

# CHILDREN SPEAKING ON BEHALF OF CHILDREN IN STREET SITUATIONS

Children advocating, mobilizing, raising awareness,  
informing and communicating.

Sub-Saharan Africa: Mali

The National Child Parliament sent an advocacy letter to three Ministries on 21 April 2020: Ministry of Health and Social Affairs, Ministry of National Education, Superior teaching and scientific research, Ministry of Promotion of Woman, child and family. In the letter they noted the situation of children living in the streets because they are exposed and not protected from getting the disease of COVID-19. They also noted the case of children living in conflict zones who are also vulnerable twice because of COVID-19 and the conflict situation in the center and the north. They asked the different Ministers to : (i) plead with the government to get more actions for children living in the streets ; (ii) advocate to facilitate the access to humanitarian assistance dedicated to children living in conflict zones.

**Children's parliament also raised awareness in TV spots**

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