

# GET CLOSER

## TO OUR HOMES

### DISCOVER NPH PERU

The home was originally located in rented accommodations in Cajamarca, a small city in the northern Andes Mountains. Because of difficult accessibility – it was 13 hours by car from Lima – the home was relocated to a rental site in Lunahuaná – closer to the capital – in May 2007. The children moved to the permanent site, Casa Santa Rosa, in October 2011, although construction is ongoing.

### NPH PERU FACTS

**Opened:** October 6, 2004

**Children/youth fully supported:** 105

**Total services provided:** 107\*

**Location:** Two hours south of Lima, the capital, in San Vicente de Cañete

**Features:** 37 acres of land, garden, playground, clinic, therapy center, solar water heaters and a water treatment system

\*Includes children and youth fully supported, community children, youths and adults who receive support by either attending our onsite schools, receive scholarships, receive in-kind donations and or medical/social services.

**OVER 100  
CHILDREN  
CALL NPH PERU HOME**



## COUNTRY FACTS

**Area:** 798,598 square miles – slightly smaller than Alaska

**Population:** 30,741,062 (July 2016 est.)

**Languages:** Spanish, Quechua, Aymara, and many minor Amazonian languages

**Issues:** Earthquakes, tsunamis, flooding, landslides, mild volcanic activity, civil war and pollution



## DID YOU KNOW?

- Peru is the first country in South America to have an NPH home.
  - Each of the family-style homes is designed to accommodate 16 children and two caregivers. The eighth home was completed in 2015.
  - A leadership group plans special events, assists new children with the adaptation to living at the home and serves as mentors.
  - The school year begins in mid-March.
  - The children currently attend local schools. Many had never been to school prior to joining NPH. A special education program was added in 2015.
- A bakery, which is the home's first vocational workshop, was completed in 2016. It will provide the opportunity for youth to learn a valuable trade, as well as provide bread for the home.
  - In 2015, approximately 220 pounds of beans were harvested from the home's garden. In 2016, that increased to 770 pounds. In addition, 140 fruit trees were planted. When the fruit is ready for harvest in approximately three years, the hope is there will be surplus to sell.



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