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Our Mission: to support best-in-class charities helping underprivileged Peruvians

# HELP PERU

In the past few weeks large parts of the world have been put on hold. While we all do our part to stop the spread of Covid-19, we want to share some positive news about Help Peru's impact.

## 7,000 Kits Purchased to Protect Medical Personnel From Coronavirus

**HELP PERU**

HAS JOINED THE CAMPAIGN  
**#JUNTOSDESDECASA**  
 (#TOGETHERFROMHOME)  
 from @fundacionOLI

Fundación **oli**  
 organizando las iniciativas

We've donated **\$5,000**  
 towards the purchase of  
**10,000 PROTECTION KITS**  
 for healthcare workers in  
 Peru fighting Covid-19

**JOIN US & SUPPORT  
 PERU'S HEROES!**

In just 10 days the campaign [#JuntosDesdeCasa](#) (#TogetherFromHome) has collected 7,000 protection kits for healthcare workers in Peru. This campaign, initiated by the local NGO [Fundacion OLI](#), and supported by Help Peru and many of our donors has the goal to provide 10,000 protective kits.

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Each kit costs **USD \$6.7** and includes gloves, mask, hat, disposable gown and shoe covers.

Help us with the **remaining 3,000 kits!**

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## Here's What Else We've Been Up To



## 15 Children Receive Live-Changing Surgeries

Every January, a medical team from the organization Komedoplast, travels from the USA

them underwent cráneo-facial reconstruction.

**Jorge** travelled from Arequipa, where he was living in an orphanage. He was likely never treated as a child and had been living with significant facial deformities. He was accompanied by the priests from the orphanage who were always at his bedside. He underwent skull reconstruction and nasal straightening. At last contact, he was doing well and the doctors are looking forward to seeing him for his follow up next year.

**Guadalupe** came for a check up. She was born with hypertelorism - her eye orbits were too far apart since birth. Two years ago, the team performed a facial bipartition to remove bone from the nasal bridge between the eyes and reconstruct the nose with a bone graft. She has recovered well and is now socially more outgoing.

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## High-Quality Preschool Experiences For Kids And Teachers





In 2019, Help Peru sponsored the **early education of 83 children** (0-5 years old) in the Pachacutec school of [Sembrando Juntos](#) in a vulnerable neighborhood of Lima. Help Peru also supported the **training of public school teachers**, improving the education of 90 other children in public schools.

**Giovanna Orellana is one of those teachers.** When she started working at Sembrando Juntos in 2013 she had some trouble adjusting from traditional pedagogy to their method of socio-constructivist teaching, and even doubted its effectiveness. Not only did she fully embrace it, but in 2015 she became the Principal of their newly opened Pachacutec school. In 2019 she also went on to train public school teachers to help them switch to this teaching method. No-one is as prepared as her to help them walk this path, since she did it before them and continues to marvel every day at the success of the method: the kids love going to school; a school that respects, understands and values each of them.



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