



Leaders of Peace

OUR MISSION

Restoring rescued child soldiers and children orphaned by war to become leaders for peace through holistic rehabilitation and art-focused trauma care.



HEALING SPIRITS
Art-Focused Trauma Care,
Discipleship & Peacebuilding



HEALING MINDS
Education, Professional Skills
& Leadership Development



HEALING BODIES
Food, Medical
& Other Basic Needs

OUR APPROACH

Holistic Rehabilitation

Fostering emotional healing and empowerment through holistic programs — healing spirits, minds and bodies.

Art-Focused Trauma Care

Using music, dance, drama, and art in trauma care provides a safe avenue for children to express and process their emotional wounds.



Education

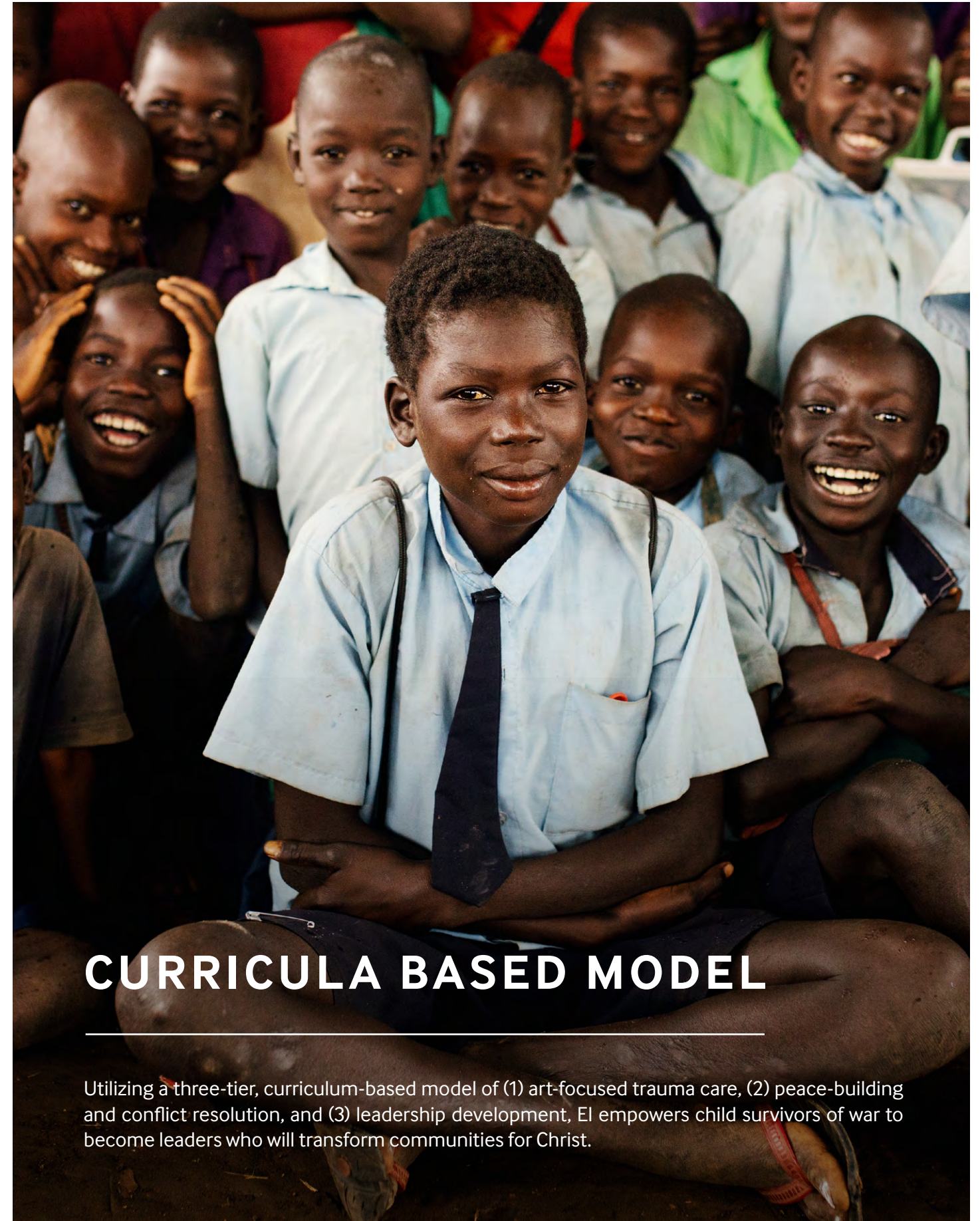
Empowering children to escape poverty, to support families and develop their communities. Education empowers children to move from surviving to thriving!

Peacebuilding and Conflict Resolution

Equipping future leaders with skills to understand, respond to, and overcome conflict.

Local Leadership

Partnering with local counselors and leaders to effect long-term success and empower the next generation of influencers.



CURRICULA BASED MODEL

Utilizing a three-tier, curriculum-based model of (1) art-focused trauma care, (2) peace-building and conflict resolution, and (3) leadership development, EI empowers child survivors of war to become leaders who will transform communities for Christ.



I LOST MY FATHER WHEN I WAS A BABY

When my father died, my mother struggled desperately to raise my seven siblings and me on her own. Along the way, I suffered from a lot of trauma because of the war and I lost all hope. I was in and out of school and I was always hungry.

By God's grace, I became familiar with Exile International's rehabilitation programs. I started participating in several programs and am now excelling in school! The programs have allowed me to heal from the trauma I experienced. Through praise and worship, I have come to receive the Lord as my Savior. I love to sing in the choir at Shalom church & even decided to get baptized! Because of God's provision and the care I received through these programs, I once again have hope for my life!

Shadrach

OUR IMPACT

10 years of healing & hope

4,800 children healing the wounds of war

20 care programs - each with local leadership

78% decrease in PTSD symptoms

4 times more likely to graduate

*compared to national averages in DR Congo & Uganda

**Restoring Children of War.
Empowering Leaders for Peace.**



IN 2018

God brought healing & hope to over 1,600 child survivors of war!

1,600+

children being restored and empowered

678

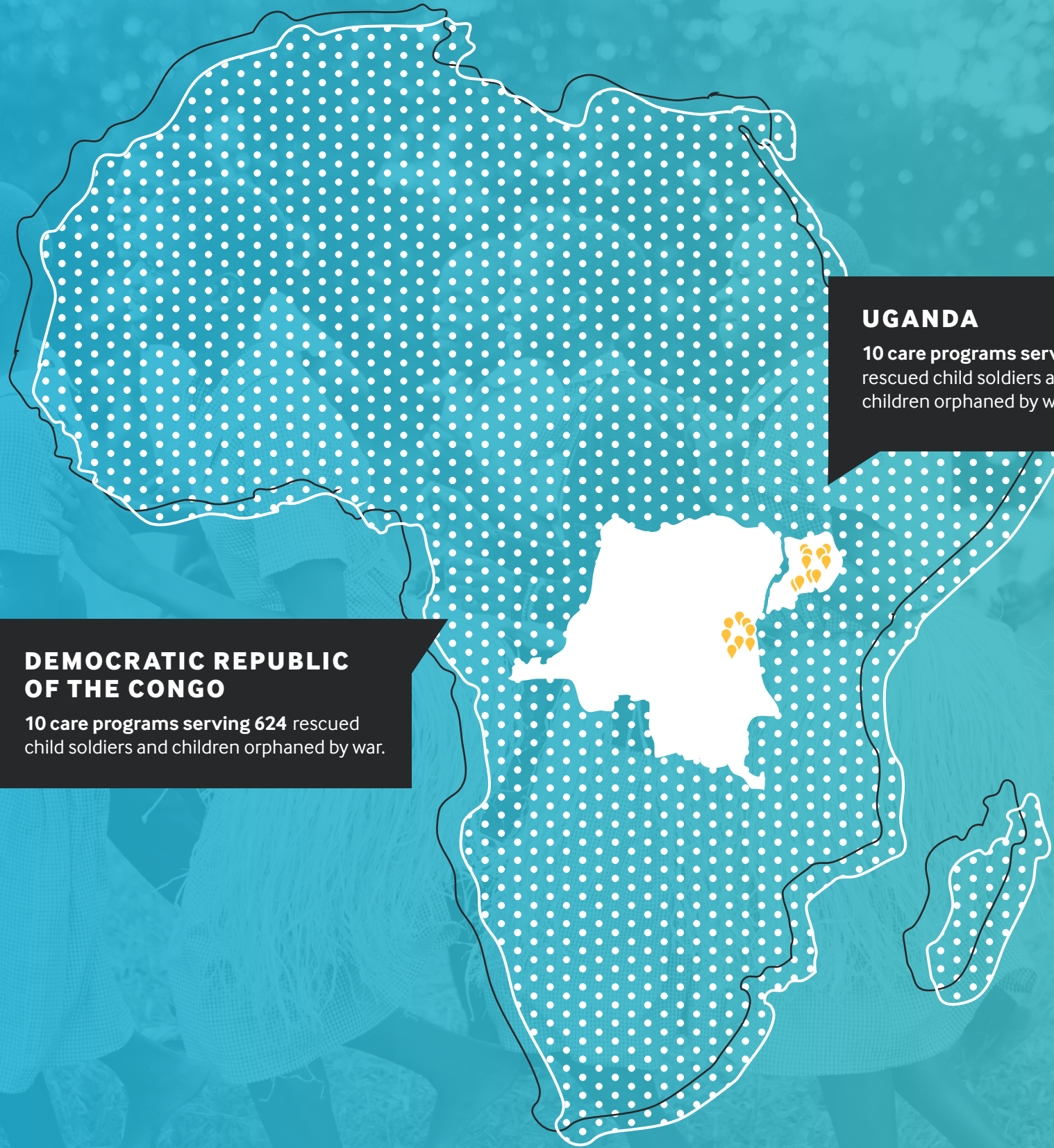
youth in school

20

care programs in DR Congo and Uganda. *Including 8 launched and led by program graduates!

36

beneficiaries now at university or recently graduated from uni!



UGANDA

10 care programs serving 985 rescued child soldiers and children orphaned by war.

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

10 care programs serving 624 rescued child soldiers and children orphaned by war.

95%

of beneficiaries completing their education

*that's 4 times the averages in Uganda & DRC

78%

decrease in post-traumatic stress reactions and symptoms

With your support, lives are being transformed!

THE MULTIPLIER EFFECT

Disciples Making Disciples

Lives are being transformed and these young leaders are bringing healing to their own communities.

These young influencers are not only passionate... they are successfully replicating the care, healing and hope that changed their lives.

With God's help and through these empowered young men and women — good news is spreading and communities are being transformed!



GRAD LED REPLICATION

10 of 20 Care Programs Led by Program Graduates

Focusing efforts on replication driven through graduate-led programs, healing and hope is spreading at exponential rates. And... in previously unreachable communities!

Every year, EI is training and empowering more program graduates to launch care programs in their communities.

We believe this is one of the keys for ending cycles of poverty and violence throughout a region.



LED BY LOCAL LEADERS

EI partners with and trains local counselors, caregivers and leaders to implement culturally appropriate, effective care.

Trainings in the rehabilitative care, peacebuilding and leadership models empower local leaders and beneficiaries to transform their own communities!

ROADMAP TO HEALING

“The power seen in these children's ability to forgive and dream is stronger than the forces of evil that stole their innocence.”

Bethany Williams, PHD, LCSW
Founder / CEO of Exile International



IMPACT

98%

complete primary school

98% of sponsorship program beneficiaries complete primary school. **This exponentially exceeds averages** in Uganda (24.8%) and DR Congo (54.5%)

95%

complete secondary school & vocational

95% of sponsorship program beneficiaries complete their educational journey. **This is 3-4 times higher** than averages in Uganda (17.5%) and DR Congo (31.7%)

1,600+

children being restored and empowered

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youth in school

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university students and graduates

78%

decrease in PTSD symptoms & emotional wounded-ness

Trauma recovery and progress for youth is measured using the CRIES Test — a trauma severity test designed for use with children. Post-tests show a 78% decrease in post-traumatic stress reactions and symptoms. And that's just Phase 1 of EI's care program!



BUDGET

Thanks to you, programs are expanding and meeting more children's needs every year!

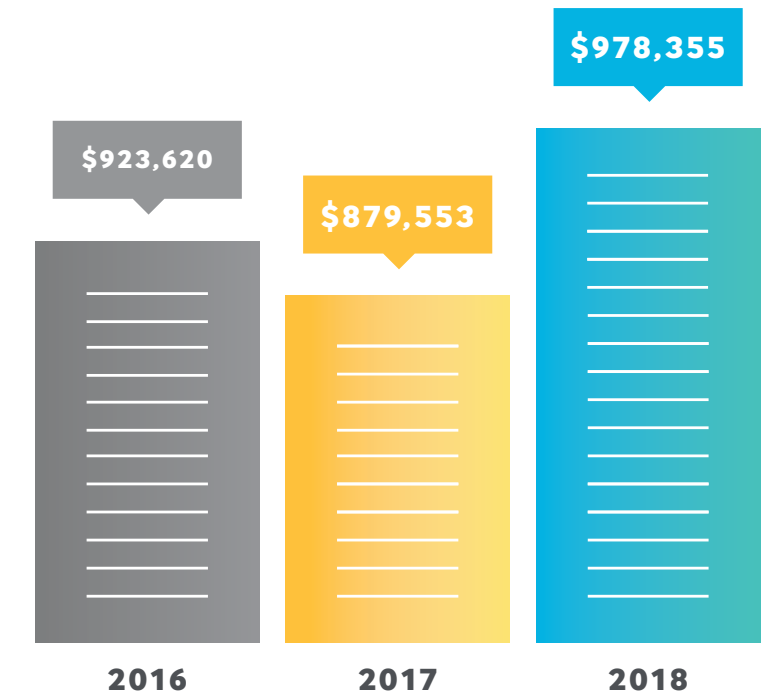
More children are healing from the wounds of trauma and more child survivors of war empowered to thrive!

Your gifts provide child survivors of war with the healing and hope they desperately need.

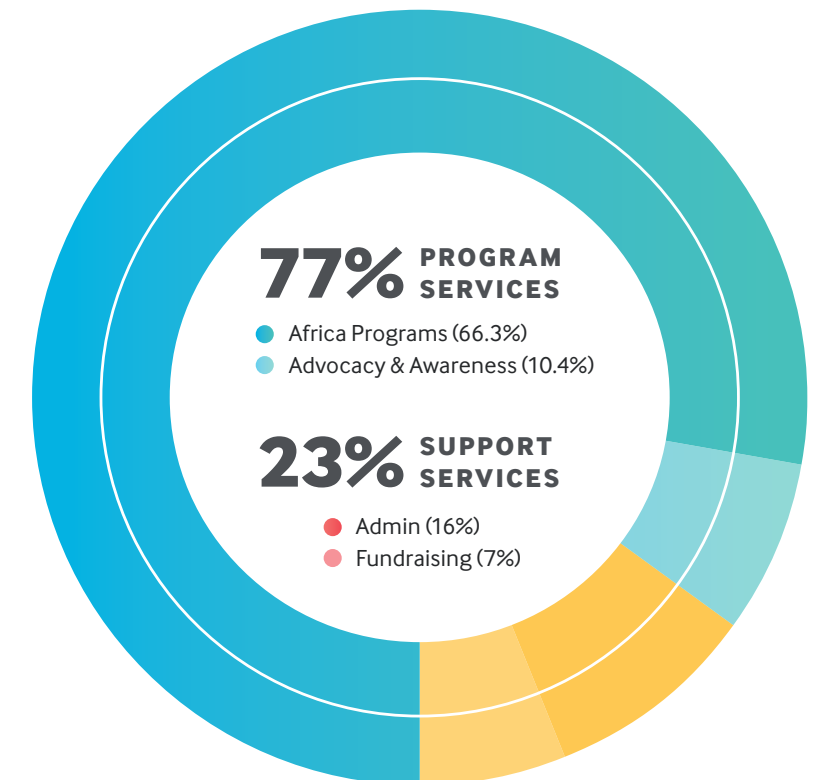
Your donations transform lives!

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EXILE INTERNATIONAL ANNUAL REVENUE



BREAKDOWN OF EXPENSES





HELLO, FRIENDS AND GREETINGS FROM CONGO!

My name is Andréa. I am a trauma counselor and a recent graduate of Exile International's programs in Congo. When I was 14 years old, I was abducted by the rebels and was forced to be a child soldier after my village was burned to the ground. By the grace of God, I was rescued and joined Exile's rehabilitation programs. I was showered with love and care, accepted without judgment, and experienced real peace. I regained hope through counseling and trauma healing and was even able to go back to school! Because of the love and support that I received, I am blessed to say I graduated from university this past year with a degree in psychology!

These programs changed my life, and now I am a counselor at the very care center that helped me to heal! Now I am helping others!

Andréa

DEAR FRIENDS,

2018 was our best year yet! As a direct result of your support, 1,600 rescued child soldiers and children orphaned by war received healing of spirit, mind, and body.

In EI's 20 programs, we saw deeply traumatized children find freedom in Christ. We saw children living on the street become students. We saw some of our graduates become staff members as their deep pain became purpose.

On behalf of our US and Africa teams and the brave children we are honored to serve — thank you for your partnership! We could not do this work without you. Because of your prayers and financial gifts, we are seeing child survivors of war become leaders for peace!

Grace and Peace,



Matthew & Bethany Williams

Exile International Leadership Team

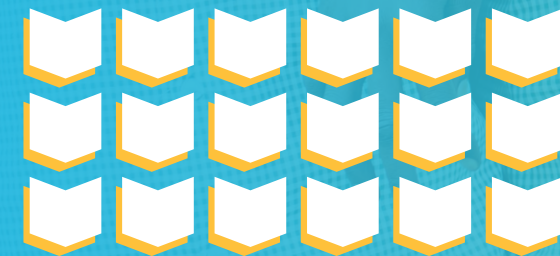
TWO THOUSAND EIGHTEEN IN REVIEW



1600+
CHILDREN
healing their wounds

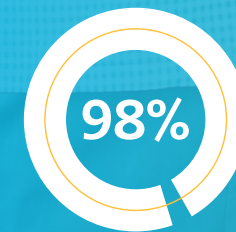
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youth being educated



 **36**

PROGRAM GRADUATES
attending university



COMPLETE PRIMARY SCHOOL



COMPLETE THEIR EDUCATION JOURNEY



Your support makes their
HEALING, HOPE & SMILES possible!



BIG GOALS FOR 2019

GRADUATE-LED MULTIPLICATION

3 to 5 new care programs will be launched & led by program graduates! These young survivors are becoming world changers! They are replicating the programs that transformed their lives and bringing good news to hard-to-reach and dangerous regions of DR Congo.

150 to 250 more child survivors of war will have access to Christ-centered rehabilitative care and discipleship!

GIVING IT AWAY

Exile's model works! So we're giving it away. After numerous requests from organizations and ministries, we're "packaging" EI's holistic trauma care model, The Hope Initiative into replication guides & trainings. We're excited to share and see more war-affected children receive the care, healing and hope they need.

More rescued child soldiers and children orphaned by war are rescued daily. With the right care, their healing and hope are possible. Would you partner with us to provide healing, restoration, and hope for a better future?

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

DONATE

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SPONSOR A CHILD

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**bring good news to the poor
heal the brokenhearted
proclaim freedom to the captives**

– Isaiah 61:1

Accredited Commitment to
Stewardship & Mission Success



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