



Smile Train is an international children's charity with a sustainable approach to a single, solvable issue: cleft lip and palate.

OUR VISION:

A world where everyone has access to safe, high-quality comprehensive cleft care and is able to live a full and healthy life.



Smile Train's sustainable "teach a man to fish" model enables local medical professionals to provide safe, timely, high-quality cleft treatment to children 365 days a year. We have always championed partnering directly with local hospitals to strengthen health systems and empower local medical professionals to offer surgical services and comprehensive cleft care to children in their own communities.

We know that the journey to living a healthy life for a child with a cleft starts with a smile, but that's just the beginning. Smile Train-supported comprehensive cleft care includes nutrition programs, orthodontic and dental care, speech therapy, and social and emotional support.

Supporting Smile Train gives a child access to a full range of cleft treatment services they would otherwise never receive and ultimately the opportunity for a better quality of life.

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ONE GOAL: To give every child with a cleft a brighter future.



1.5M+ surgeries performed on people of all ages since our founding in 1999



90+ countries where Smile Train has sponsored free cleft treatment



2,100+ trained medical professionals — including surgeons, anesthesiologists, orthodontists, and nutritionists around the world



1,100+ partner hospitals



35 countries where Smile Train offers essential non-surgical cleft care services



540 babies are born each day with a cleft



40,000+ training opportunities