Introduction

WorldVision

WorldVision is a Christian humanitarian organization dedicated to working with children, families and their communities worldwide to reach their full potential by tackling the causes of poverty and injustice. Motivated by their faith in Jesus Christ, they serve alongside the poor and oppressed as a demonstration of God's unconditional love for all people. They serve all people, regardless of religion, race, ethnicity, or gender.

Child Fund International

Child Fund International is inspired and driven by the potential that is inherent in all children: the potential to thrive and to become leaders who bring positive change for those around them. They specialize in understanding of children's experiences of deprivation, exclusion, and vulnerability. They work to reduce the roots of poverty by giving a voice to deprived, excluded, and vulnerable children and youth; and implementing child development, protection and emergency assistance programs through local communities.

Afghanistan

Why We Chose Afghanistan

Life Expectancy 44 years  Literacy Rate 28%  Access to Safe Water 49%

School Enrollment 61%  Under Age 5 Mortality Rate 299/1000

* About 35% of Afghans are unemployed and at least 36% live below the poverty line
* The World Food Program estimates that over half of children under the age of 5 are malnourished
* Natural disasters affect thousands of people each year, damaging homes and livelihoods
* Only about 22 percent of people have access to clean water

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* Providing healthcare and agricultural assistance to vulnerable households.
* Offering cash-for-work and other essential programs to help people living in urban areas improve their lives.
* Striving to reduce food insecurity in rural communities through education and improved infrastructure.
* Distributing food to schoolchildren to increase enrollment and education success.
* Educating midwives to help reduce infant mortalities and protect maternal health.
* Providing adult literacy training in vulnerable communities.

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* Created Child Well Being Committees to engage communities in post-conflict healing and to protect children.
* Building five early child care centers, especially for 3- to 5-year-olds to prepare the Children for school.
* Building seven solar-powered water systems. As a result, we'll be able to provide water for around 1,400 families.
* Provided resources for Afghanistan children through the Gifts of Love & Hope, including water mugs and jugs.
* Building relationships with government officials, child-protection action networks, health providers and the police to help protect and promote the rights of women and children.

Conclusion

Comparison

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