

Con Corazón Outreach Report

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Teaching children the basic and good hygiene habits is an investment in the short, medium and long term. We are concerned about the general health conditions of the little ones. Due to limitations in access to education, especially for parents, they are limited in the transmission of evidence-based knowledge at home.

As a consequence, we have a high rate of malnutrition causing an increase in anemia. Currently in Peru, 40.1% of children, from 6 to 35 months, suffer from anemia; In other words, we are talking about almost 700,000 anemic children under 3 years of age out of 1.6 million nationwide (source).

In addition to this fact, children in their homes do not learn how to prevent diseases that could be easily avoidable. In coordination with the Marampaqui school, Con Corazón is working on teaching hygiene habits to the little ones in the presence of adults, who have previously listened to a hygiene talk designed exclusively for them.



Activities

Medicine, we have seen 25 patients.

Dentist, 13 patients

Laboratory, 11 lab tests were done.

Health promotion for all our patients.



Photo Gallery





Indira, teaching children on how to brush their teeth. They also received toothbrushes and toothpastes which help improve oral hygiene.





Dr. Ingrid talking to patients about preventing diseases in women.