

FACT SHEET FY 2015

For 43 years, St. Andrew's Children's Clinic has provided free, specialized medical care to children living in Mexico who cannot get the care or afford the care they need in their home country. The Clinic is held at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Nogales, Arizona.



Kirik is 8 years old and lives in Navajoa, Sonora. She is a patient in the **Orthopedics, Orthotics, and Nutrition Departments.**

St. Andrew's Children's Clinic is a non-denominational, non-profit organization, with a volunteer professional health care staff. The staff sees approximately 225-250 children the first Thursday of each month except July. Every October, in cooperation with Children's Surgery International and CIMA Hospital, 50-55 children (on average) have cleft palate/cleft lip surgery in Hermosillo, Sonora, Mexico. This special mission involves volunteers on both sides of the US-Mexico border who work with the medical team to give patients smiles and a much better life.

In 2015, with the help of generous donors and volunteers, St. Andrew's Children's Clinic provided the following:

- 3,857 Clinic hours by volunteer health care professionals
- 6,984 Clinic hours by other volunteers
- 2,324 patient visits
- 136 first-time patients to The Clinic
- 186 office visits (US and Mexico)
- 175 lab tests (US and Mexico)
- 61 cleft palate/cleft lip surgeries
- 7,740 professional health volunteer hours for cleft palate/lip surgeries
- 47 eye doctor/surgeries
- 44 orthopedic surgeries
- 92 pairs of eye glasses dispensed
- 44 round-trip flights and transportation to hospitals for patients
- 38 prostheses
- 178 pairs of corrective shoes and orthotics
- 55 repaired hearing aids
- 68 customized wheel chairs, walkers, and strollers
- 28 prescriptions, either for cornea transplants or dermatology patients
- 5 iPads for augmentative/alternative communication patients
- also, medicated eye drops; Braille writers; strollers; speech and language equipment; nutritional supplements; physical, occupational, and speech therapy; dermatology and cardiology consultations; and many generous donations of blankets, diapers, and toys.

We are very proud to report to you that 98% of all donations goes to patient care.