

Con Corazón Outreach Report

30th November 2022 – Marampaqui

The Smokeless Metal Stoves - SMS have already arrived in Marampaqui. The construction of the stoves were made in the city of Cusco, in charge of specialists in metal welding. Later, we transported the heavy stoves in a truck to Marampaqui where the beneficiaries were waiting for us to help unload them. All the stoves were located in one room until our next visit, where we will give instructions on how to do the installation.

A very important and delicate point is that the beneficiaries agree to stop using traditional open fire stoves, which are the ones that produce indoor contamination. For this, we have carried out health promotion activities throughout the year, specifically on the issue of upper airway health. However, we believe that despite the efforts, some beneficiaries will find it difficult to change the habit that they have inherited from their ancestors.

For the project to be effective, we apply theories of change where a dynamic of dialogue is developed between the different people involved or with an interest in the intervention. This dialogue is essential to capture all the different perspectives on why and how the intervention is considered to work out.



Activities

- General Medicine, 28 patients were seen.
- Dentist, 20 patients were seen by our dentist
- Laboratory, 12 lab exams were performed.

Photo gallery



After having transported the kitchens to Marampaqui, they are unloaded with the help of some beneficiaries.



Children and their mothers frequently visit our Medical Center. We are happy to help them.