

## Education

- ♥ 494 **academic scholars** supported in 2021 (not including Kinship Care!)
- ♥ 67 **college graduates** (5 medical)
- ♥ 35 **high school graduates** + 38 more 12th graders now eligible for college (graduation to be held in the spring)
- ♥ 511 **vocational & technical school students** (not including Freed Kamlaris)
- ♥ 6 **technical school graduates**

### Reeta\*

When new mom Reeta's\* (25) husband lost his job as a driver due to the COVID pandemic, she leapt into action, joining an NYF vocational training course and becoming a skilled plumber!



## Shelter

- ♥ 189 children lived safe with family in 2021 with the help of **Kinship Care** stipends
- ♥ 82 children called **Olgapuri** home - 16 have graduated and moved into college hostels & 5 new arrivals have joined us (with 6 more arriving soon!)

### Kabita\* & Mina\*

After Mina's\* (12) mother died, her father's alcoholism worsened until Mina was running the household instead of attending school. With help from NYF's Kinship Care program, Mina is now living with her maternal aunt, Kabita\*, who is honored to be caring for her beloved sister's child.



## Health

- ♥ 167 children served at **Nutritional Rehabilitation Homes** in 2021
- ♥ 2,765 children received nutritional screening at community events
- ♥ 7 children treated at the **New Life Center**
- ♥ 2,529 adults received home health & nutritional education services

### Janaki\*

Janaki\*, 9, comes from a family in the Dalit (or "untouchable") caste - so when the COVID pandemic lockdowns began, her parents were among the first to lose their jobs. Frightened by how thin her daughter had become, Janaki's mom was so relieved to learn about the care available at the Nutritional Rehabilitation Home - and overjoyed to see the girl's health restored!



## Freedom

- ♥ 70 Freed Kamlaris have completed our **SAAET greenhouse training course**, with an additional 26 currently enrolled
- ♥ 329 more Freed Kamlaris received **vocational training aligned with their personal financial goals**: 212 Tea & Snacks Shop entrepreneurs, 67 budding Industrial Tailors & 50 daring Mushroom Farmers!

### Gita\*

Gita\* (22) spent four years of her childhood as a kamlari servant, but now she runs a small farming business of her own. With lessons learned through a special NYF greenhouse program, she raised her earnings significantly in only a few months!



# COVID-19 Response

- ♥ 244 COVID patients served at **NYF's COVID Isolation Center** between April & September 2021
- ♥ 4,600 kg (10,141 lbs) of **Lito** (highly-nutritious "super flour") produced, packaged, and distributed to retirement facilities, childcare homes, hospitals, health posts, schools, communities impacted by flooding, and families experiencing financial hardship due to the pandemic
- ♥ Laptops, TVs, and other materials provided to create 80 **Access to Education** satellite centers are now being used as valuable tools in rural school districts. Instructors in these areas are teaching more effectively and creating better lesson plans. Students with no other access to computer technology are now receiving this valuable exposure during their early education days - which will feed into better career opportunities for these children in years to come!

*NYF staff cooks at the Kathmandu Valley Nutritional Rehabilitation Home are used to preparing large, nutritious meals together - but they're not used to barricading themselves in the kitchen while doing so!*

*This close-knit group of women practiced strict protocols to keep safe while feeding patients at our COVID Isolation Center. We are so grateful for the dedication they showed during this challenging year!*

We are grateful to Nepal Youth Foundation for its outstanding services since the very beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic in Nepal, and for the well-facilitated quarantine and COVID Isolation Center in partnership with Lalitpur. We extend our appreciation to NYF in recognition of its invaluable contribution during this health emergency and hope for similar collaborations in the coming days.

*Chiri Babu Maharjan, Mayor  
Lalitpur Metropolitan City*



## Coming in 2022...



- ♥ **Olgapuri Vocational School** is expanding to allow on-campus courses and satellite courses to run concurrently after the pandemic! We are also adding an additional course: Auto Mechanic training.
- ♥ We are introducing permanent remote services through the **New Life Center** for families with children living with HIV. Beginning in January, NYF is also launching an Awareness & Advocacy Campaign to combat the devastating stigma associated with HIV in Nepal.
- ♥ **NYF's US website** is getting a much-needed update! We are so excited to share our improved digital space with you in the coming months. (Don't worry - our URL will remain the same!)

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