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## EVERY CHILD DESERVES THE OPPORTUNITY TO THRIVE

Arise works to create environments where children have a chance to thrive. We work to alleviate poverty by supporting and empowering families. Empowering families to support themselves increases a childs chance of reaching their full potential.

#### ACCESS TO EDUCATION

In the slums of India, children are often denied an education because their families have little means. Small children may be left to entertain themselves or drafted into the familybusiness as there are no funds to begin their education. This sort of upbrining often leads to abuse or crime.

Partnering with local churches, Arise provides free education, a nutritious daily meal, and basic health care assistance to small children. This education is critical because they will not be permitted to access the local school system unless they attain a basic standard of pre-school education. The Balwadi schools funded through Arise are transformational for many small children.



#### LIFE IN A SLUM IN AFRICA

Many African families living in urban settings struggle to exist. Single mothers frequently raise 6 or 7 children through manual labour making little more than \$1 a day. Children may only get one simple meal each day and have no hope of an education. Homes are often small one room mud or brick structures for the entire family and their posessions. Malaria, malnutrition and other diseases claim many lives.

These circumstances are often desperate but they don't have to be the end of the story. Working with locals on the ground in Uganda, Arise is engaging children and families in communities just like this. Through skills training and business opportunities families access better nutrition, health, and even an education. Lives are being transformed.

### **ORPHANS IN CHINA**

China has a large number of orphan children with physical and mental disabilities. These children rarely have the opportunity to be adopted into loving families. As special needs children reach maturity, they have few opportunities to learn to support themselves. Arise is developing outreach strategies targeting special needs children.

Arise is also working to develop strategies to help children with HIV and girls who have aged-out of orphanages receive care, education and skills training for the future.





Partner with Arise and transform struggling communities into places that children can thrive.

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