

## Prevention Center “Source” 2004yr.

### The Situation of Children in Kyrgyzstan

- 23,000 children in Kyrgyzstan are in adult employment;
- 25% of children aged 1-6 years are identified as undernourished;
- 32.4% of children are born outside legal marriage;
- 30% of children and young people have no access to an education.



#### Direction of the “Source”

This center has been operating since 2004. The center allows children at risk to feel care and love.

Center staff aids in spiritual, social, legal and medical support.

Throughout the year, twice a week, children can shower and have lunch at the Source. In the summer, there is week-long wilderness camp with 70-80 children. In the winter, 70 children participate in the Christmas celebration and receive much anticipated presents.

Course of prevention is focused on addressing the problems of child homelessness.

Main goal of the Source- crime prevention and childhood protection.

## Adaptation Center “Hearth” 2008yr.

### The Situation of Women in Kyrgyzstan

- Every year about 10.000 women seek help from crisis centers, police departments and "courts of aksakals" (a group of village elders) on issues related to family and gender-based violence;
- 60% of marriages in rural areas are accomplished through bridal kidnapping, 2/3 of them without the consent of the women;
- 70% of women convicted of murder act out retaliation and/or self-defense because of prolonged violence against them.



#### Direction of the “Hearth”

This center has been operating since 2008. The center is open to mothers with children who have been victims of violence and human trafficking.

Center staff aids with documentation, medical, legal and social services. Those interested can take profession courses and receive a working profession for a new social start.

During the year, various master classes are held at the Hearth. Leisure time is organized with departure to cultural places. At Christmas time there is a celebration held for 40 women and their children.

Course of adaptation from 3 to 12 months.

Main goal of the Hearth- orphan prevention and maternity protection.

## Integration Center “Mosaic” 2017yr.

### The Situation of Orphans in Kyrgyzstan

- Everyday about 400 children graduate out of the orphanage system;
- There are no government programs designated to assist orphans once they have graduated out of the orphanages;
- Orphans do not receive any sort of housing or living assistance;
- They do not have access to free medical care.



#### Direction of “Mosaic”

This center has been operating since 2017. The center is open to boys ages 16-23, that want to take the next step to bringing change into their life and strive towards a new start.

Center staff aids with documentation, medical, legal and social services. Those interested can take profession courses and receive a working profession.

During the year, at Mosaic a complex of works is aimed at integrating boys who have graduated from an orphan institution or from disadvantaged families into society.

Course of integration from 6 to 12 months.

Main goal of Mosaic- unemployment prevention and protection of human dignity.

## Our Context

Kyrgyzstan is one of the five Central Asian republics

Population of 6.2 million people

The main religion is Islam (90%)

Kyrgyzstan is also one of the poorest countries in the world with

- 49% of the population living in
- 1/5 of the population lives in extreme poverty.

## Arms of Love

Public Association "Arms of Love"(PAAL) is a non-profit organization that aims to socialize people groups of risk, by meeting their basic needs, protecting their rights and promoting their interests, enabling and empowering them to re-integrate into their communities.

## Our Main Projects

- Prevention Center "Source"
- Adaptation Center "Hearth"
- Integration Center "Mosaic"

## Our Vision

To assist in developing a society in which all people can prosper, without limitation or discrimination, and where there exists both equality in relationships and opportunity



## Be Our Partner

Arms of Love's work is made possible  
by financial gifts and donations.

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