

## Projects Abroad

5 -10% of the total budget of the Johanna KinderFonds is available for projects in development countries. The main focus abroad lies in Africa and Eastern-Europe. Occasionally also projects in Asia and South-America can be considered.

In general, projects supported by the Johanna KinderFonds should aim directly at improving the quality of life of physically disabled children due to disorders of muscles, bones, brain and/or nerves. Projects aiming at improving the infrastructure for the rehabilitation care and the low profile training of personnel have priority.

Examples of projects supported by the Johanna KinderFonds are:

- Equipment for a small scale orthopaedic workshop
- Equipment for a small scale physiotherapy unit
- Equipment for a small scale vocational training unit for physically disabled youngsters
- Supply of wheel chairs for a special school
- Train the trainers in a CBR project
- Improving the skills of local rehabilitation personnel

Note: Children who are deaf or blind unfortunately do not belong to the target group of the Johanna KinderFonds. Also building projects and support for individual children do not fit within the mandate of the Johanna KinderFonds.

As the Johanna KinderFonds is not able to monitor projects outside the Netherlands, projects abroad can only be supported through the mediation of small scaled Dutch partner organisations. Such an organisation should:

- be registered at the Kamer van Koophandel (Chamber of Commerce)
- support a few (not more than 10) projects in a development country on a yearly base.
- be able and willing to take on the responsibility for guiding and monitoring the progress of the projects
- be able and willing to report on the results of the project and to send in a financial justification.
- pursue a reliable administration which is visible in the regulations of the organisation, annual reports, project reports, etc.

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