

## 2020: THE CHILDREN STILL NEED YOU

We thank you for your incredible support and wish you a happy and healthy holiday season. Despite the difficulties of this year, we have uplifting news, which we wanted to share with you as we look forward to a safer and more positive 2021.

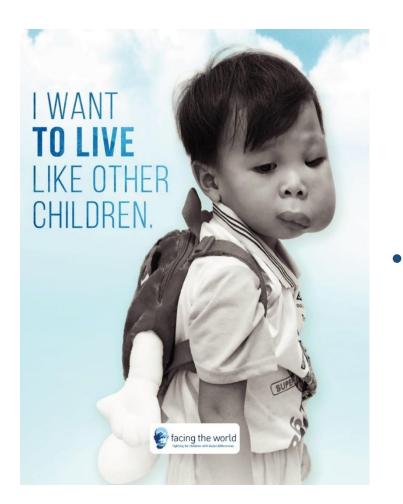
As you know, due to the pandemic, missions to Vietnam and Fellowships to the UK, Canada and the US in 2020 were paused: nonetheless our program remains vibrant:

- TREATMENT: Despite Covid, more than 400 children have continued to be treated by our partner hospitals and doctors in Vietnam, as the complex caseload grows in our Vietnam Centers.
- 2. TEACHING AND TECHNOLOGY: Technology is key to our work, and this year its role has intensified. Our Vietnamese doctors have been participating in international presentations and conferences online, and, via our telemedicine platform, 70 Vietnamese doctors have continued to receive training. Our telemedicine network is ever-expanding, with a new international Center going live in the coming weeks. And others will follow.
- **3. ACCREDITATION:** The UK Royal College of Surgeons is currently carrying out an extensive review of all training programs run by the charity's medical partners in Vietnam with a view to awarding accreditations in 2021.
- 4. **EQUIPMENT:** The charity has donated game changing equipment to partner hospitals this year including top GE monitors as well as a Stryker endoscopy tower, which has enabled the first laparoscopic craniofacial operation to be performed in Vietnam.

Photos: New Endoscopy equipment revolutionises craniofacial surgery in Vietnam



From all of us, worldwide with the charity, we would like to take this opportunity to say 'THANK YOU' to all our volunteers and supporters without whom none of this would be possible.



## **5-Year Goal:**

- Raise £3.5 million
- 40,000 surgeries
- **3 Craniofacial Centers** 
  - 200 fellowships

## Please help these children.

DONATE NOW

We wish you a happy festive season and good health for the New Year.

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