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Getting Care Right for Children & Youth MONTHLY NEWS UPPDATE

Note: This monthly wrap up is intended to serve as a compendium of the latest developments in the area of alternative care. We hope you will find it useful and be able to use it in your day to day work on research, writing and practice on child and youth care. Reach out to us at icbjournal@udayancare.org for any suggestions or feedback on the newsletter. We look forward to your inputs.

GENERAL ALTERNATIVE CARE NEWS

INTERNATIONAL:

- Children in South Africa become orphans due to coronavirus pandemic
- Reuniting children with a parent in Canada may take years
- The shadow orphan crisis of Covid-19
- Children's care in UK needs 'fundamental redesign', report says

ASIA:

- China intensifies clampdown on Christian orphanages
- SHC seeks details of action against unregistered orphanages
- Child trafficking in South Asia facilitated by Open Borders
- What happens to the children of the pregnant women behind bars in the Philippines' drugs war?





INDIA:

- Policy watch: The curse of being an abandoned child in India
- Future of migrant kids uncertain amid spike

- Child malnutrition in India: A systemic failure
- School closure have disrupted learning, widened gaps, affected children's nutrition and health: India task force on Covid-19

NEWS RESOURCES (PUBLICATIONS, RESEARCH PAPER, STUDY, TOOL KIT, POLICY BRIEF) IN ALTERNATIVE CARE SPACE

- A brief for practitioners
- Foster caring in an era of COVID-19: the impact on personal self-care
- A brief for policy makers
- Assessment Tool for Children In Alternative Care



ADVOCACY/IMPACT/DATA/CALL FOR PROPOSALS/ FELLOWSHIP RELATED NEWS

International Day for Street Children; Making #TheInvisiblesVisible: A call to action for Children Without Parental Care in Africa

YOUNG VOICES THAT APPEAR IN MEDIA

- School Radio is a platform where the youth and children of India can voice their opinions on important subjects
- Voices of care leavers

- Care leavers 'should be told about' their social services file
- Children demand world leaders save the planet





COUNTRY SPECIFIC DEVELOPMENT IN ALTERNATIVE CARE

INTERNATIONAL:

- SOS Children's Villages Protect Children in Estonia During COVID-19
- Turkey delivers supplies to orphanage in South Sudan

INDIA:

 SOS Children Signs MoU with Meghalaya to Implement Individual Foster Care for Needy Children

- DCPCR rescues 331 victims of child labour in 2020-21
- A New Lease Of Life For Over 5000 Children Living On The Streets Of Hyderabad City As They Will Soon Have A Legal Identity

OPPORTUNITIES AND EVENTS (JOBS, CONFERENCE ALERTS, CALL FOR ABSTRACTS)

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