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Healey International Relief Foundation News: February 2016

--Turning Scars Into Stars--

Report From Sierra Leone

Healey IRF and Caritas Freetown are partnering on the operation of a mobile health clinic that serves the most vulnerable populations in Freetown.



Read our In-Country Director's detailed report regarding these clinic services in this month's [Report From Sierra Leone](#).

Healey IRF donations arrive in Freetown with medical supplies for clinics & hospitals

A 40 feet container of hospital beds and mattresses arrived recently in Freetown. This equipment will now be distributed to Healey IRF clinics and hospitals throughout Sierra Leone. Masks, eco blankets, and clothing for Ebola survivors arrived in a separate shipment.





Healey IRF Ebola Orphan Project What you can do to help turn scars into stars

The Ebola epidemic left thousands of young children orphaned throughout Sierra Leone. Healey IRF has been asked to lead a project in the Western Area of Sierra Leone that has over 2,000 orphaned children. Their stories are tragic but can have a happy ending with your help. Pictured below is Survived -- who lost both his parents during the Ebola crisis. On his own fending for himself and pillaging for food in the slums of Freetown he was aptly nicknamed Survived. A contractor in Freetown discovered him behind an unfinished house and sought help. Social workers placed Survived at the Fatima Interim Care Center that is supported by Healey IRF. Now Survived is enrolled in school and his smile indicates a bright future. If you would like to help us in our work to support orphans like Survived please visit our [website](#).



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