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## Featured beneficiary story: Mal, may you live long!

On June 28, 2015 our Mali became 3 years old. We are happy as we see him grow because 3 years ago, Mali was in a critical health condition: He was born with respiratory problems and needed urgent care. After weeks of treating him with a respirator – a medical device made possible by you at the Neonatology Intensive Care Unit in Prishtina – he is now able to play, run and grow as a healthy happy boy.

Cases like Mali are many, and thanks to you, all of these children now celebrate their birthdays. Read more...



# Action for Mothers and Children announces its new Medical Committee Members

The Medical Advisory Committee is an appointed advisory body of health professionals to advise the Board of Trusteess and staff on clinical, technical, policy, program and health system issues. The goal of the Committee and the Trustees is to assist Kosovo as a country in constant improvement of the health of women, children and families. Read more...

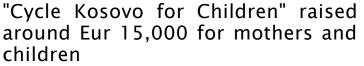


# "Runner for Hearts" campaign raised over Eur 1,500 in one week

As a result of high interest of marathons for the 2015 edition of Prishtina Half Marathon and goodhearted local and international participants, "Action for Mothers and Children" organised its fundraising event in support of AMC's mission to help improve maternal and child health in Kosovo.

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After a successful event last year, the Cycle Kosovo for Children is organized this year too. A group of around 20 cyclists started their cycling tour around Kosovo for three days, for a total distance of 500km with 5000m of climbing.

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# "Action for Mothers and Children" becomes member of KOMF coalition

Being member of this coalition places AMC in a strong advocacy position towards the children's right for healthy lives, which is a pillar of AMC's programs. KOMF and AMC have brainstormed on initial efforts towards advocacy programs for health insurance schemes for mothers and children as part of the KoSana health dialogue program.

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### A workshop from the team of Women Health Resource Center held in Ferizaj

The Family Medicine Training Center in Ferizaj and Action for Mothers and Children organised the one-day workshop on "Physical and Psychological preparation for the Birth Delivery Process," a module taught at the Women Health Resource Centers.

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# Bank Street Charity Invitational supports AMC

As part of this year's Bank Street Charity Invitational, Action for Mothers and Children was represented by its US board members and was one of the beneficiaries of this event. The event gathered golf players in the Burning Tree Country Club in the USA for a golf tournament to raise funds for humanitarian causes, including the one of maternal and child health in Kosovo. More news will come up in the upcoming newsletter.



### AMC's audited report in the website

AMC's work is based on strong and continuous support from its donors, hence we are accountable towards their contributions. AMC's financials have been audited by the Deloitte company. We invite all those of you interested to visit our website for detailed reports.

### AMC activities featured in the media...



Short story for the successful work at our Women's Health Resource Centers has been made. <u>Check out this video...</u>

#### To support our work:

Your donations are gratefully accepted and will be used to continue improving the healthcare for mothers and children in Kosovo. We believe that with the help of our supporters and friends, we will establish the best conditions in giving the developing child a healthy start in life. Our organization is dedicated to the process of making that happen, but we cannot do it without your help.

Give online via Donate Now button below. Donations are accepted through the Hitchcock Foundation, a 501 (c) (3) organisation. Under name of fund, program or doctor\* please specify Action for Mothers and Children/Kosovo Fund.

#### **DONATE NOW**

#### Other ways to contribute:

Gifts may also be made by credit card, direct deposit, or cheque. Click here!

All donations to Action will be acknowledged in writing, and external auditors will annually review Action's budget. The Trustees and staff of Action will appreciate your generosity and also any comments, ideas and suggestions you may have.

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