



Mercy Without Limits
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Mercy Without Limits Annual Report 2018

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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Greeting Friend,

This past year, events around the world have broken my heart. Nonetheless, whenever I'm discouraged by the realities of poverty, hunger, and disaster, I'm encouraged by the partners whose support equips Mercy Without Limits to offer life-changing help to those in need. In 2017, generous donors enabled us to come alongside children and families affected by conflict in Syria, genocide in Myanmar, refugees in the Middle East, and more.

Today, perhaps more than ever, our world needs people of action. Children and families living in poverty need courageous people who act with conviction. Mercy Without Limits is continually grateful for those whose conviction is giving children, families, and communities the leverage they need to live fulfilling lives. In the year ahead, we remain committed to build a better world for children, women, and families.

On behalf of everyone at Mercy Without Limits, we would like to thank you for your continued support and commitment towards improving the lives of orphans, widows, and refugees all around the world.

Best,

Mohamad Naser Albadawi
Chairman of the Board/President

ABOUT MERCY WITHOUT LIMITS

Since its establishment in 2012, MWL has been dedicated to addressing humanitarian needs for orphans, widows, and refugees regardless of age, gender, race, or religion. MWL initially specialized in aiding Syrian orphans and widows.

Mercy Without Limits Strives to meet the needs of neglected and underserved communities so that future generations may have the tools they need to create meaningful change in their own lives.

VISION

A better world for children and women.

MISSION

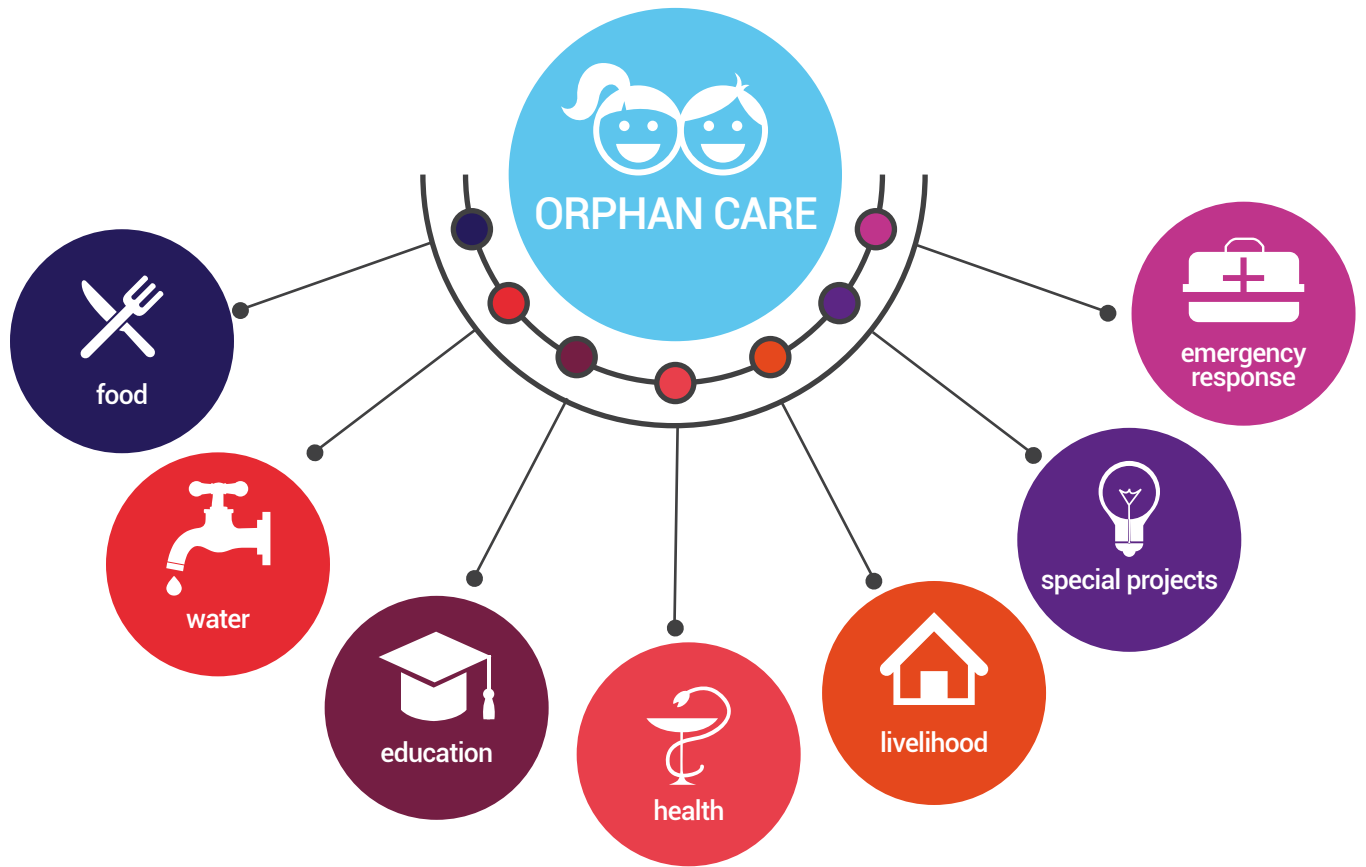
To educate and empower, children and women so they may have an effective and positive role in constructing a better society.

GOALS

The primary focus of our work is on orphans. We work to empower the orphan child to recover, build resiliency, and thrive in the face of unfortunate circumstances. Through our personalized orphan care program, we take into account every child's individual circumstances and provide the child access to basic necessities and quality education. We believe it takes a village to raise a child and that change is sustainable if the whole community is empowered to change. As such, we have developed seven support programs to improve the capacity of caregivers and communities where our orphans reside.

OUR PROGRAMS

As a community-based organization, our programs are built and run in collaboration with the very communities we aim to aid. We want to empower people to make positive change in their lives, the lives of their children, and for their community. Our collaborative team is highly invested in efficiently and effectively using all available resources to meet the specific needs of each community we serve.



TURKEY & SYRIA

TURKEY



389,252

Total Number of Beneficiaries

SYRIA



654

Total Orphans Supported

343 Total Girls
 311 Total Boys

1200

Total Orphans Supported

604 Total Girls
 596 Total Boys

DATA FROM BOTH TURKEY & SYRIA

Education

Total Number of Beneficiaries 31,481
 Total Girls & Women 16,020
 Total Boys & Men 15,461
 Total Host Schools 24



Healthcare

Total Number of Beneficiaries 42,887
 Total Girls & Women 22,105
 Total Boys & Men 20,782
 Total Children 4,575



Food Security

Total Number of Beneficiaries 116,329
 Total Women 69,116
 Total Men 47,213
 Total Children 82,429



Micro/Livelihood

Protection – Including Psycho-Social 59,358
 Child Protection 49,010
 Non-Food Items 139,197

Seasonal Project/Ramadan

Winterization Kit 5,257
 Total Food Baskets 12,522
 Total Prepared Meals 60,100
 Eid Gifts 1,500

Seasonal Project/Zakat

Total Beneficiaries 15,994

JORDAN & IRAQ

JORDAN



IRAQ



252
Total Orphans Supported

114 Total Girls
 138 Total Boys

100
Total Orphans Supported

43 Total Girls
 57 Total Boys

DATA FROM JORDAN

Education

Total Number of Beneficiaries 200
 Total Girls 89
 Total Boys 111



Total Backpacks 200
 Total Scholarship Funds (\$) \$164,437
 Total Higher Education Beneficiaries 33
 Total Women 19
 Total Men 14



Food Security

Total Number of Beneficiaries 1900
 Total Women 380
 Total Men 186
 Total Children 1334
 Total Food Baskets 380



Seasonal Project/Ramadan

Total Food Baskets 380
 Total Prepared Meals 200

Seasonal Project/Zakat

Total Number of Beneficiaries 285
 Total Women 57
 Total Men 50
 Total Children 178



Seasonal Project/Udhiya

Total Number of Beneficiaries 1575
 Total Women 320
 Total Men 225
 Total Children 1030



Seasonal Project/Winterization

Total Beneficiaries 588

LEBANON & YEMEN

LEBANON



99
Total Orphans Supported

43 Total Girls
 56 Total Boys

YEMEN



100
Total Orphans Supported

DATA FROM LEBANON

Seasonal Project/Ramadan

Total Food Baskets
 480

Seasonal Project/Eid Clothing

Total Number of Beneficiaries 220
 Total Girls 120
 Total Boys 100



GHANA & SIERRA LEONE

GHANA



50
Total Orphans Supported

SIERRA LEONE



3,000
Total Number of Beneficiaries

100
Total Orphans Supported

DATA FROM GHANA

Water

Total Number of Water Wells **3**

DATA FROM SIERRA LEONE

Food Security

Total Food Baskets **550**

BANGLADESH & PAKISTAN

BANGLADESH



PAKISTAN



100
Total Orphans Supported

43 Total Girls
 57 Total Boys

DATA FROM BANGLADESH

Food Security

Food Security Beneficiaries **5,000**

Micro/Livelihood

Total Shelters Built **400**
Beneficiaries from Shelters **2,400**

Healthcare

Total Number of Beneficiaries **3,000**

Water

Total Number of Water Wells **26**
Water Wells Beneficiaries **4,000**



ALEPPO UNIVERSITY

Pushing the boundaries of education, Mercy Without Limits supports college-level students in pursuing higher level education. Aleppo University was started by Mercy Without Limits after MWL team members noticed the high need for accessible education for youth in Syria. Through funding and community engagement, MWL works with Aleppo University to provide scholarships to college-students, expand STEM programs, and work with academic professionals to ensure students are receiving high quality academic education.

We at MWL believe higher education has the potential to

EMPOWER

displaced students and their families to rebuild their lives and reach long-term professional success.

PREVENT

short-term and long-term conflict.

CONTRIBUTE

to the acceleration and ease of reconstructing future, post-conflict Syria.



RIDE FOR ORPHANS

Pushing for positive change, we forged new alliances and used our expertise in tackling problems. Ride for Orphans, an ongoing initiative launched in 2016 expanded support for our orphan sponsorship program. Aiming to raise funds for orphans around the world, our team of motorcyclists' tour different cities, bringing awareness of orphans victimized by war, violence, and natural disasters.

Through this campaign, we are working to improve and implement systems to protect children, reaching their potential by investing in skills for their futures, and providing life-changing water.

In 2017, Ride for Orphan visited over 50 cities in 7 States. A total of 50 mosques, 30 schools, one church, and one synagogue; raising over \$250,000. In phase 2, launched in 2018, we plan on visiting more cities and raise more money for orphans.

We want to live in a world in which all children learn and are protected. The goals we have set ourselves are not easy. But by building strong partnerships with communities and donors, we have the courage to work towards these goals.





STUDENTS FOR ROHINGYA

Working in some of the poorest communities, we improved life expectations through projects giving access to water, shelter, and healthcare. Projects include, Students for Rohingya, an initiative enabling students of secondary education to participate in building a brighter future for the people of Rohingya through fundraising intervention.





"Thanks to Mercy Without Limits I'm back in school and going to the second grade. I made a lot of friends in school."

- Jamilah 

VOICES FROM THE FIELD

Jamilah from Syria

7-year-old Jamilah grew up in Hama, Syria but fled to Jordan when the violence escalated. As many refugee children, Jamilah was forced to drop out of school due to constant fear. Mercy Without Limits is doing whatever it takes to ensure refugee children are safe and learning.

THANK YOU

A YEAR OF CHOICES



We at Mercy Without Limits want to thank you for making the choice to support us in empowering others worldwide.

Together we can make a difference.



This past year has shown us the faces and voices of many children, women, elderly, and vulnerable people who have lost everything and have had no choice in the matter. Upon learning of their struggle, you chose to make a difference. This past year you chose to give orphans and vulnerable people the love and support they need.



NO ONE

chooses to be in need.
chooses to be vulnerable.
chooses to lose their family,
home, livelihood, or way of living.

NO CHILD

chooses to be alone.

TOGETHER

we covered the basic necessities and educational needs of hundreds of orphans worldwide.

we funded nutritious meals for children in besieged Syria.

we built shelters for Rohingya refugees in Bangladesh.

we gave hearing aids to children in Jordan.

we funded school expenses for children in Ghana.

we gave children and their communities choices, so they too can choose to celebrate live their lives with pride and dignity.



MERCY WITHOUT LIMITS ADVOCACY

Mercy Without Limits believes all human beings have the right to live a life of dignity, opportunity, and purpose. We strive to empower citizens of the US and citizens of the world to recover, build resiliency, and thrive in the face of disparity. As such, we proudly attend and participate in advocacy events to raise awareness of the plights of vulnerable people and to ask/present recommendations which protect their rights and dignity.



In the past year, Mercy Without Limits staff and volunteers attended the following events:

OCTOBER 25TH, 2017

ARCS Advocacy Day

JANUARY 20TH, 2018

DC Women's Conference

MAY 7TH, 2018

4th Annual National Muslim Advocacy Day on Capital Hill

JUNE 20TH, 2018

Refugee Road on Capital Hill in Washington DC



COMBINED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017

CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:

Change in Net Assets	\$ 657,296
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Adjustments to Reconcile Change in Net Assets to Net Cash provided by Operating Activities:

Depreciation	\$ 7,976
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Decrease (Increase) in Operating Assets:

Accounts Receivables	\$ 341,321
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Advances to Employees	\$ 2,488
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Prepayment	\$ 3,000
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Security Deposits	\$ 718
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Increase (Decrease) in Operating Liabilities:

Accounts Payables	\$ 53,427
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Credit Card Payable	\$ 20,936
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Deferred Income	\$ 276,567
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Accrued Payable	\$ 34,775
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Net Cash Provided From Operating Activities	\$ 605,142
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CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:

Cash Payments for Purchase of Fixed Assets	\$ 8,773
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Net Cash Outflow by Investing Activities	\$ 8,773
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NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	\$ 613,915
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Cash and Cash Equivalents at The Beginning of Year	\$ 2,108,798
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Cash and Cash Equivalents at The End of Year	\$ 1,494,883
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