



MOBILE CLINIC PROJECT

The Andrea Bocelli Foundation has been on the ground in Haiti since 2012. In just one year it started the “Wheat Project,” incorporating 1,100 children and their families into the street school program of the Fondation Saint Luc. In addition to the educational programs, this partner organization was able to guarantee at least one hot meal per day, along with nutritional guidance for entire families. Since early 2014, in spite of the growing number of children enrolled, ABF has converted 3 street schools into permanent and functional structures, thanks especially to the funds raised through CFN in Italy 2014 Edition. While serving as suitable classrooms, these structures are taking on a second life as secure community centers. In 2015 ABF started new projects for the 3 communities of Croix-des-Bouquets, Kenscoff and Abricots development

through simple actions: solar lamps distribution, agriculture training and activities, water wells and towers. Other projects include the ABF water truck, ensuring the regular delivery of potable water in the slums of Cité Soleil. Since January 2015 ABF also supports the HIV Program of the St. Damien Pediatric Hospital. In January 2016 ABF inaugurated the Voices of Haiti Project, with the aim to introduce art, music, in particular, in the school academic program and launched the new “Mobile Clinic Project” to bring medical and health care to the most remote Communities where the access to clinics or ambulatories is difficult.

ABF partnership in Haiti



The Andrea Bocelli Foundation works in partnership with Fondation St. Luc in educational and economic development projects, adopting the most remote and poorest communities of the Haitian island like Croix des Bouquets, Kenscoff and Abricot. The involvement of the Andrea Bocelli Foundation is to provide long term support to the Haitian leadership and to raise awareness and point the attention, worldwide, on the great need in Haiti. The aim of the common work is to empower people and communities giving them the opportunity to express their full potential.

The St. Luc Foundation is a Haitian, non-profit, Catholic foundation dedicated to education, healthcare, community development, agricultural investment and emergency relief programs, whose activities impact up to 90.000 people a year. It was founded by Father Rick Frechette CP, an American priest and physician, and developed and expanded under the leadership of Jean Nebez Augustin, the foundation is the fruit of more than 26 years of working experience in Haiti. Special emphasis is placed on working with young Haitians, many of them raised in the orphanages of Nos Petits Freres et Soeurs, sharing with them a vision of the development of Haiti based on hard work, integrity, Christian values, and the insights elicited from the young Haitians themselves. The programs of the Saint Luc Foundation employ over 1,000 people.



Founded in 2000, Saint Luc programs supply:

- education and food to over 10.000 students a year
- medical assistance to over 200.000 people a year
- employment opportunity and professional training to over 1.800 people
- clean or sanitised water

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In Haiti there is still an emergency context.



Haiti, 4th world country

Haiti is one of the poorest countries in the world, among the lowest for children conditions, mortality rates and poverty.

- 56% of the population suffers from malnutrition;
- 1 out of 3 children dies of hunger or preventable diseases before the age of 5;
- 80% of the population live with less than 1 dollar per day;
- 1 out of 2 children lacks education;
- the average life expectancy does not exceed 55 years;
- 70% of the population does not have an occupation.

Infrastructure, sewage system, water distribution and electrical systems are not present or are very scarce.

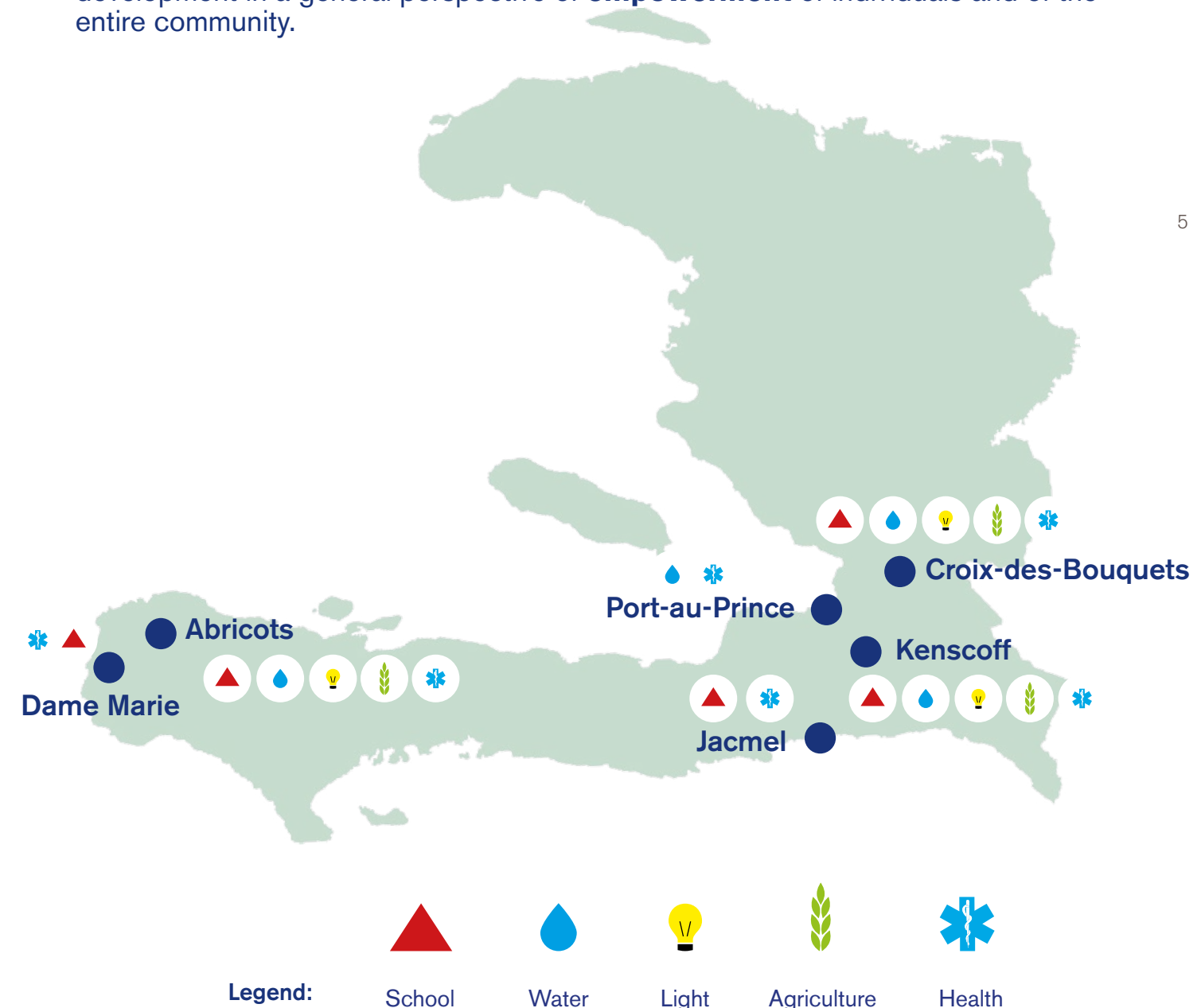
January 2010: a terrible earthquake caused 260,000 victims*, 300,000 injured and one million homeless. After 5 years, the country is still in an emergency phase and is trying to recover from the disaster; meanwhile it has been hit by cholera chikungunya and two hurricanes.

ABF in Haiti

Contributing to the improvements of the socio-economic conditions of the students and of their families in 5 poor communities:

- Kenscoff
- Croix-des-Bouquets
- Abricots
- Dame Marie
- Jacmel

By taking a systemic approach, we started from **education** and after a path of development, in 2015 we opened three new schools as centre of the communities to which we also brought **water, light** and **agricultural** development in a general perspective of **empowerment** of individuals and of the entire community.



Empowering People and Communities

The work of ABF in Haiti



Building of schools as the center of the community creating a safe environment that will allow boys and girls to receive the best education possible.



Community involvement in school management in order to enhance the responsibility of the entire community towards the education of their children.



Provide clean water, **agricultural skills**, microloan and support to parents as an incentive to maintain a better life standard and give them the possibility to attend school.



Giving education means **empowering people to realize their full potential** and write their best life story.



Support communities that **monitor the development, the progress and the effects of the project** in order to continue improving education and the growth of the community.



Provide **clear water, food and light** to the school closing the gap for basic needs.



Provide **light to families** to allow children to complete their education at home.

Education in Haiti: Going to school means to survive

The education system in Haiti can be compared to that of countries in sub-Saharan Africa. Only 67% of children aged between 6 and 12 years attend school and only 30% of children attending primary school complete the 5 years of education envisaged. The reason of abandonment is related to the cost of education. Basic education is organized in three cycles:

- Kindergarten
- Primary school
- Secondary school

The “street schools” are part of the activities that the Foundation St. Luc carries out in the slums and in the poorest provinces of the island. They have been made for children whose families are too poor to give them the opportunity to have an education, food and be cared when they are ill. Schools are a protection from the risk of living in the streets. A tangible result of this development program is demonstrated by the fact that 70% of children who go to school do not contract HIV and are kept away from crime.

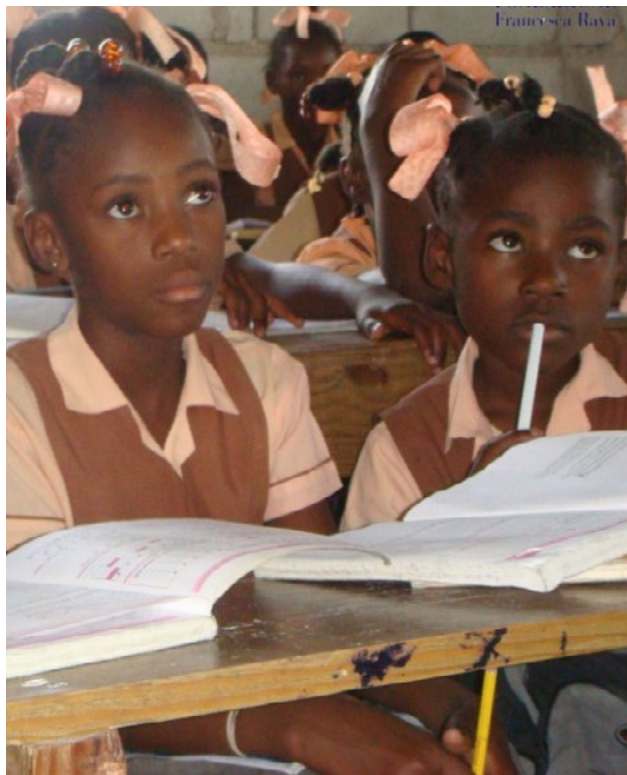


ABF projects impact

In **2013** and **2014**, ABF with the EDU project adopted three street schools in the communities involving 1,161 children with the aim of turning them into real, functional and safe schools, equipped with updated learning programs, training for teachers, appropriate teaching materials, library, computer lab, cafeteria, all to raise the level of education to that of national and international standards.

In **2015** the target was successfully achieved and the three schools, able to host 1.750 students, were inaugurated in the presence of the founder and his family.

In **2016** ABF will work to convert the two street school of St. Raphael in De Varenne and Manitane in Dame Marie in safe buildings able to host 400 students each, in the wish to reach the number of 2.550 students within the end of the year.



Focus on ABF Mobile Clinic Project



Introduction

Health is perhaps to be considered as a treasure, it must sustain us through all our life, and that is why we must, all the time, take care of our body and mind. As we all know health is divided in mental health and body health and they work together. Good health describes a condition where our body and our mind are both working properly. But we have to take care of our body to keep ourselves mentally strong. The main causes behind poor health conditions are: diseases, improper diet, injuries, mental stress, lack of hygiene, and unhealthy lifestyle. In every sphere of our life, we have to be able to perform at the our best. In short, health and wellness bring about drastic improvements in the overall quality of our life. Childhood is a very important factor in everybody's life, because good health at an early stage of life has a positive effect on the productivity of children. Staying healthy is vital for proper growth and development of mind and body. They must have enough energy to spend the whole day at school, this is the main reason why, ABF and St Luke are starting this health program in their schools where it will include the students' health care insurance. This program that takes place where ABF is operating will allow the people of the those communities to have access to medical care not so common in those areas. As our lemma is to empower people and communities, we think this program will give THEM great opportunities. This way they will have a chance to be educated along with their children.

Details of the program

The program will cover all the students from 2 to 24 years, divided by category of age and classes and will cover also the teachers and other people who work in our schools and the community.

The program will give the opportunity to provide medical equipment to the health personnel who will work for us and medications for free for the children in ABF schools as well as for the community.

The program recommends spending more days of mobile clinic in the communities where there is no access to medical care.

For all of this we need:

1. Two Doctors, three Nurses and three Helpers (auxiliary or workers from health area) for our medical staff.
2. Medications
3. Medical equipment
4. Transportations and drivers



Objectives on our philosophy

This program mainly focuses on: the screening of every student and other beneficiaries in the community. The program focuses the following points:

- General counseling of every child to reinforce their capacity and ability of academic improvement.
- Screening of any kind of abused child that can affect the psychological aspects of the child regarding her/his ability to learn.
- Find out all the important pathologies that can affect them and support them properly.
- Prevent with a long-term health's assistance all kind of infectious diseases in our schools and community.
- Screening at early time in our schools any type of disabilities and diseases like: blindness or visual impairment, mental problem, deafness, sickle cell, epilepsy, malnutrition, asthma, and others.
- Reduce all the risk of long-term diseases and mental deficiencies.
- Prevent at early time the learning disability of our students.
- Give better conditions of life to those people in the field of education and health.

Main Points

A - Annual visit

Per year we will have 4 mobile clinics, it means we will do the clinic every 3 months until the standing of a Clinic center in the area. Each school with its community will benefit 4 visits annually.

B - Medications and materials support

It is very important to get all the medications we will need to use ready and also all the materials support 20 days before reaching the area where we will do the mobile clinic. And we have to focus on these following points mostly:

1. A seminary about health for prevention care: Hygiene, sexual education program for children, adolescents and adult from the community.

Sexual education program

This part of the program emphasizes a specific Sexuality Education Program based on the terms below to be discussed with most of the teachers in our school so that the be able to teach the best way our students and also adolescents and adults in the communities.

The Pre-pubertal 9 to 14 years

- a) Topics related to sexuality including human development, relationships, decision-making, abstinence, contraception, and disease prevention.
- b) Initiation to sexual education for the pre-pubertal kids, integrating sexual maturation.

Post puberty and young adult sexuallyactive15 and more

- c) Provide an opportunity for adolescents to develop and understand their values, attitudes, and insights about sexuality.

- d) Information about the big impact that can reflect on their life at young age on having kids too early.
e) Teach them about the sexual transmission diseases (STDs) and the risks.

2. Every single patient needs to get his/her own medical record with his/her full name and his/her picture (student patients). For this part I will create a specific system to register them.

3. Counseling for everyone, for any alert of kind of serious disease such as: For TB, HIV, and RPR (students, teachers and the community).

4. Embrace and provide the planning program for the area in case of need. (For adults in the community).

5. Following the scheme of the vaccination program of the Ministry of Health is strictly recommended. For this point we have to find a way to work with the Public Health.

6. The medications include: Multivitamins, Anti-flu, Anti-parasite, Antibiotics, Antipyretics, Anti-hypertension, Anti-diabetics, etc....(list must be presented).

7. Report any serious case in the community that could put the community at risk to the Department of Health in Haiti.

C - This program will affect those areas and communities:

- f) Provide them information and skills for taking care of their sexual health, and help them make some decisions now and in the future to succeed on the good way and to avoid under performing at school that can role their life into poverty.



Started areas

- I. Jérémie, La Seringue: St Augustin School + Community. For this area we will spend more days at least 3 to 7 days every visit.
- II. Kenscoff: St Philomène School
- III. Croix-des-Bouquets: Notre Dame du Rosaire School
- IV. Jérémie, Dame Marie: Manitan School + Community

Coming areas for health care insurance

- V. Devarenne Grande Rivière, Fondwa- Jacmel: St Raphael School + Community

Beneficiaries

Direct beneficiaries

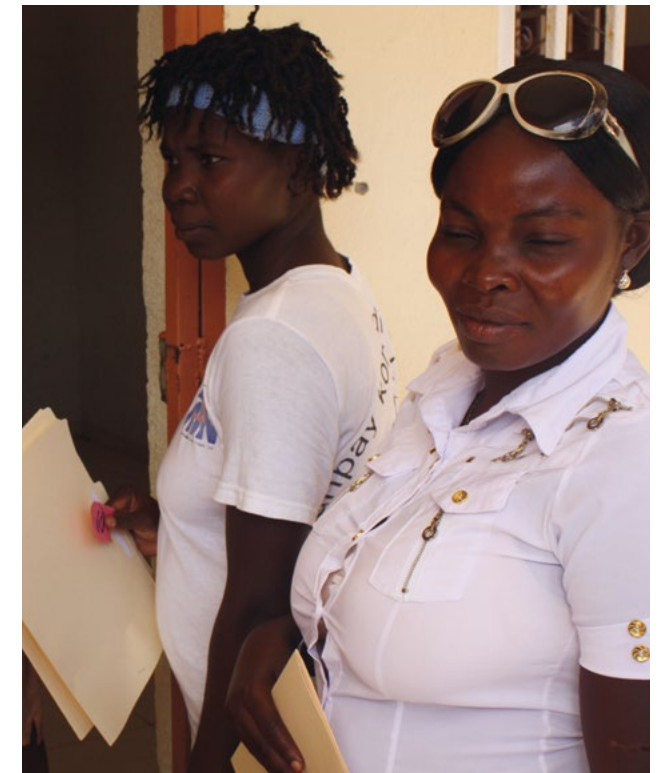
- 5 schools: 2.850 children.
- Community: 6.000 persons.
- Total direct beneficiaries: **8.850** people.

Indirect beneficiaries.

- From 5 communities.
- Total indirect beneficiaries: **16.075** people.

The big IMPACT of the Healthcare

This program will serve in total: **24.925** people.





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