



Action for Brazil's Children Trust (ABC) is dedicated to helping the most vulnerable children and young people of Brazil.

Millions of children across Brazil lead lives dominated by extreme poverty and fear of violence.

Many are forced to survive on the cities' streets with little or no hope for the future.

For the last 10 years ABC has worked to transform the lives of young people across Brazil. We support community-led organisations by funding shelters, basic health care, education and projects which inspire change by working through film, music, dance and theatre.

Our work provides an all-too-rare source of hope for some of Brazil's poorest and most vulnerable children. Thousands of children and their families are reached every day by ABC's projects.

But we need your support to continue our work. You can organise fundraising events, get your company involved or make a personal donation.

In whatever way you choose to help, your generosity will have a lasting effect, transforming the lives of children and their families across Brazil.



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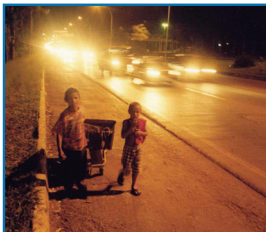
ABC supports over 20 projects which tackle the problems of extreme poverty, drug addiction, exploitation and abuse that drive children on to the streets of Brazil.

These are just three examples of the work we support.

shelter & care:

Sao Paulo | A. A. Crianca

AA Crianca **defends the legal rights of the child** by addressing the particular needs of children living permanently on the streets. The project helps them to get into schools, find jobs and establish their lives away from the streets. A drop-in centre and informal educational workshops help children deal with the huge practical, emotional effects of life as a street child.



education & citizenship:

Recife | Patronato ISMEP

Patronato **tackles social exclusion through education** by helping children and their families who live in extreme poverty in Recife, North East Brazil. Their main programme provides educational support for children struggling at school but they also provide advice and training for families so they can build stable livelihoods. In 2005, Patronato won a UNICEF Brasil regional award.



arts & culture:

Salvador | Casa do Teatro Popular

This project uses **urban arts to promote active citizenship**. In two forgotten neighbourhoods, Bom Juá and Alta de Terezinha in Salvador, Casa Teatro offers workshops in guitar, poetry, circus skills and cinema to get children off the streets and inspire them to believe their lives can be different.



The children take part in regular public performances, drawing in large crowds. These provide a focus for the children and give them a real sense of achievement which in turn inspires the wider community in which they live.

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