location:
Colonia Monte Albán

Beneficiaries:
150 children and young people

Association partner:
CESAL

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition and health

IMPROVING THE EDUCATION AND QUALITY OF LIFE OF YOUNG PEOPLE AND THEIR FAMILIES

The CESAL entity, supported by Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out its Accompanying a generation project, which it will be running in its María de Guadalupe Community Development Centre in the Monte Albán community and which has an educational approach and the goal of reducing the poverty of children and young people.

As mentioned above, the goal of the project is to bring about a reduction in the social gap of children and young people benefiting from the project. This is achieved through an intervention model comprising three areas for the beneficiaries: early childhood, education and nutrition.

Each one of these areas encompasses a range of activities: in terms of early childhood, the activities carried out are designed to make the most of their physical and cognitive skills; in terms of education, activities are held which will help them in their academic life; and regarding their nutrition, there is a canteen for them to eat in.

In addition to all of this, there are also specific awareness-raising programs for families, as a cross-cutting aspect of the project.

CESAL is an NGO dedicated to international cooperation since 1988 and is currently operating in 12 countries in Latin America and Africa through educational, healthcare, water and sanitation programs, productive development, micro-enterprise and training for employees and strengthening of civil society.
The Mano Amiga de Chalco organization, through the Transforming children’s and young people’s lives in Valle del Chalco works to bring about the complete transformation of individuals who do not have the same development opportunities due to their socio-economic status.

Fundación MAPFRE has been collaborating on this project since 2014, accompanying the organization in their work to offer a comprehensive education: one which is human, intellectual and replete with values, for children from low-income backgrounds from this Mexican community which began as an illegal settlement 40 years ago and which continues to lack some basic services.

The program, which benefits 419 children under the age of 14 aims to offer a high-quality education in order for children to gain the necessary skills to deal with life successfully, applying this knowledge and these habits and virtues in their daily life.

The idea is that this knowledge will help them in their intellectual, sports and moral development, thereby demonstrating positive and socially-responsible leadership.

The Mano Amiga de Chalco School has been working for 25 years in Valle de Chalco Solidaridad, educating more than 14,800 children and young people who have passed through their classrooms, between the ages of 3 and 18.
Location: Jalisco

Beneficiaries: 100 children and young people

Association partner: Campeones de la vida NR AC (Nariz Roja)

Lines of action: Education, nutrition and health

PERSONALIZED EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN OF LIMITED RESOURCES BEING TREATED FOR CANCER

The Red Nose School for children with cancer project, carried out by the Campeones de vida NR A.C association, and with the support of Fundación MAPFRE for the last 5 years, offers care to 100 people in Jalisco, Mexico.

The school offers free, quality education to children and young people with cancer or blood-related diseases and limited resources. The initiative provides educational support from primary to high school students.

The project arose in response to the high percentage of school dropout among patients with cancer, due to the difficulty of the treatments, the handicaps and injuries, and the bullying or serious academic falling behind resulting from the length of treatments.

Red Nose School offers a model of personalized education in which 50 face-to-face patients and 50 distance learning patients with cancer are brought up to the educational standard at their level, in an atmosphere which understands the illness and its specific needs.

The objective is that the children and young people can later enter the traditional educational system.

The Campeones de vida NR A.C Association (Nariz Roja) started in the summer of 2009 after perceiving the need for increased support of children and young people with cancer. The project offers free services of temporary housing, and a community canteen for patients and their families.
ADEQUATE NUTRITION AND EDUCATION IN VALUES FOR YOUNG VULNERABLE PEOPLE

The Fundación CMR – Comedor Santa María is accompanied by Fundación MAPFRE in their Feed a child program in Santa Fe, Mexico City, which offers a well-balanced diet and human training to 330 vulnerable children in the area.

The beneficiaries of this project are between 4 months and 16 years old or are pregnant or breastfeeding women who live in extreme poverty.

The first program of the project is the nutritional project by means of which the Fundación CMR offers a daily meal to children in order to support low-income families. These meals provide 65% of the Recommended Daily Allowance for the beneficiaries. They are approved by nutritional experts and worked on with the WHO.

The second program, entitled “Educate in Freedom”, seeks to empower children by providing them with tools to help them learn about universal values and so they can act in a way that is worthy of human dignity. This program works on developing their human abilities.

The Fundación CMR has spent the last 13 years working on the nutrition of children in Mexico and transforming their lives. It has developed its work in collaboration with the comedores Santa María and other organizations in 13 Mexican states.

Location:
Santa Fe (Ciudad de México)

Beneficiaries:
330 children and pregnant women

Association partner:
Fundación CMR

Lines of action:
Education and nutrition
**MEXICO**

**Location:**
Hornos (Ciudad de México)

**Beneficiaries:**
230 boys and girls

**Association partner:**
Fundación CMR

**Lines of action:**
Education and nutrition

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**NUTRITIONAL AND HUMAN EDUCATION TO ENSURE THE PROPER DEVELOPMENT OF CHILDREN**

The Fundación CMR – Comedor Santa María works on the Feed a child program in Hornos, Mexico City. The project, which is supported by Fundación MAPFRE, offers a full meal during the entire school year for children living in extreme poverty.

The goal of the “Comedor Santa María” project is to offer specialized care to children from 4 to 16 years old who are having trouble meeting their basic subsistence and development needs.

The project is focused around a nutritional program where the Fundación provides a healthy and balanced daily meal from Monday to Friday to 230 beneficiaries.

The organization also works on implementing a human education program which provides boys and girls with the skills needed to reduce violence, to encourage them to stay in school and educate them on how to be resilient.

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LOOKING AFTER THE FUTURE
OF YOUNG PEOPLE IN RURAL AREAS

The UPAEP (the People’s Autonomous State University of Puebla) is carrying out, with the support of Fundacion MAPFRE, the An investment in the future program which strengthens leadership and capabilities of students living at risk of exclusion in more than 50 communities in the cities of Puebla, Oaxaca, Guerrero and Veracruz, in Mexico.

The project provides a scholarship for studies, living expenses, lodging, and help in placing students from rural communities into the labor market to improve their present and future quality of life.

“An investment in the future” has been developed on 4 fundamental pillars:

- Social mobility: opportunities to access higher education
- Focus on gender: many of the beneficiaries are the first women in their families to enter a program of higher education
- Educational discrimination: reducing the barriers which students from rural communities encounter
- Community development: projects of intervention which favor the sense of belonging and commitment of young people

The People’s Autonomous State University of Puebla (UPAEP) was founded in 1973 and has as its motto: “Culture at the service of Puebla.” Presently more than 12,000 students study in its classrooms.
NICARAGUA

Location:
Managua

Beneficiaries:
430 boys and girls

Association partner:
Asociación Pan y Amor

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition, health and employment formation

COMPREHENSIVE EDUCATION FOR VULNERABLE CHILDREN

The Pan y Amor Association, with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, offers a wide range of support and social and humanitarian activities and services to children and adolescents at risk of social exclusion in Managua, Nicaragua.

The Association’s goal is to provide a good quality education, which, together with a balanced diet and medical and psychological care, enables young people from underprivileged backgrounds to successfully enter the labor market with a strong ethical, technical and scientific grounding.

This initiative is carried out in the Pan y Amor schools and covers basic studies (pre-school), primary, secondary, and even some technical careers. The center promotes education with values, and emphasizes finding each child’s calling.

This organization has been up and running since 2000 and offers hundreds of children the right to enjoy their childhood by getting them off the streets and providing them with an education focused on excellence and based on values, so they can shape their own destiny.
SPORTS AS A WAY OF ESCAPING FROM HIGH-RISK SITUATIONS AND PREVENTING SOCIAL EXCLUSION

The Fundación Real Madrid, supported by Fundación MAPFRE, have rolled out their *Panama Social Sports Schools* project in order to offer a viable alternative to children and young people who could be exposed to social risks such as gangs, drugs and broken homes.

Through sports, the Panama Social Sports School will help empower these children and young people and promote values and have provided the beneficiaries with three sports fields. They will also carry out a number of extracurricular activities, such as afternoon snacks, preventive healthcare talks and English and IT classes.

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**Location:**
Ciudad de Panamá

**Beneficiaries:**
200 children and young people

**Association partner:**
Fundación Real Madrid

**Lines of action:**
Education, nutrition and health
RESTORING RIGHTS TO THE CHILD POPULATION

The Asociación Ciudad del Niño de Panamá runs different programs to ensure the rights of the child population in La Chorrera in Panama City.

The Educational Program is an incredibly important scheme and has been backed by Fundación MAPFRE since 2015. Their goal is to support learning and improve the academic performance of students, ensuring that they remain in the school system and move up the grades as well as promoting their personal and social development according to their abilities.

The project caters to 216 children, adolescents and young people from underprivileged backgrounds and situations of social exclusion. The support offered is divided into different types: residential care, day-care, pre-school and post-school support and strengthening the family.

The beneficiaries receive uniforms, school materials, transport services, tutoring, support, libraries with internet access, IT classes, sports activities, vocational workshops, talks on human development and acquiring values, as well as psychological care and therapies if the student needs it.

At the end of the project the students will have passed the grade they are in and will have increased their ability to deal with the following educational levels thanks to having acquired more personal resources and greater independence.

The Ciudad del Niño association has been working since 1968 for underprivileged children, offering the beneficiary population the opportunity to develop and improve their lives and are therefore making a valuable contribution to social prevention for the Panamanian community.

Location:
La Chorrera (Cuidad de Panamá)

Beneficiaries:
216 children and young people

Association partner:
Asociación Ciudad del Niño de Panamá

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition and health
Through the Un Rayo de Luz para Cañazas y Ñurum program, the Asociación Pro Niñez Panameña provides food, education, recreational activities and healthcare to 7,500 boys and girls from 75 educational centers in Panama.

This project, which is supported by Fundación MAPFRE, has been working since 2000 to improve the quality of life of children at risk of exclusion and their families in Cañazas y Ñurum.

Providing food in order to make lunch in the schools, teaching about school nutrition and delivering meals for low-income families are some of the measures that the organization carries out. In addition, it includes a school gardens project where the students plant fruits and vegetables to include in the meals sent to families.

It also works to make technology accessible to children by using these technological resources in their teaching techniques and they also offer scholarships to encourage students to stay in school.

In terms of their health policies, Pro Niñez Panameña has set up a medical clinic which serves 2000 people and includes a nurse providing emergency care as well as a dental care service.

Founded in 1981, the Pro Niñez Panameña association is fully committed to children’s development with programs aimed at improving education, diet, healthcare and play in homes, canteens, difficult to access schools and a model school.

**Location:**
Cañazas and Ñurum

**Beneficiaries:**
7,500 boys and girls

**Association partner:**
Pro Niñez Panameña

**Lines of action:**
Education, nutrition and health
PANAMA

Location:
Corregimiento de Felipillo

Beneficiaries:
81 women

Association partner:
Voces Vitales de Panamá

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition, health, empowering and employment formation

PROMOTING THE PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL POTENTIAL OF TEENAGER MOTHERS

The Voces Vitales de Panama association, together with Fundación MAPFRE, is working on the Las Claras, liberating the potential of teenager mothers project which aims to create and maintain opportunities for adolescent mothers in the area of Corregimiento de Felipillo, Panama.

The project is made up of five programs. When combined, they promote the development of the teenager mothers’ capabilities, helping them develop personal and productive potential, both at an individual level and, with their new family, at a community level.

The different programs include all the components needed for increasing these young women’s potential: psychosocial, schooling, technical training and professional development, comprehensive health services, and early childhood and affective development.

Voces Vitales de Panama is an association which encourages women’s participation and promotes their education, health and access to equal opportunities, in order to achieve profound social change. The association has trained more than 7,000 women since it was founded.
INCREASING THE EDUCATIONAL OFFER FOR THOSE WITH LIMITED RESOURCES

The Misión para la Educación y el Deporte organization, with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, has created a model school serving disadvantaged children. The center is in the neighborhood of Mbachio, in Lambaré, where there is little chance of receiving an education.

The school provides a quality education for primary and secondary students, and offers training for jobs urgently needed by the community, in addition to providing health services. In short, it works towards the comprehensive development of individuals, based on health and education, and sporting recreation which is instructive and encourages responsibility.

The Misión para la Educación y el Deporte organization set up a small medical clinic and chapel 12 years ago which have gone on to become a sports center serving the local community. This second part of the project was started with the aim of offering the community a school which would meet their educational needs.

Location:
Lambaré

Beneficiaries:
289 children and young people

Association partner:
Misión para la Educación y el Deporte

Lines of action:
Education and health
Fundación Real Madrid, with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, have launched this Real Itaguá Social Sports School with the idea of providing well-rounded training to the project’s 130 beneficiaries, some of whom are living at risk of social exclusion.

The aim of the project is to contribute to this training through preventive and socio-educational action. With this end in mind, a number of activities are organized such as sports activities, school support classes and talks on the transmission of values, activities to bring about familial integration and also recreational activities.

This project not only focuses on its beneficiaries, but also on their family surroundings, with activities which broaden their opportunities for personal, family and community development.

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**Improving the Quality of Life of Underprivileged Children**

Fundación ALDA is running a project to improve the developmental levels of children from 2 to 4 years old in three settlements in Guarambaré, Paraguay.

Fundación MAPFRE has been collaborating on this project which has benefited 150 underprivileged people since 2012.

Through direct support for children, training for the children’s parents and guardians and through strengthening civil society, the project aims to increase access to basic foods and to offer high-quality education and training from early infancy, with programs designed to prevent early school dropout and through the creation of a protective environment for children.

The project’s overall aim is to help contribute to improving the quality of life of the children and young people at the Guarambaré Community Care Center which has been operating since 2009.

**Location:**
Guarambaré

**Beneficiaries:**
150 children and their families

**Association partner:**
Fundación ALDA

**Lines of action:**
Education and nutrition
PARAGUAY

**Location:**
Asunción

**Beneficiaries:**
200 people

**Association partner:**
Fundación de ayuda al niño y adolescente con cáncer y leucemia (ASOLEU)

**Lines of action:**
Education and nutrition

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**IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF LIFE OF YOUNG PEOPLE WITH CANCER**

The Fundación de ayuda al niño y adolescente con cáncer y leucemia (ASOLEU), in conjunction with Fundación MAPFRE, works to provide parents with extra support to help them look after their children.

The Fundación works in the Hospital de Clínicas, which is part of the Asunción National University, where they care for patients with cancer.

Furthermore, through Hogar Soli, they offer accommodation and food to the beneficiaries’ families. The vast majority of these families come from other parts of the country and do not have the money to pay for accommodation near the hospital.

The patients also receive academic support, psycho-oncological care, both for themselves and for their families, as well as food and school supplies. The Fundación also organizes celebratory events so that the patients can get to enjoy themselves from time to time.

Fundación ASOLEU, founded in 1998, has spent the last 20 years carrying out humanitarian work in order to ensure holistic treatment for children and young people right from birth to up to 18 years old.
**FINANCIAL AND PERSONAL EMPOWERMENT FOR FEMALE VICTIMS OF EXPLOITATION**

Manos Unidas, in collaboration with Fundación MAPFRE, has launched this project which seeks to protect the rights of women at risk of social exclusion and victims of prostitution and sex trafficking; and also helps them with their financial and personal empowerment.

The project has a number of different aspects such as prevention, strengthening technical work skills, in order for the beneficiaries to empower themselves economically; tools to help them overcome these experiences.

The project also involves helping to strengthen the skills of local institutions, in order to ensure the proper follow-up of their rights.

Manos Unidas is a development NGO comprised of volunteers, founded in 1960. It works to combat hunger, nutritional deficiencies, extreme poverty, illness, underdevelopment and a lack of education due to injustice, the unfair distribution of goods and opportunities among people and populations, ignorance, prejudice, a lack of solidarity, indifference and a crisis of human values.

**Location:**
Lima

**Beneficiaries:**
930 women

**Association partner:**
Manos Unidas

**Lines of action:**
Employment formation
Fundación Real Madrid, backed by Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out its Warma Yachay Social Sports School project in order to provide an interdisciplinary education in which sports plays a leading role. This training is aimed at children and young people at risk of exclusion.

The project holds various football and basketball sessions in which other types of activities will also be included in addition to this training, such as: workshops to learn about values, sports placements, cultural excursions and extracurricular support to prevent students from dropping out of school.

Furthermore, the methodology designed by FRM will be taught to CESAL sports teachers and sports coaches in Huachipa.

The Fundación Real Madrid works to preserve and maintain the historical heritage of the club, to foster the values inherent in sport as their main asset, to encourage comprehensive children and young people’s education and bring about the social inclusion of vulnerable populations. Since the first school was created in Argentina in 2003, the foundation’s work has grown considerably and it currently has 261 schools in more than 72 countries on five continents where more than 33,986 boys, girls and young people from at-risk backgrounds benefit from their work.
CREATING NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR VULNERABLE CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

This program aims to foster the educational and social development of preschool, primary and secondary children and parents. This project is benefiting 2000 people from various locations in Lima, Peru who are living in vulnerable circumstances.

A whole host of activities are carried out, which comprise three main areas; the preschool socio-educational area: educational activities in nutrition and health, aimed at children from 3 to 5 years old; the primary and secondary school-aged children and adolescents socio-educational area: academic support, workshops on nutrition and health, recreational, cultural and free time activities which also involve parents; the third area, called the social training area for adolescents from Educational Establishments, encompasses social training, career guidance and the culture of business, seeking to prevent students from dropping out of school.

The CESAL association began its work in this area of Peru in 1998. CESAL is an NGO dedicated to international cooperation since 1988 and is currently operating in 12 countries in Latin America and Africa, carrying out projects related to education, health, housing, water and sanitation, productive development, small businesses and training for employment and the strengthening of civil society.
PERU

Location:
Lima

Beneficiaries:
9 students

Association partner:
UTEC (Universidad de Ingeniería y Tecnología)

Lines of action:
Education

UNIVERSITY EDUCATION FOR OUTSTANDING STUDENTS WITH LIMITED RESOURCES

UTEC (The University of Engineering and Technology), with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, continues working to offer opportunities to young Peruvians in the fields of science and technology in Lima, Peru.

The scholarship program benefits 9 students who have demonstrated good academic performance but have financial difficulties. They receive financial support in order to go to university, which will enable them to have an impact on their surroundings and their reality through science and technology.

The program conducts various workshops every two weeks in order to keep in constant contact with the beneficiary students and to keep abreast of any possible problems or concerns they may have throughout the academic year.

With this project, the beneficiaries stay motivated on their studies and on performing well in order to complete their university degrees. This means that financial concerns will not hinder them from getting a good education.
PROTECTING VULNERABLE CHILDREN

Fundación ESPRO, together with Fundación MAPFRE, runs the Pro-niñas project within the Casa Hogar Nazaret, a center which cares for children who have been abandoned in the suburbs of Lima in Peru.

ESPRO fosters children who have been abandoned and are at high risk of social exclusion and covers all their basic needs such as accommodation, support, protection and affection.

The project offers support and guidance to family members who visit the center, so they can learn about the Foundation’s work with the children and can eventually take on the responsibility themselves of educating and caring for the children.

All the activities carried out in the center are designed to offer a high-quality education in order to try to break the cycle of poverty that goes back several generations.

In addition, all of their efforts are geared towards developing skills to boost self-confidence and independence and they prioritize education as the means of strengthening social skills for the next generation.

Fundación ESPRO is a non-profit organization which aims to support and promote International Cooperation by creating a socially responsible culture among young people in order for them to take part in their national and international initiatives.

Location:
Lima

Beneficiaries:
18 girls

Association partner:
Fundación ESPRO

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition, health and employment formation
SUPPORTING THE POTENTIAL OF TALENTED YOUNG PEOPLE

The Da un Chance Civil Association offers underprivileged talented children the opportunity to go to private school where they can unleash their potential.

Fundación MAPFRE has been collaborating on this project entitled Da un Chance Scholarship Program which has helped 20 school pupils since 2016.

The students receive academic scholarships that cover their annual tuition fees, monthly school expenses, books, uniforms, medical insurance and extracurricular activities.

In addition to this financial support, the program works with the students on activities to boost their skills in order to guarantee their proper all-round development, not only academically but also socially and culturally.

The program also works with the beneficiaries’ parents, encouraging them to support their children academically, socially and emotionally within the school context.

Da un Chance is a non-profit organization which was founded in 2011 and seeks to build bridges so that talented children can make use of all their skills in stimulating study environments.
**THE FAMILY AS A TOOL FOR CHANGE FOR VULNERABLE CHILDREN**

The Proyecto Semillas Aprendiendo en familia, run by the Hogares Nuevo Futuro association and backed by Fundación MAPFRE, works to ensure the proper development of children in the most deprived areas of Lima.

The project caters for 777 people including the family members and teachers of children under 5 years old and is run in three educational institutions in the area. Corazón de Jesús, Santa Teresa de Chorrillos and SET – Pronoei “Cariñositos”.

The program seeks to strengthen and improve parenting techniques, and in order to do so, it focuses on two lines of action: group workshops and monthly visits to families.

The program also involves teaching staff, by means of strategies for treating children properly, as well as through imparting a more effective communication style in order to work with parents to bring about a healthy environment for the child.

The general aim of the project is to improve the internal dynamics of vulnerable families and those at risk of social exclusion, as well as to strengthen the role of the educational community, with regard to parental roles and the protective and socialization roles of its members in the Chorrillos district.

The Asociación de Hogares Nuevo Futuro Perú has been working for more than 20 years to prevent child abandonment and to set up residential care centers offering support to young children with and without disabilities who find themselves in the situation of having been abandoned. The association helps take care of them and assists them with their psychological and emotional needs.
Location: Santa Cruz, Davao

Beneficiaries: 308 children and young people

Association partner: Fundación Real Madrid

Lines of action: Education

REINSERTION INTO THE EDUCATION SYSTEM AND ACCESS TO THE LABOR MARKET THROUGH SPORT

The Real Madrid Foundation, with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, is launching the “Social Sports Program” project by the Anakk Santa Cruz organization. The main beneficiaries of the project are young people and children at risk of social exclusion who have grown up in families that lack resources.

The objective of the Social Sports Program is to help the beneficiaries of the project to be readmitted into the academic system, so that they continue with their studies and, later on, receive assistance when it comes to looking for their first job.

The Anakk “Social Sports Program” provides a healthy option for leisure time, using sport –specifically soccer– as its main tool. Using the methodology of the Real Madrid Foundation encourages the emotional, physical and educational development of children and young people, in other words their all-round development.

The Real Madrid Foundation works to preserve and maintain the historical heritage of the club, to foster the values inherent in sport as their main asset, to promote comprehensive education for children and young people and to bring about the social inclusion of vulnerable populations. Since the first school was created in Argentina in 2003, the foundation’s work has grown considerably and it currently has 261 schools in more than 72 countries on all five continents where more than 33,986 children and young people from at-risk backgrounds benefit from their work.
A HOME FOR THE MOST UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILDREN

The organization Kalipay, with the collaboration of Fundación MAPFRE, is running a project that provides a home, healthcare, social services and education to 101 young people on Negros Island in the Philippines.

The beneficiaries, of all ages up to 22 years old, are children who have not had the possibility to live in a safe home: children who are underprivileged, abandoned or orphaned, the children of armed conflicts, victims of child labor and trafficking, those in situations of dire poverty, homeless children, etc.

It revolves around a residence in which the children live and receive all of the care necessary for their all-round development. Staff including psychologists, social workers, a driver and a cook are all responsible for ensuring the well-being of these children and young people.

Kalipay also manages their medical care with the help of volunteer doctors, and the overall objective is that the children can enjoy the benefits of a safe home with their needs covered on both a physiological and emotional level.

Kalipay Negrense Foundation Inc. is an organization founded in 2007 that works to look after underprivileged boys and girls on the island of Negros Occidental who are abandoned, who live on the streets, who have suffered abuse or who have been victims of child prostitution rings.

Location:
Isla de Negros

Beneficiaries:
101 children and young people

Association partner:
Kalipay

Lines of action:
Nutrition, health and employment formation
PHILIPPINES

Location:
Parañaque, Manila

Beneficiaries:
300 people

Association partner:
Eugenia Ravasco Day Care Center Inc

Lines of action:
Education, nutrition and health

SOWING A NEW FUTURE FOR THOSE IN NEED

The Eugenia Ravasco Day Care Center, INC., with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, has been working for many years on the Seeds of Hope project through which it helps improve the living conditions of those in need.

Three hundred children and their families are the main beneficiaries of this project. They receive a comprehensive education which includes a balanced diet, necessary medical care, and training, allowing them to grow in many ways.

A number of workshops on handicrafts, nutrition, and dental and personal hygiene are held during the school year. Vaccination campaigns and treatments for parasites are also carried out.

“Seeds of Hope” also provides support to those who have no money to pay for medical, economic or emotional care.

The project’s objective is to provide and sustain a clean, safe, and warm environment to allow the children and young people to enjoy a safe and happy childhood, and the adults, to find the economic and emotional support they need.

The Eugenia Ravasco Day Care Center INC, a non-profit organization, has been working in Manila for many years in order to make for a better society by easing the burden on those who live in it. It gives special attention to child care but also provides support and assistance to young people and adults to whom it offers the tools they need to attain a higher quality of life.
SUPPLYING FOOD FOR UNDERPRIVILEGED FAMILIES

PORTUGAL

The RE-FOOD movement works with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, to ensure that vulnerable people have access to basic foodstuffs. More than 6,600 people benefit from this project.

RE-FOOD’s work consists of recovering food in perfect condition (which would otherwise have been thrown away), packaging it up and distributing it to those who need it.

This work is carried out locally, in small towns, The movement’s growth has come about organically through similar actions taking place in other areas.

The beneficiaries are elderly people who receive very small pensions which do not cover their rent, water, electricity and food. These are people living in acute poverty and although they have not had problems before, a lack of employment and income means they do not have enough to maintain their families, young people. All the beneficiaries do not have enough income to be able to provide their families with basic foodstuffs.

Re-food is an independent, citizen driven, eco-humanitarian, 100% volunteer community movement working to rescue food in good condition in order to feed people in need. The ultimate goal of this organization is to get the message across that food is a valuable item that must not be wasted.

Location:

Beneficiaries:
6,600 people

Association partner:
Re-food

Lines of action:
Nutrition and health
Location:
Lisboa, Sintra, Cascais, Gaia

Beneficiaries:
35 children and young people

Association partner:
Asociación Novo Futuro

Lines of action:
Health

PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT AND THERAPEUTIC SUPPORT FOR CHILDREN AT RISK OF EXCLUSION

The Asociación de Hogares Familiares para Niños y Jóvenes Nuevo Futuro has a mission to welcome children and young people at risk of exclusion in family homes in various cities in Portugal.

Fundación MAPFRE supports this project through their collaboration in implementing a psychological assessment and psychotherapeutic support system designed to foster the children’s emotional development through two main activities:

- The psychological assessment, whose goal is to use tests and techniques to objectively assess and describe the psychological functioning of a child/young person, as this provides a lot of information about their behavior and makes it possible to draw up a psychological profile of their cognitive and memory skills. This allows for a detailed diagnosis that ensures an adequate intervention suited to the individual beneficiary.

- Psychological or psychiatric support which encourages the child and young people’s emotional development in such a way that they improve their communication skills and can express their needs and difficulties. This activity will help them with their personal and social development.

The project currently benefits 35 children and adolescents from difficult social backgrounds who have not had a stable family environment and have often been exposed to abusive situations, negligence and physical and psychological mistreatment.

The Asociación Novo Futuro, founded in Portugal in 1996, is a non-profit Social Solidarity Institution whose main purpose is to provide physical, emotional and social care in their 8 residential homes to 73 children and young people from 3 to 18 years old, who do not have a stable family background, prioritizing groups of siblings.
A NEW HOME FOR YOUNG VICTIMS OF VIOLENCE

The Servicios Sociales Episcopales Association with the collaboration of Fundacion MAPFRE, is carrying out the Hogar Albergue San Miguel project which takes in 14 young people who have been victims of physical, mental or emotional violence in their family environment.

The beneficiaries of this program are children who have been brought up in broken homes, where their parents or those in charge of their custody have neglected their physical or emotional care.

The project, which is carried out in Ponce, Puerto Rico, works towards improving the children’s welfare, offering them a substitute family home where they can carry out activities which allow them to make the most of their education.

A social worker assists the teachers in providing individual study plans adapted to the needs of each child.

In addition to emotional and physical care, the center provides the children with uniforms, footwear, school supplies, and transportation to schools at elementary, secondary and higher education levels.

For 26 years, the Servicios Sociales Episcopales, Inc. institution has been providing service to those communities most in need. They provide care to teenage mothers, look after the children during the day enabling their parents to work, and run the Hogar San Miguel.

Location:
Ponce

Beneficiaries:
14 children

Association partner:
Asociación Servicios Sociales Episcopales

Lines of action:
Education
Location: Loíza
Beneficiaries: 25 girls and young women
Association partner: Hogares Teresa Toda
Lines of action: Education

Puerto Rico

Comprehensive Education for Girls and Young Women

The Hogares Teresa Toda organization, with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, has rolled out a project in Puerto Rico for 25 girls and young women between the ages of 6 and 17.

The goal of this project is to offer these children comprehensive education in order to prevent them from dropping out of school and all of the negative consequences that go with it. The project will focus, above all, on improving academic achievement in Spanish, English, Math, Science and Social Studies.

The girls taking part in the project will attend tutorials in the afternoon so their progress can be monitored. They will also receive medical care and will take part in other activities. These measures will lead to an improved personal and professional quality of life.

Hogares Teresa Toda is a non-profit organization which seeks to provide a permanent Home for girls and young women where they are surrounded by love, maternal care and support. It aims to offer comprehensive personal training and to develop women who are independent and productive members of society.
OFFERING NEW ACADEMIC OPPORTUNITIES TO UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILDREN

The Casa de niños Manuel Fernández Juncos, together with the support of Fundación MAPFRE runs the project entitled Scholarships for Education and Comprehensive Development for Children whose Rights have been Violated, which offers 15 young residents of their home in Puerto Rico the opportunity to go to private school.

The project seeks to help these children from difficult family backgrounds enjoy a safer school environment where they can make the most of their classes and aspire to greater things.

The scholarships cover school tuition fees and monthly costs as well as other expenses for their comprehensive development. In addition, the project includes the constant monitoring of the child’s adaptation to the new school environment with a view to ensuring their comprehensive development.

The Casa de Niños Manuel Fernández Juncos is a hostel for children, adolescents and young people from 8 to 18 years old. It has been offering a home to abandoned or mistreated children in Puerto Rico since 1929.

Location:
San Juan

Beneficiaries:
15 boys and girls

Association partner:
Casa de niños Manuel Fernández Juncos

Lines of action:
Education
**TOP-QUALITY EDUCATION FOR VULNERABLE CHILDREN**

The Hogar de niñas Cupey runs, with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, a Scholarship Program for the Education and Comprehensive Development of Mistreated girls, offering a high-quality education to 15 vulnerable children in Puerto Rico.

The beneficiaries are residents of the Hogar de Niñas Cupey and will study in private schools chosen on the basis of their profiles and interests.

The project also instills positive moral and civic values in the girls in order to help them successfully integrate into society.

The girl take tests to help decide where to send them and during the year there is a follow-up of the outcome. Their education is also boosted by a program of tutorials in order for them to reach their best possible academic performance.

Hogar Niñas de Cupey is a non-profit institution which has been carrying out its work in Puerto Rico supporting disadvantaged children and young people for over 60 years.
KAÇUV is working on a support program for families that have children with cancer with which Fundación MAPFRE has collaborated since 2016. The project benefits 2,000 mothers and fathers who need support in understanding their children’s illness and how to cope with it.

The project consists of an internet portal designed specifically for the parents through which they can find all the information they need to improve their coping mechanisms and knowledge of the anti-cancer treatments administered to their children.

Work is also carried out to encourage raising awareness about cancer and the importance of the healthy upbringing of children who do not have the disease.

The program continues by providing the families with videos of children who have survived cancer and also online seminars so that families can get answers to their queries from specialists.

The Hope Foundation for Children with cancer was founded in 2000 by doctors working in the Pediatric Hematology and Oncology Service at the Cerrahpaşa University Clinic in conjunction with the family members of patients who received their treatment there. Their philosophy, “Where there is life, there is hope” leads them to help the recovery of children with cancer, allowing them to return to participating as healthy members of society.
The TEV (Turkish Educational Foundation) is developing, with the collaboration of Fundación MAPFRE, a program to support the education of 71 students in Turkey.

The beneficiaries are successful young people with academic potential but who do not possess sufficient financial resources. The program is helping 41 undergraduates between the ages of 18 and 21 and also 30 more university students with disabilities.

The students are chosen by a Scholarship Commission, consisting of representatives of the universities they will attend along with a TEV representative. Once selected, the students will receive a monthly amount that is sufficient to cover the expenses of the academic year.

The Turkish Educational Foundation was founded in 1967 under the leadership of Vehbi Koç, together with a group of 205 benefactors determined to promote better education. Its mission is to foster a fairer and more equitable society in which young Turks who wish to study, but who lack the sufficient financial resources, can do so.
SUBSIDIZING THE EDUCATION

The Esenler Anatolian Medical Vocational High School, with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, subsidizes the tuition of Furkan Sahin, a 17-year-old student who lost his parents, and in spite of his good grades does not have the economic resources to allow him to continue his studies.

The Fundacion’s objective is to offer financial aid to the student so that he may receive a quality education; because of his family and economic circumstances he cannot face the costs of tuition on his own.

Furkan has a successful academic record. He has no funds for study and a complicated family environment, leading the High School to offer him, in addition, professional training so that in the future he might obtain these resources independently.

Since 2013, the Esenler Anatolian Medical Vocational High School has been working the education of students, with an emphasis on personal improvement and the search for development opportunities.

**Location:** Estambul

**Beneficiaries:**
1 student

**Association partner:**
Private Anatolian Vocational High School

**Lines of action:**
Education
The Darüşşafa Society manages a project that takes responsibility for covering the nutritional expenses of 55 under-14 year olds who are boarders at schools in Darüşşafaka, Turkey.

The organization is working towards providing a quality education on equal terms to talented youngsters who have lost a parent or find themselves in financial difficulties.

This nutritional care project, which has enjoyed a collaboration from Fundación MAPFRE since 2017, consists of covering the nutritional needs of 55 students at the center, who every day receive: breakfast, lunch and dinner plus mid-morning, mid-afternoon and evening snacks.

The Darüşşafaka Society, founded in 1863, is the first non-governmental association in the field of education in Turkey. It provides access to a quality education for young people who have lost one of their parents and find themselves in a disadvantageous financial situation.
BUILDING COMMUNITY THROUGH SPORTS

The organization Fundación Real Madrid, with Fundación MAPFRE’s backing, have rolled out their Newcomers Building Community Through Sports project in ENLACE, an academy within the Lawrence High School, which specializes in supporting newly arrived students in their English classes.

Through this program the idea is to encourage interest in sports, through a sports-based approach using basketball as their main tool. With this approach, students learn to help each other, they get help with their studies and improve their performance and, of course, it helps to awaken their interest in practicing sports.

This approach facilitates the integration of new students, as they can get involved in the sport groups of their new school, given that a number of them probably played sports back in their home towns. This program also provides another way for former ENLACE students to stay in touch with the project and help to guide the newly arrived students.

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Bottom Line, in conjunction with Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out its Bottom Line Worcester Program and Operations project which seeks to support newly arrived college students from low-income backgrounds and to help them complete their degrees.

Bottom Line advisors travel to each of the college campuses to meet with the students in person as often as is necessary during their degree course. This is how they ensure that the students are getting the help they need to overcome any obstacles they might be facing.

The project has achieved a 78% graduation rate in the last 6 years. In addition, the students are empowered and develop self-confidence.

Bottom Line serves students from low-income backgrounds who have just gone to college in order to help them adapt to the college environment and to finish their degrees. We have an unwavering commitment to creating solid connections with our students, offering them individual support and ensuring that they have the guidance they need to carry on studying and to gain their college degree.
Best Buddies International, in conjunction with Fundación MAPFRE, has rolled out its Pre-Employment Training Program, which will consist of mentoring young disabled people and assisting students before they join the labor market.

The goal of this project is to bridge the gap between the two aspects mentioned above, providing critical transitional services in terms of training disabled students prior to gaining employment.

The students will be able to finish their studies and enjoy special training to prepare them for the world of work and to develop their career paths. The program offers older students a series of more intense sessions.

Founded in 1989, Best Buddies International is a non-profit organization committed to establishing a worldwide volunteer movement that creates opportunities for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Best Buddies’ eight formal programs have a positive impact on over 1,090,330 people with or without disabilities around the world.
ENSURING AN EXCELLENT EDUCATION FOR VULNERABLE CHILDREN

Teach for America Ohio, with Fundación MAPFRE’s backing, works to ensure that a child’s educational opportunities are not determined by a zip code, the color of their skin or their family income.

The organization aims to ensure that one day all children in the southeast of Ohio have access to an excellent education. Since 2012, 140 members have impacted 12,000 students from marginalized backgrounds.

The organization believes that schools are the key to effecting real change in the lives of children growing up in poverty. To achieve this, TFA collaborates with schools in areas where members of the organization are working as teachers and even principals.

The project provides support strategies for teachers, including recruitment, developing leadership skills and coordination activities.

Teach for America was founded in 1990 and works in schools throughout the United States. Since it began, they have formed a community of 53,000 leaders who have confirmed that education can indeed change lives.

Location: Ohio
Beneficiaries: 371 teachers and students
Association partner: Teach for America Ohio
Lines of action: Education
CREATING THE CONDITIONS FOR A BETTER EDUCATION FOR UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILDREN

Teach for America Bay Area, with Fundación MAPFRE’s backing, is running the organization’s project which seeks to ensure a high-quality education for all children, regardless of their economic status.

In order to carry out this project they work on developing the talent and leadership skills of teachers in collaboration with the heads of schools in each initiative which helps them become better role models for their pupils.

The organization carries out the following tasks: increasing the number of teachers in the area, placing them strategically in order to have the greatest impact on pupils, improving teacher support and development, mobilizing participants in order to create the conditions for more excellent schools.

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NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS FROM VULNERABLE Backgrounds

Teach for America Massachusetts together with Fundación MAPFRE’s support, offers students from vulnerable backgrounds new academic opportunities through expanding community schools.

TFA concentrate their efforts on finding, developing and supporting a leader’s network which, through education, broadens the opportunities of underprivileged children.

The focus of their work consists of three parts, firstly, finding leaders. The goal is to find people whose professional careers stand out and who have demonstrated their leadership skills and values. They should set a good example for the children both in and out of the classroom. This process, once the person is on board, begins with two years teaching in a public school where they will work with the children and families most affected by educational inequity.

In the second part, TFA develops and cultivates the leadership skills needed to bring about change through education. They train leaders who go beyond traditional expectations and help students to attain both academic and personal growth. They will optimize their schools and improve their outlook, knowledge and skills as educators, defenders and agents of change.

The third part deals with supporting individual and collective leadership, relationships and learning from each other. Their careers are honed with the passing of time, the students connect with each other and with opportunities that have a high individual impact in order to have a high collective impact.

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The Head Start program, carried out by the Worcester Community Action Council, offers nutritional care to children at risk of social exclusion and to their families in Worcester, in the state of Massachusetts, the United States.

Fundación MAPFRE collaborates on this project which provides children with a healthy and nutritional full breakfast, lunch and snack. The meals are prepared in the Southbridge public schools and meet all the quality standards required by the United States Department of Agriculture.

The program currently serves 203 children from low-income backgrounds whose families are struggling to give their children a balanced diet.

The goal of the project is to guarantee the healthy and proper development of these children and ensure that they have the necessary tools for a successful future. Ensuring that vulnerable children have a healthy diet will help them to achieve their true potential.
**Location:**
Seattle

**Beneficiaries:**
6 young people

**Association partner:**
Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos (NPH)

**Lines of action:**
Education and employment formation

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**INTERNATIONAL TRAINING FOR YOUTH LEADERS IN MARGINALIZED COMMUNITIES**

The leadership project of The Seattle Institute, which runs the Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos (NPH) organization, and is backed by Fundación MAPFRE, invests in the development of six NPH college students every year.

This program organizes for the students to travel to Seattle and live with local host families for 6 months where they take part in leadership courses.

At the weekends the students take part in retreats and workshops organized by ILEAP, a non-profit organization that exists to “create more social justice and equity in the world and lift up and sustain the community-based leaders who are the center of social change”.

In addition, these 6 students are trained in a local community college: intensive English, job shadowing and service activities. They also help out with NPH’s fundraising efforts and hone their public speaking skills.

The students are supported and encouraged at all times by the program coordinator, the intergenerational mentors and the community members concerned with their growth.

Founded in 1954, Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos provides a family to orphaned and abandoned children living in extreme poverty. Over 3,400 children live in NPH homes in nine countries in Latin America and the Caribbean.
United Way of Webster and Dudley, with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, provides economic aid to 17 health and humanitarian organizations which work with more than 7,000 beneficiaries in the cities of Webster and Dudley in Massachusetts, United States.

Among the services offered by the organization are: food aid, help with paying rents, intervention in cases of domestic violence, adult literacy programs, dental health care in schools, legal assistance, and more. It aims to cover the needs of those at risk of social exclusion, and to improve the organization of mutual support and care among the community.

United Way of Webster & Dudley has been committed to working to improve people’s lives for 50 years. It works with the local community to preserve ties to family and friends, helping community members develop a healthy lifestyle and a bright outlook to the future.
URUGUAY

Location: Montevideo

Beneficiaries: 40 people

Association partner: Fundación Prointegra

Lines of action: Education

WORKING TOWARDS FINDING JOB PLACEMENTS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES

The Fundación Prointegra is working to improve the employability of young people with intellectual disabilities in Montevideo, Uruguay.

Fundación MAPFRE collaborates on this project which, through cognitive stimulation courses and trade workshops trains their students in social and work skills.

The students work with a psychotherapist who deals with each case on an individual basis, and provides them with different tools to manage their emotions, enabling them to behave better and improve their potential as employees.

The training programs include: social and emotional skills acquisition, self-esteem workshops, emotional management workshops, specific training in gardening, cooking, laundry, office work and graphic design.

The 40 beneficiaries range from 17 to 35 years old, and are from a middle class background and are from low to medium income families.

Fundación Prointegra was founded in Montevideo in March 2014, as an initiative striving to boost the social integration and employability of people with intellectual disabilities in order to improve their quality of life as well as that of their families and the community in which they live.
**FIGHTING SCHOOL DROPOUT AMONG THE MOST VULNERABLE YOUNGSTERS**

Fundación Los Pinos is working to reduce school dropout among children and vulnerable adolescents in Barrio Casavalle in Montevideo, Uruguay. Fundacion MAPFRE has been supporting this project since 2011 with the aim of improving opportunities for these youngsters.

This collaboration makes it possible to attend to 194 young people through educational support at primary and secondary levels, professional training, life skills and employability programs.

The project, named An option for the youth of Casavalle, also carries out individual monitoring of each student. Fundación Los Pinos considers it essential to form a strong relationship with the students’ families, to help create a favorable base for developing a desire for self-improvement, self-esteem and social skills.

Casavalle is one of the most depressed areas in Uruguay. The high level of poverty gives rise to situations ranging from lack of employment to social structure situations of difficult solution in the short and medium term.

Fundación Los Pinos was set up in 2016 following years of becoming established under the auspices of the Asociación Cultural y Técnica. The aim of the organization is to improve the living condition of the children and young people of the most disadvantaged areas, through the promotion, construction, administration and management of educational centers, whether they be conventional or non-conventional.

**Location:**
Montevideo

**Beneficiaries:**
194 young people

**Association partner:**
Fundación Los Pinos

**Lines of action:**
Education
ALLEVIATING NUTRITIONAL DEFICIENCIES AMONG STUDENTS

The Asociación Civil Fe y Alegría, with the support of Fundación MAPFRE, is carrying out a school food program to alleviate the nutritional deficiencies among the child population in Petare, Venezuela.

The beneficiaries of the project are students from first to third grade in primary school. A balanced breakfast is provided to 248 students.

The program arose following an analysis which showed that 21% of the students presented symptoms of inadequate nutrition, 11% suffered from chronic malnutrition, 4% suffered from severe malnutrition and 2% were obese. These deficiencies give rise to low academic performance, school dropout and conditions such as anemia.

Fe y Alegría is an International Movement of Comprehensive Education and Social Promotion aimed at the poor. Its objective is the transformation of society and it is founded on values of justice, freedom, participation, fellowship, respect for diversity, and solidarity.
The Somos Comunidad association, in collaboration with Fundación MAPFRE, is implementing this project in order to promote peaceful coexistence in the community and, in addition, to give students nutritional support.

One of the main objectives is that students develop attitudes that lead towards a personal and social transformation. The intention is to achieve this first part through leisure activities and the teaching of values.

Meanwhile, the second part will consist of nutritional support for the beneficiaries, including lunches and snacks, as well as food assistance and the teaching of healthy lifestyle and hygiene habits. There will also be informative talks aimed at parents about the importance of these habits. And lastly, the school’s students will undergo anthropometric checks throughout the term.

The “Somos Comunidad” Association, previously known as the Comunidad Camurí Civil Association, is a non-profit organization that was created in 1999 for the purpose of improving the quality of life of people living in the communities of Camurí Grande, Naiguatá and the surrounding areas, providing the opportunity to receive quality services at charitable prices. Currently, this body covers five different areas of endeavor: health, education, music, technology and community.
VENEZUELA

Location:
Barquisimeto

Beneficiaries:
60 women

Association partner:
Hogar San Vicente de Paul

Lines of action:
Nutrition and health

A HOME FOR IMPOVERISHED ELDERLY WOMEN

The Hogar San Vicente de Paul, with the collaboration of Fundación MAPFRE, provides a home and comprehensive care to 60 impoverished elderly ladies in Barquisimeto, Venezuela.

The project consists of various services aimed at improving the quality of life of the female beneficiaries.

The nursing service takes care of 20 women who are unable to look after themselves and who need comprehensive care. The care and dietetics service operates a kitchen for the 60 women run by staff.

The laundry service washes, irons and organizes the clothing of the elderly ladies as well as doing the laundry for the home and there is a life group service, by which around 40 elderly ladies live in small individual houses and rely on the support of workers from the center, who take care of their needs in order to achieve a better quality of life and to create an atmosphere of peace and happiness.
La Fundación María Luisa Casar, through the Jenaro Aguirre Education Unit and with the collaboration of Fundación MAPFRE, is providing comprehensive care centered on nutrition, education and health, for socially excluded people in the 24 de marzo neighborhood of Caracas, Venezuela.

The project provides a balanced diet for all the students at the school so that they can develop in the best way possible and fulfill their potential, despite the complicated conditions that surround them.

All of the children are provided with a wholesome balanced daily snack and lunch, healthy food that stimulates their growth.

The program benefits 1,350 people, through subsidizing the food served in the school dining room and provides medical care to the students.

This medical care is focused on analyzing the community’s general state of health in order to develop strategies to improve the hygienic and sanitary conditions of the area.

As a complementary activity, children in the classroom are given lessons about nutrition and health, they are provided with pediatric and dental care in the school’s clinic and family members are encouraged to become involved by providing them with nutritional information, so that they can complement the practices taught in school at home.

The Madre María Luisa Casar Foundation was created to guarantee the education, health and nutrition of students who live in conditions of extreme poverty and its objective is to raise and manage funds to expand, maintain and sustain the Jenaro Aguirre Elorriaga Education Unit, the School Dining Room, the Clinic and the communal services in the 24 de marzo neighborhood of Petare.
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