Greetings!
So much has already happened in 2020 and we know many of you are searching for ways to make a difference.

Thanks to our donor community, who have helped us raise more than $100,000 for flood victims in Sistan Baluchestan. These disaster relief funds will be sent to Iran under our General License E from OFAC.* We know recovery takes a long time and the funds will help families in late spring/summer.

There’s more you can do.

Right now, our waitlist is long with unsponsored children. One sister organization sent 70 new students last week. Your heart may be moved to support 12-year-old Asal’s single-income family in Tabriz, Iran with regular food packages. Perhaps you want to pay 7-year-old Serajuddin’s tuition in Mazare Sharif, Afghanistan. He wants to be a teacher one day. Read their stories here.

While on our website, check out our 2019 Annual Report. Examine our financials and learn about Faezeh and Clarista’s successes and how Nastran, Ghazal, and Zahra’s families are safer thanks to your generosity. Read here.

Child Foundation is proud to be an award-winning nonprofit registered in the US, doing good around the world. Help us support more children in need.

Sincerely,

Navid SeyedAli, President

*A General License E from OFAC allows humanitarian aid but is separate from the OFAC license needed for recurrent sponsorship dollars to support child education. We are soon submitting a new application for a second license that would permit sending students stipends again. In the meantime, our food program for Iranian children is coming together and we are excited about the impact on families’ nutrition and budgets.
Here's my story...

Fatemeh is 8 years old and from Karaj, Iran. She is in 1st grade. Her father is not able to work due to poor mental health. Her mother is a housewife. The family lives in a rented house and their primary source of income is through donations.

Support Fatemeh’s education for $30 per month.

Roshani is 16 years old and from Kathmandu, Nepal. She is a brilliant student in 10th grade and has experienced extreme poverty from an early age. She lives with her mother and an older sister. Her father has passed away. Her mother works as a maid to make ends meet. Her sister is in school as well.

Support Roshani’s education for $30 per month.

Amir Reza is 10 years old and from Eilam, Iran. He is in 3rd grade and has a brother who suffers from type 2 diabetes. Amir Reza’s father passed away and his mother has custody of him and his brother. The family lives in a rented house. However, their primary sources of income are government subsidy programs and donations.

Support Ami Reza’s education for $30 per month.

I got sponsored!

Asal is 12 years old, living in Tabriz, Iran. Someone stepped up to sponsor her education yesterday.

Her mother will soon receive food packages to support nutrition and free up their other income for other expenses while Asal is enrolled in school.

Child Foundation is coordinating sponsorship funds for Iranian children to send food packages. Food packages are useful to vulnerable families facing food shortages and a roughly 50% increase in prices since last year. Many of you may remember that food packages are what Child Foundation provided children prior to our first OFAC license for cash transfers.
Warmth for Afghan families

It is deeply satisfying when the long process of research, fundraising, purchasing, and coordinating finally reaches families in need. **We are excited that much of the coal our donor community helped us buy has been delivered.** Mazare-Sharif, Afghanistan is infamous for extreme winter and summer weather and our affiliate office in the city will wrap up deliveries to all 300 families soon.

Thank you for supporting families in this beautiful part of Afghanistan.

Sharing our mission at Nowruz

Child Foundation would love to be part of your Nowruz event. We want to help you share your Nowruz with the thousands of our sponsored children in Iran and Afghanistan also welcoming the new year. Please contact our Volunteer Team if you want print or digital materials about our programs for your guests.

Whether it is food packages, tuition payments, medical supplies for Thalassemia pediatric patients, or bicycles for Afghan kids... Your community’s eidi gifts can make such a difference.

Email us: volunteer@childfoundationusa.org

Tax Statements & Annual Reports are on the way

Our team put together donation tax statements and annual reports for every Child Foundation donor based in the US. If you do not receive your letter next month, contact our office.

**Our Annual Report is also here.**