



# Safe Shelter

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Segbohoue, Benin | Construction + first-year operations | Budget: CAD 168,000

## Purpose

In Benin (Segbohoue), Ingrid Wallin Children's Home protects abandoned children ages 0-5 and builds futures through an international school program.

Safe Shelter funds the construction of child-safe facilities and the first year of essential operations so children can grow in a secure, nurturing environment with education pathways from the start.

## 12-month targeted goals

- Construct or renovate safe dormitory and care spaces (sleeping rooms, sanitary blocks, secure perimeter).
- Equip the home with essential furnishings and child care materials (beds, mattresses, storage, hygiene kits).
- Cover first-year operating costs: staff stipends, food, basic healthcare, utilities, and transport.
- Launch and support the international school pathway (supplies, learning materials, coordination).
- Implement safeguarding practices and simple monitoring (monthly reporting on care, costs, and outcomes).

*Sustainability goal: build long-term support through partnerships and local resilience initiatives.*

## Budget (CAD)

Total: 168,000

Construction / renovation (build, sanitation, safety)	80,000
Furnishings & child care equipment	15,000
Kitchen setup & basic supplies	6,000
School program support (materials, fees support)	10,000
First-year operations (staff, food, utilities, transport, health)	46,000
Management, reporting & safeguarding	6,000
Contingency	5,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>168,000 CAD</b>

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