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Featured beneficiary story: Brave Adea

Sweet brave Adea captured our hearts the moment we laid eyes on her. Since the very first moment she came into this life, at her mother's seventh month of pregnancy, she struggled with her health. After being treated with Survanta medication and oxygen system, stayed in the incubator for some weeks and received treatment with SiPap machine, Adea is a brave survivor. Her mother is a proud parent having her back at home. We wish Adea a long and healthy life. **Read more...**

Let's Support Kosovo's Mothers and Children benefit comes in New York

We are traveling to New York City and invite you to meet us halfway. We would like to welcome you on a 2-hour reception at the Russian Tea Room to see firsthand the struggles mothers and children in the developing world face each day and the solutions we provide for them. All the ticket sales and donations will benefit Action for Mothers and Children.**Read more...**

Coalition K10 strengthens structure and defines main objectives of its advocacy work for year 2017

The member organizations of K10 met to develop the advocacy action plan that will guide Coalition's efforts to improve reproductive health policies and promotion of reproductive and sexual rights in Kosovo. K10 is supported by United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA). **Read more...**

The online evidence-based educational platform BEBA-KS is launched

As part of our goals to extend the services of our Women's Health Resource Centers, we are proud to launch the evidence-based online platform accessible in three languages for mothers, fathers and family members in Kosovo. At Beba-ks we give you the facts so you can make the right choices for you and your family. <u>Read</u> <u>more...</u>

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The store is now permanently located in Nazim Gafurri street, on the way to Germia park, where Lalloshi Couture used to be. The charity shop "Teshavesha" is open every day from 10.00-18.00 and from 12.00-16.00 on Saturdays where citizens can visit and bring donations, buy our collections and participate in our Designers' Week. <u>Read more...</u>









The Australian Embassy & Permanent Mission in Vienna continues to support the Foundation's educational programs

We are happy to announce that the projects carried out by Action for Mothers and Children continue to receive donor support. We have signed the agreement for the second phase of the development of the educational program in the online platform after a successful one year cooperation. <u>Read more...</u>

Let's Dance Event raises Eur 32,175 for mothers and children

For the second year in a row, Action for Mothers and Children brought together over 400 people in the fundraising event "Let's Dance", which took place at Sheshi 21. The event, which is already a tradition, raises funds for health-care services benefiting mothers and children in Kosovo. **Read more...**

The pilot project on cervical cancer screening continues to be succesfully implemented in the Municipality of Prishtina

The pilot project providing free Pap-smears for cervical cancer screening continues to be successfully implemented in the Municipality of Prishtina. Since the launch of this pilot project in July, more than 700 women have been screened and had their Pap-smears in one of the three Family Medicine Centers in Prishtina. The promotional video inviting for free Pap-smears has also been launched and distributed through media and social networks. **Read more...**

The educational program taught at our Women's Health Resource Centers is accredited by the Ministry of Health

The training program that is taught at our Women's Health Resource Centers receives accreditation points from the Board for Continuous Medical Education at the Ministry of Health. This achievement is a result of excellent cooperation between Women's Health Resource Centers, The Development Center for Primary Care, and the Family Medicine Centers where our resource centers operate. <u>Read more...</u>

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Direct Relief is a nonprofit public benefit corporation, based in the State of California – USA, with a mission to improve the health and lives of people. Direct Relief works to strengthen the efforts of its partners through the provision of resources, including financial, technical, and essential medical material and shares a common concern with Action for Mothers and Children for the health and welfare of the population in Kosovo. **Read more...**

The Neonatology Intensive Care and Gynecology/Obstetric Units receive beds from Comodita and Jysk

Our dear friends at Comodita and JYSK companies have donated high quality beds to cover the need for mothers staying at Neonatology Intensive Care Unit and Gynecology/Obstetric hospitals in Prishtina. Those beds certainly provide better conditons for mothers delivering at those hospitals and we thank our dear friends for their geneorus donation. <u>See more...</u>

Women's Health Resource Center makes a new partner

Rugove Corporate continues its contributions in support of the programs developed and implemented by Action for Mothers and Children. Starting from September, Rugove has begun donating bottled water to the Women's Health Resource Center.



AMC featured in the media...

Check this video out showing some of our survivors. Click here...



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Learn more about our Cervical Cancer Screening program from the story showcased at "Familja Ime" in KlanKosova. <u>Check out the video...</u>



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We are happy to share our Hospital Tour video that has been broadcasted in national TV stations aiming at providing beforehand visual experience to women while being guided through this hospital tour. **Check out the video...**



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To support our work:

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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.

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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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