

Emma



Name: Emma Age: 5 years
Village: Bugumbe Diagnosis: Cerebral Palsy, Epilepsy
Blindness

Emma is a precious little boy who was discovered by Home of Hope staff during home visits in the nearby community. He was living with his grandmother who had become too ill to care for him. So, the Home of Hope staff brought him to Home of Hope for care. When he arrived, he was pretty malnourished, but that has been corrected since being at Home of Hope.

Emma is doing very well now at Home of Hope due to daily meals, daily anti-epileptic medication, occupational therapy sessions, nursing care and the love he receives from the staff. Emma is able to roll when lying, but that is really all. He does not have head control and is fully dependent on the staff to care for him. Emma's occupational therapy sessions are focused on neck extension as he came to Home of Hope with his head in a position where it was on his chest. He is now able to have his head help upright. The occupational therapists also work with him to strengthen his neck muscles and improve his head control.

Sponsorship for Emma would provide for his daily needs, including meals, clothing, his one antiepileptic medication, nanny care and occupational therapy sessions. The cost is \$45 per month via Paypal. Sponsorship includes updates on Emma throughout the year and following Our Hope's annual trip to Uganda. If you are interested in sponsoring Emma, please contact ourhopeinternational@gmail.com or complete the form under the 'Donate' tab on our website, ensuring you check the box for an automatically repeating payment.