

Charities Contact Form : Entry # 128**Org Name**

Children's Haven International

Non-Profit Category

Human Services and Disaster Relief

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Amount sought

We would be grateful for any amount

What is the purpose of your charity?

For 50 years CHI has provided loving Christian care to needy children in Reynosa, Mexico. This is done through our Children's Home - which currently meets the needs of 80+ ranging in age from 2 to 22 who live with us full-time. We also have an on-site elementary school & pre-school that provides quality education to over 100 children from the community that surrounds our facilities in Reynosa. A third arm of ministry takes place in Pharr where we have our administrative offices. Volunteers do a myriad of tasks to benefit the children allowing our organization to only have 2 full-time employees, meaning more of our funds can go directly to the children. We have a thrift store on this side of the border - which is entirely run by volunteers and helps meet the needs of many impoverished families in the RGV while also generating a constant revenue for our programs.

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To care for the needs of our children, food, clothing, education, etc. If a specific project needs to be chosen, that could be done very easily but we would have to know what the amount of the donation would be.

Will the organization provide volunteers to help with the setup and/or operation of the event?

If selected, we will be more than happy to provide some helpers. However, I must say the majority of our volunteers are retirees so we'd probably request a few light duty jobs and many of them are Winter Texans - so at the time this event occurs - I am not sure how many will still be around, but we would definitely try to put a group together to help where needed.

How many volunteers will be available?

Difficult to answer for reasons explained previously. If we knew more about what types of jobs will be required and how many volunteers other organization usually provided - I could give you a better answer.

Why should we support your charity?

As Mr. Kuhn can attest, Children's Haven International has been making a huge impact in the lives of countless needy, abused, and abandoned children in Mexico for 50 years. We provide full-time care in a family style setting. Not only do we provide for each and every one of their daily physical and material needs, but we also teach them what it is like to be a part of a family, how to become a contributing member of society and most importantly, we teach them there is a God who loves them and has a plan for their lives. In the past 10 years we have even had the blessing of seeing 12 of these children graduate from college as engineers, architects, lawyers, medical professionals, etc. and we currently have 5 enrolled in college at the moment. Since 2020 our organization has been in a period of tremendous growth - expenses have skyrocketed on everything from electricity to food costs and we would consider any new donations a huge blessing. Thank you very much for your consideration.

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