

ACTIVITY REPORT: MBONG JOYCE SURGERY AND PHYSIOTHERAPY

Mbong Joyce is a young nine years old girl living in Dibombari subdivision. She is an internally displaced girl who ran away from the crisis zone, Kumba in South west region. At the age of six when her mother came to Douala to find a better future for her children, Joyce was shoot at the right leg. Since then she did not receive the appropriate treatment on the wound.

For the 2020/2021 school year, Joyce was introduced to Hope and Life by the inspector in charge of the primary education in Dibombari as an IDP who need special cares. Joyce needed a surgery on her leg in order to reuse her right leg.

Hope and Life immediately engage a procedure for Joyce treatment. Bon Secours was contacted to find a solution for the surgery.

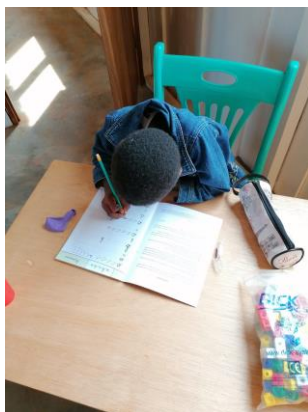
Through a network of partners, La Maison de L'Espérance, an institution based in Dimako, East region of Cameroon, accepted to receive Joyce for a surgery.

The surgery succeeded at 70% and Joyce is now recovering. She can walk without the crushes but still have to see a physiotherapist for a reeducation.





After a month of recovery in Douala, Joyce went back to Dimako for a physiotherapy. The physiotherapy helped to recover 90% of the use of her leg. She can walk without crutches, but due to the wound and the long period of non-activity of her leg it is recommended that she uses her leg gradually. She therefore has a few weeks of using the crutches. During her stay there, she was also attending classes with other children so she is not left behind. Joyce is back to Dibombari and her mother will continue the massages with her as she was taught how to do it.





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