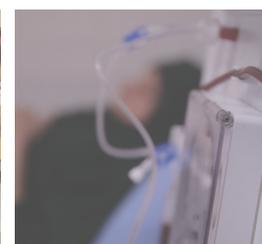
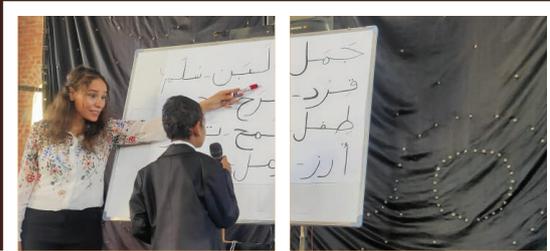
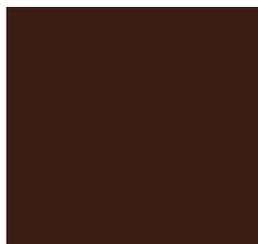


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**SPREADING LIGHT.  
TOUCHING LIVES.**



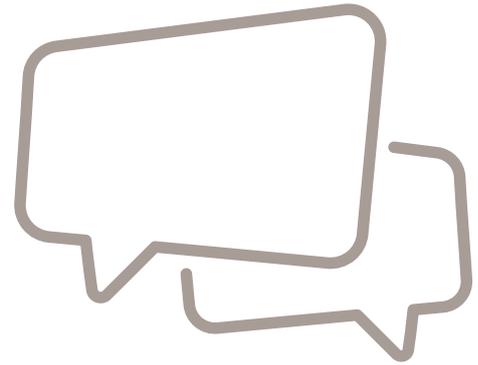


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# A MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS



Dear Donors, Partners, and Stakeholders,

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I am pleased to welcome you to Light for All Canada's 2023 Annual Report. This year has been a testament to what can be achieved when compassion, commitment, and community come together with a shared purpose.

Guided by our mission, we continued to expand access to healthcare, advance education and empowerment, support women in building sustainable livelihoods, provide awareness sessions on parenting, health, financial literacy, and marriage supporting family well-being, and bring hope to vulnerable communities through our hunger relief and development initiatives. None of this would have been possible without the unwavering support of our partners, donors, volunteers, and friends.

In 2023, we covered **SIX** countries across Africa and Asia. From Egypt to Burundi, Indonesia, Ghana, Mauritius, and the Philippines, our programs reached more than **20,086 direct beneficiaries** and **97,088 indirect beneficiaries**.

We are deeply grateful to our partners, stakeholders, and donors for your belief in our mission and the work we do. Your financial and in-kind contributions have enabled us to grow, expand, and surpass our short- and long-term goals for 2023.

Thank you for your trust in what we do.

With Gratitude,

**The Light for All Canada Board of Directors**

## »OUR STORY

Established in Canada in 2013, our mission is to transform the lives of disadvantaged individuals living in isolated and underserved communities worldwide - particularly in Africa and Southeast Asia - through sustainable, and long-term solutions.

## »OUR MISSION

To reach underserved individuals worldwide with sustainable solutions that foster their intellectual, practical, and economic well-being, empowering them to become productive contributors to their local communities.

## »OUR VISION

Every individual is a potential volunteer, and every volunteer is a change agent.



# » OUR PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS IN 2023



Direct Beneficiaries



Indirect Beneficiaries



People Impacted in 2023



Programs



# EGYPT



**DIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES**  
**4,800**  
Critical Cases  
**50,000**  
at the Outpatient  
Clinics

**164,400**  
**INDIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES**

📍 Akhmim, Sohag

## ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF A HOSPITAL IMPACT

- Contributed to enhancing the accessibility and quality of health care services across underserved communities in Upper Egypt.
- Strengthened healthcare service delivery in Akhmim, Sohag, improving access to essential medical care for vulnerable populations.

📍 Esna, Luxor

## EXPANSION OF THE HEMODIALYSIS UNIT AND POLY CLINICS

**DIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES**  
**12**

**INDIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES**  
**36**



### IMPACT

- Improved the health and well-being of residents in Esna, Luxor, with a particular focus on patients living with chronic kidney disease.
- Expanded the hemodialysis unit by adding two additional dialysis machines, increasing capacity to serve more patients in need.
- Established polyclinics to provide comprehensive medical check-ups and consultations, enhancing access to essential healthcare services.



**Bani Mazar, Minya**

## ESTABLISHING A RENAL DIALYSIS CENTER

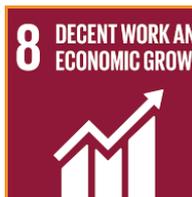


### IMPACT

- Established a renal dialysis unit to deliver essential treatment, enhance quality of care, and promote awareness on prevention, contributing to reducing the burden of kidney disease.
- Improved the quality of life for patients and their families through expanded access to critical healthcare services.

**Cairo and Upper Egypt**

## LIFE TOGETHER PROJECT



### IMPACT

- Expanded access to comprehensive inclusive care for Persons with Disabilities (PwD) through integrated educational, therapeutic, and rehabilitation services



- Enhanced physical, cognitive, and communication abilities of beneficiaries, supporting greater independence and functional development.
- Strengthened family capacity by equipping caregivers with practical skills to better support and manage the needs of PwD.
- Improved social inclusion and confidence through participation in creative, cultural, and community-based activities such as music and theater.
- Promoted economic empowerment through vocational training, enabling beneficiaries to develop practical livelihood skills.
- Improved health and well-being through access to healthcare services, physiotherapy, and proper nutrition.
- Reduced barriers to care by providing transportation and ensuring consistent access to essential services

📍 **Aswan, Assiut, Beni Suef, and Qalyubia**

## 📌 VOCATIONAL TRAINING AND SKILLS BUILDING



### IMPACT

- Promoted education and skill development among vulnerable groups across different age categories, strengthening their capacity for self-reliance and long-term growth.
- Expanded economic opportunities for poor and marginalized individuals, contributing to improved socio-economic conditions and enhanced livelihood prospects.
- Increased access to essential social services for marginalized populations, supporting greater inclusion and life opportunities.



- Delivered vocational training in garment production (bags, trousers, hoodies) and mobile maintenance to 384 individuals, equipping beneficiaries with practical, income-generating skills.
- Strengthened youth development through the “Future Heroes” program, delivering 80 educational classes and expanding reach to 800 primary school students, fostering confidence, learning, and future readiness.



📍 Ruyigi

## LYCÉE TECHNIQUE SAINTE MARIE SCHOOL (LTSM)

DIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES  
**204**

INDIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES  
**612**



### IMPACT

- Supported 184 students through integrated academic, health, sports, and well-being programs, contributing to their holistic development.
- Strengthened education quality by providing professional development training to 10 teachers, enhancing their skills and instructional effectiveness.
- Provided employment to 10 staff members.





Bujumbura

## EDUCATION CENTER

DIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES  
**13** STAFF  
**+ 100**  
PARTICIPANTS

INDIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES  
**339**

**4** QUALITY  
EDUCATION



### IMPACT

- Employed 13 staff members.
- Delivered a course on multiple intelligences development for youth, fostering diverse learning abilities and personal growth.
- Conducted macramé workshops for women, promoting creativity, skill-building, and opportunities for economic empowerment.
- Organized bracelet-making workshops for children, encouraging creativity, fine motor skills, and self-expression.

📍 Ruyigi

## MEDICAL CONSULTATIONS IN DERMATOLOGY

DIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES  
**35**  
STUDENTS

INDIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES  
**105**

**3** GOOD HEALTH  
AND WELL-BEING

**4** QUALITY  
EDUCATION

### IMPACT

- Provided essential medical care to address critical health needs within the targeted community.
- Delivered specialized medical consultations to **35 students**, supporting early diagnosis and appropriate care.
- Distributed medical devices and free medications, contributing to improved health and overall well-being within the community.





📍 Accra Center, Accra Board Centers, and Volta Center

## ✓ EDUCATION AND FOOD PROGRAM



### IMPACT

- Provided food assistance to **200 families**, helping to address immediate nutritional needs and support household stability.
- Conducted monthly health check-ups in conjunction with food distribution, promoting early detection, preventive care, and
- overall well-being within the community.

📍 Accra Boards Center

## ✓ ICT TRAINING CENTER



### IMPACT

- Successfully graduated 100 students and enrolled 50 new participants in ICT training, expanding access to digital education and skill development.
- Strengthened digital literacy through comprehensive training in computer basics, software installation, and effective internet use, equipping participants with essential modern workforce skills. overall well-being within the community.

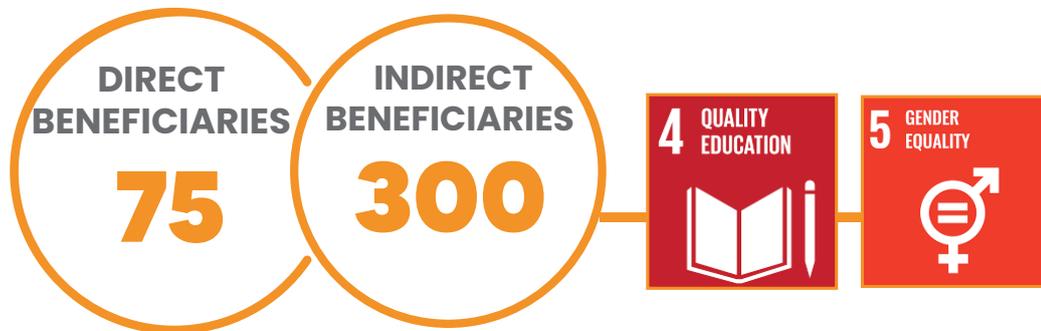


- Reduced the financial burden of ICT education on families in targeted communities while expanding access to digital learning opportunities for beneficiaries.
- Fostered community empowerment by opening pathways to digital inclusion, knowledge, and future employment opportunities.
- Organized several school workshops and seminars. Collaborated with other local schools to deliver their ICT classes at our ICT training center.



📍 **Accra and Volta**

🏆 **VOLTA SCHOOL**

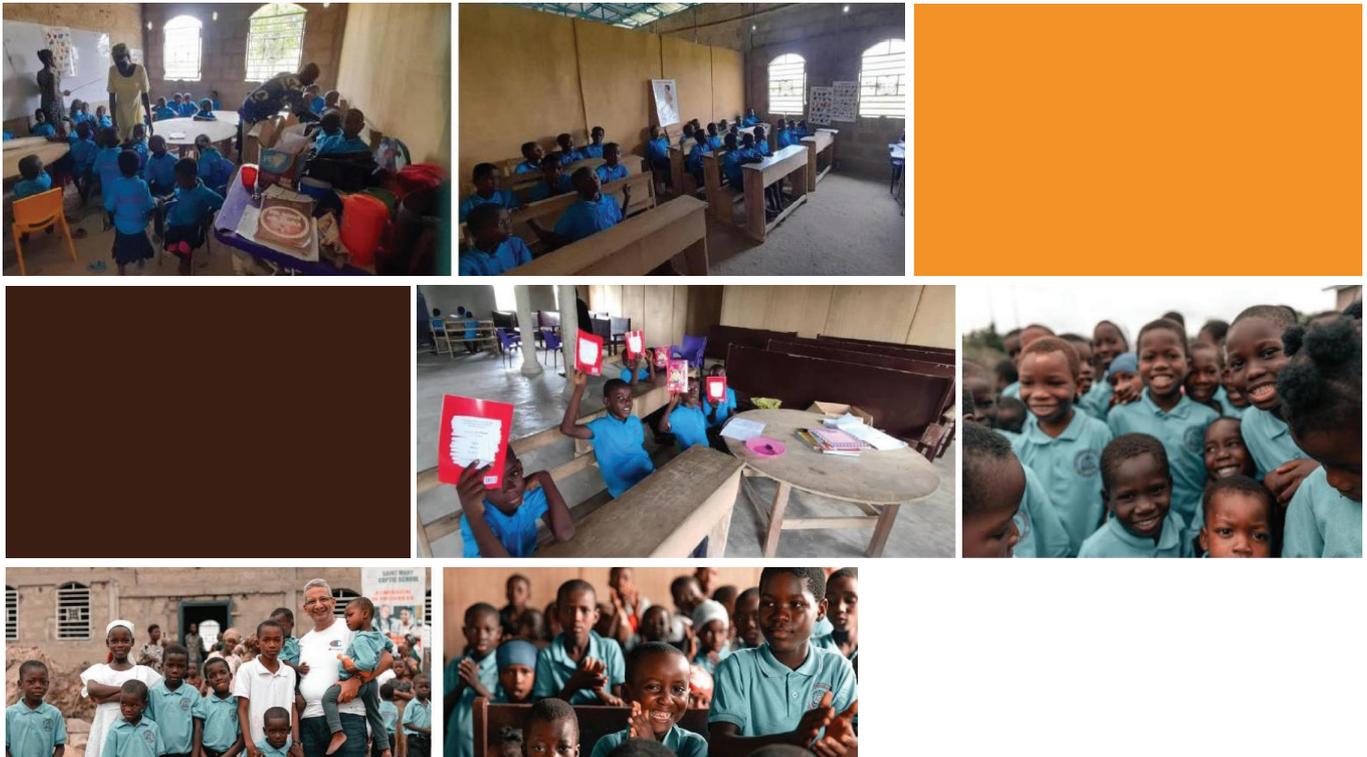


**IMPACT**

- Upgraded school infrastructure by renovating classrooms, improving sanitation facilities, providing adequate seating, and developing a safe playground, creating a more supportive and conducive learning environment.
- Strengthened teaching quality through specialized teacher training, enhancing instructional methods and the ability to address diverse student learning needs.
- Improved access to quality education by ensuring the availability of essential learning materials and textbooks.



- Demonstrated measurable improvement in students' academic performance through continuous assessment and targeted support.
- Promoted holistic child development through regular extracurricular programs, including sports, arts, and vocational activities.
- Advanced inclusive education by providing free meals, uniforms, and school supplies, enabling full participation of vulnerable children.
- Promoted girls' education and reduced gender disparities in school attendance and completion.
- Strengthened parental engagement through workshops and awareness sessions, reinforcing the importance of education within families.
- Established community partnerships to improve water and sanitation facilities, contributing to a healthier and safer school environment



# INDONESIA

📍 Bekasi, Green Lake, Surabaya, Manado

## FOUR EDUCATIONAL CENTERS



DIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES

**500** ADULTS  
**200** KIDS

INDIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES

**2,100**

4 QUALITY  
EDUCATION



8 DECENT WORK AND  
ECONOMIC GROWTH



10 REDUCED  
INEQUALITIES



### IMPACT

- Provided English and Arabic language courses for underserved individuals at community centers, strengthening literacy and communication skills.
- Implemented an After-School Program for children in surrounding communities, supporting academic performance and personal development.
- Offered a Computer Diploma program to equip participants with essential digital and workplace skills; the organization supported learning by providing laptops to the centers.
- Delivered Human Resources training to help participants prepare for employment, including CV writing and job application skills.
- Provided scholarships for children from low-income families, supporting their education from preparatory through university levels, enhancing English proficiency, and improving future employment opportunities.





📍 **Taman Mini**

## 👉 HIDUP BAIK PROGRAM (DEFEAT THE HUNGER)



### IMPACT

- Provided nutritionally balanced food kits (including protein, carbs, vegetable, fruits, and cooking needs) on a monthly basis to needy families.





📍 Medan

## ✓ LIGHT FOR ALL ORPHANAGE

DIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES

25

INDIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES

12

3 GOOD HEALTH  
AND WELL-BEING



4 QUALITY  
EDUCATION



8 DECENT WORK AND  
ECONOMIC GROWTH



### IMPACT

- Provided care and support to orphans aged 6 to 18 years, ensuring a safe and nurturing environment throughout their developmental years.
- Ensured access to quality education and essential services, supporting children's well-being and development until they reach adulthood.
- Served both boys and girls in dedicated facilities, ensuring appropriate, safe, and gender-sensitive care.
- Created employment opportunities for men and women to provide caregiving, education support, and daily living services for the children.





**Villages surrounding Yogyakarta**

## DROP OF WATER



### IMPACT

- Drilled water wells in villages surrounding the city of Yogyakarta, located in central Java, Indonesia, to improve access to safe and reliable water sources.
- Established small-scale desalination units tailored to the expected water output of each well, ensuring sustainable and appropriate water treatment for local community needs.



## MAURITIUS

**Bambous**

## FEED THE CHILDREN



### IMPACT

- Targeted malnourished children aged 4–12 to support healthy growth and development.
- Provided hot and healthy meals twice per week to 100 malnourished children.
- Improved nutritional status, health, and overall well-being of participating children.
- Supported physical growth, energy levels, and immune health through consistent, nutritious meals.



📍 **Bambous**

## GOOD, BETTER, AND BEST



### IMPACT

- Improved the English language capabilities for 40 teenagers age 13 to 19 years.
- Increased teens academic and employment potentials.





**Bambous**

## LITTLE STARS

DIRECT BENEFICIARIES

**50**

INDIRECT BENEFICIARIES

**150**

**4** QUALITY EDUCATION



### IMPACT

- Reached 50 children (ages 4–9) through a value-based education program.
- Strengthened children’s self-confidence and self-awareness by helping them explore their personalities in a supportive environment.
- Encouraged creativity, participation, and expression, supporting holistic child development

**Bambous**

## LOVE KIT PROGRAM

DIRECT BENEFICIARIES

**50**

INDIRECT BENEFICIARIES

**150**

**2** ZERO HUNGER



**3** GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



### IMPACT

- Improved malnutrition for needy families
- Supplied monthly basic food kits including protein, carbs, vegetables, fruits and cooking needs.





📍 **Bambous**

## SAW THE SEED

**DIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES**

**15**

**INDIRECT  
BENEFICIARIES**

**45**

**5** GENDER  
EQUALITY



**8** DECENT WORK AND  
ECONOMIC GROWTH



### IMPACT

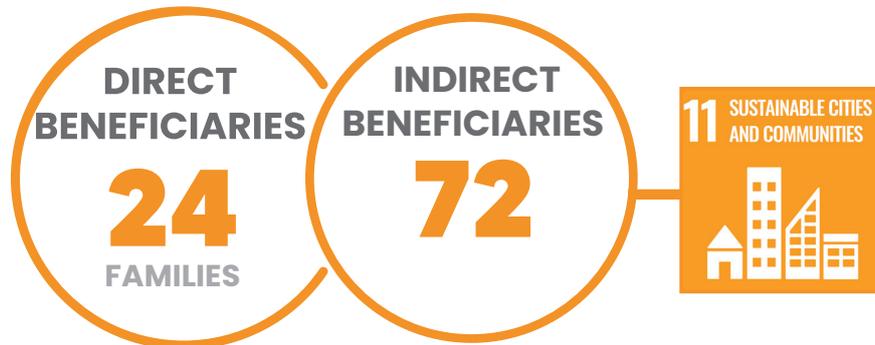
- Delivered a women's empowerment program for 15 women (ages 20–40), strengthening their knowledge, confidence, and ability to make informed life decisions.
- Provided awareness sessions on parenting, health, financial literacy, and marriage, supporting improved family well-being and personal development.
- Enhanced vocational and practical skills, including sewing and handmade household products, enabling participants to pursue entrepreneurship or access better employment opportunities





📍 **Bambous**

## 📉 ROOF AND BED



### IMPACT

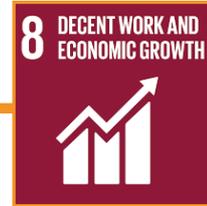
- Improved safety and living conditions for vulnerable families by providing secure roofing to protect homes from heavy rains and cyclones in Mauritius.
- Supported healthier and more stable home environments by providing proper beds for each family, positively impacting children's health, sleep, and ability to learn.
- Implemented the program at a rate of two houses per month, ensuring consistent and sustainable support to families in need.



# PHILIPPINES

 **Manila and Tacloban**

## **SOFT SKILLS PROGRAM**



### **IMPACT**

- Strengthened soft skills within the Filipino community to enhance employability and expand professional capabilities.
- Engaged subject-matter experts from various countries, such as Egypt to facilitate knowledge transfer and deliver specialized expertise across multiple fields.

 **Manila Center, Manila Filipino Women Orphanage, Tacloban, and Sipalay**

## **COMMUNITY AWARENESS PROGRAM**



### **IMPACT**

- Delivered weekly workshops for the community in Manila, such as Mothers' meetings, couples' meetings, and Mental Health Awareness Sessions.
- Conducted weekly Sunday tutorials for kids, youth, and mothers.





📍 **Bacolod, Tacloban, and Sipalay**

## 📌 MEDICAL CONVOYS PROGRAM



### IMPACT

Delivered free healthcare services and essential medicines to underserved and remote communities, improving access to care and supporting better health outcomes.

## » FINANCIALS 2023

### TOTAL REVENUE:

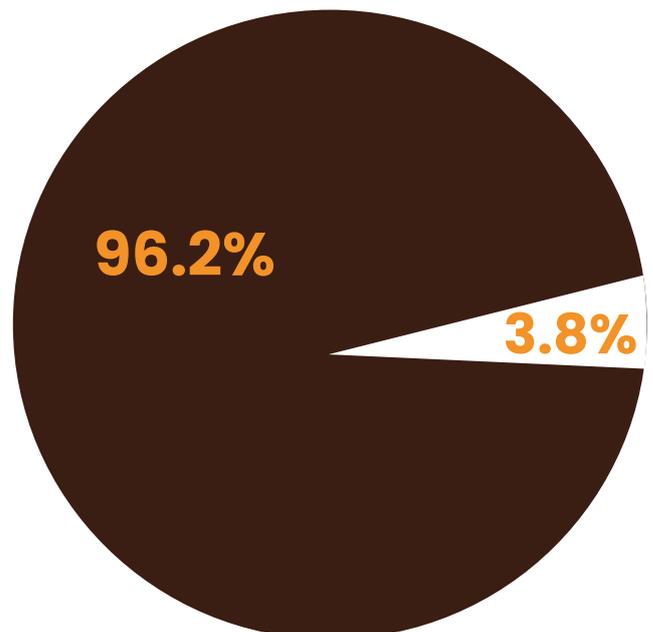
**CAD \$ 2,188,435**



**PROGRAM EXPENSES:**  
**CAD \$ 2,106,29**



**OPERATIONAL EXPENSES:**  
**CAD \$ 82,145**



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