

Children in Crisis Profile:

Children in Crisis (CIC) is a Zambian NGO that began operations in 2001 with the intention of alleviating the suffering of children affected and orphaned by HIV/AIDS. The main objectives of this organisation are to provide children with a safe and nurturing environment in which they are able to develop and their rights are protected. CIC achieves this goal by providing material, psychological, and developmental support for the children, their families and communities. Specifically, CIC supports children with their educational needs, provides counselling services, conducts awareness campaigns on HIV and child abuse, supports 20 child rights clubs in schools, conducts VCT sessions, and works with parents and guardians to conduct income generation activities. Currently CIC works with over 700 children in two target areas; Lusaka and Chibombo district. Children in Crisis may be contacted by post: PO Box 50196, Ridgeway, Lusaka, Zambia. By phone: (260) 1 221909. Or by email: cic@zamtel.zm