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Newsletter - May, 2013 (First Edition!)

Dear friends and supporters of BCMF,

Welcome to the first edition of the BCMF's new regular feature - our monthly newsletter.

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BCMF 2012 Annual Report

In this first edition of the newsletter BCMF is launching our 2012 Annual Report.

<http://www.burmachildren.net/news/bcmf-2012-annual-report/>

The report contains the many highlights and challenges of 2012!

In 2012, BCMF again saw an increase in our caseload in 2012, with 189 patients registered on the program – up 17% from 2011 (162 patients) and 49% since 2010 (127 patients). We anticipate that in 2013 this increase will accelerate further, in part due to the increased mobility the changing political situation has given people in Burma – they can now travel with greater ease to the Thai-Burma border to seek treatment not available in Burma.

While we look back at 2012 we also look to the anticipated challenges of 2013. Already in 2013 we have seen unprecedented numbers of patients registered in the program, 77 alone in the first quarter of 2013 (up from 41 in the last quarter of 2012). If this rate of intake is maintained BCMF is facing a most significant increase in our caseload and will

need to meet this challenge in 2013.

We look forward to the rest of the year ahead and the many highlights and challenges our work here at BCMF always entails. With the support of so many, both locally and internationally, we are confident we will meet the needs of our patients and the expected increased caseload for 2013.

Click [here](#) to view the report or contact jacqui@burmachildren.com to order a hard copy.

New Video - "Operating to Give Burma's Kids a Future"

We are also proud to launch in this first edition of Newsletter, our new video, "[Burma Children Medical Fund - Operating to give kids a chance](#)". This short video, produced by the [Karen News](#) team, follows BCMF's work and some of the patients we treat.

Click [here](#) to view it on You Tube or contact jacqui@burmachildren.com to order a hard copy.

We hope to provide you with further information about BCMF's work in this regular monthly newsletter feature, including following some of our patients during the treatment process and to introduce you to the BCMF team.

Best regards,
BCMF Team

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