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Our Results

In 18 years we have:

- △ assisted more than 2,500 families.
- △ cared for more than 8,700 children/adolescents.
- △ provided more than 1,615 work tools.
- △ arranged more than 2,200 workshops.
- △ created the Rede Saúde Criança Renascer (Child Health Network), a network of 25 other NGOs connected to public hospitals in Brazil.

Our Awards

In its 18 years of existence, R nascer has received 18 global awards such as:

- △ the Skoll Foundation Award for Social Entrepreneurship in 2006
- △ UBS Visionaries Award for Social Entrepreneurship in 2006
- △ Forbes Magazine named Vera Cordeiro the most influential woman in Brazil in the health area in 2005
- △ 1st place in the Global Development Network Award and the most innovative NGO in the world in 2003

R nascer is audited by Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu and also receives pro-bono assistance from McKinsey & Company, S.D. Daniels & Company, Heller Ehrman LLP, and Jeff Borofsky.



healthcare for children
sustainability for their families

"Saúde Criança Renascer has created a powerful methodology of social inclusion for the very poor."

Muhammad Yunus, Nobel Prize for Peace 2006

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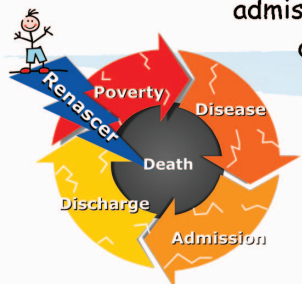
Who We Are

Friends of Renascer

We are a US 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization that helps promoting and fundraising for Saúde Criança Renascer in Brazil. FoR is the center for reference and dissemination of the Saúde Criança Renascer's model in the United States and was established in New York City in 2000.

Saúde Criança Renascer

Renascer was founded in 1991 by Dr Vera Cordeiro, as a non-profit organization, with no political or religious affiliation. The constant admission/readmission cycle of the children treated at the Hospital da Lagoa, a public hospital in Rio de Janeiro - Brazil, was cause for indignation among the health professionals in the hospital. Many children were returning to the hospital after being released, often in more serious condition, some would even die.



Our Mission

Renascer's mission is to provide assistance to children and families from Hospital da Lagoa, who live below the poverty line, with the objective of promoting self-sufficiency and breaking the admission/readmission cycle.

Our Work



Families are considered based on their health and income needs and must possess the will to improve.

When a family is accepted, their needs are evaluated and a Family Action Plan is developed entailing the 5 areas shown above.

During the family's restructuring period, Renascer provides food, medication, vocational training courses, work tools, psychological, psychiatric and nutritional assistance. If necessary Renascer also provides material and labor to improve poor housing conditions.



Our Founder

Dr. Vera Cordeiro has over 20 years experience in public hospitals. She worked at Hospital da Lagoa from 1978 until 1998, where she founded the psychosomatic medicine sector. In 1991 she founded the Saúde Criança Renascer. She was elected an Ashoka fellow in 1992, an Avina leader in 2000, and a Schwab Social Entrepreneur in 2001. In 2005, she was elected a board member of PATH, a catalyst for global health. In 2006 she received the Skoll Foundation Award for Social Entrepreneurship.



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Become a Contributor

Sponsor a Child's Family

Renascer assists 250 families (approx. 1,000 people) per month at an average monthly cost of \$350 per family. Families spend an average period of 2 years at the program. One family can have as many sponsors as needed.

You can sponsor a child's family by donating:

- △ \$90 quarterly △ \$360 annually △ Other \$ _____
- △ \$4,200 to support an entire family for a year

Once enrolled you will receive information about the development of the child and his/her family three times per year.

Become a Member

You can become a member by making an annual contribution:

- △ \$50 △ \$100 △ \$150
- △ Other \$ _____

Please send this form along with your check payable to:

Friends of Renascer

Or you can pay by PayPal or credit card thru our website. Contributions are deductible for income tax purposes as allowed by law.

△ I authorize Friends of Renascer to publish my name on its website as a member and/or sponsor.

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