

## Admission Criteria

- Medically in need of Nursing Care
- Birth to 18 years old
- Below Grade 8
- Mentally able

Patients are admitted irrespective of race, religion or creed.

The following conditions/illnesses are treated:

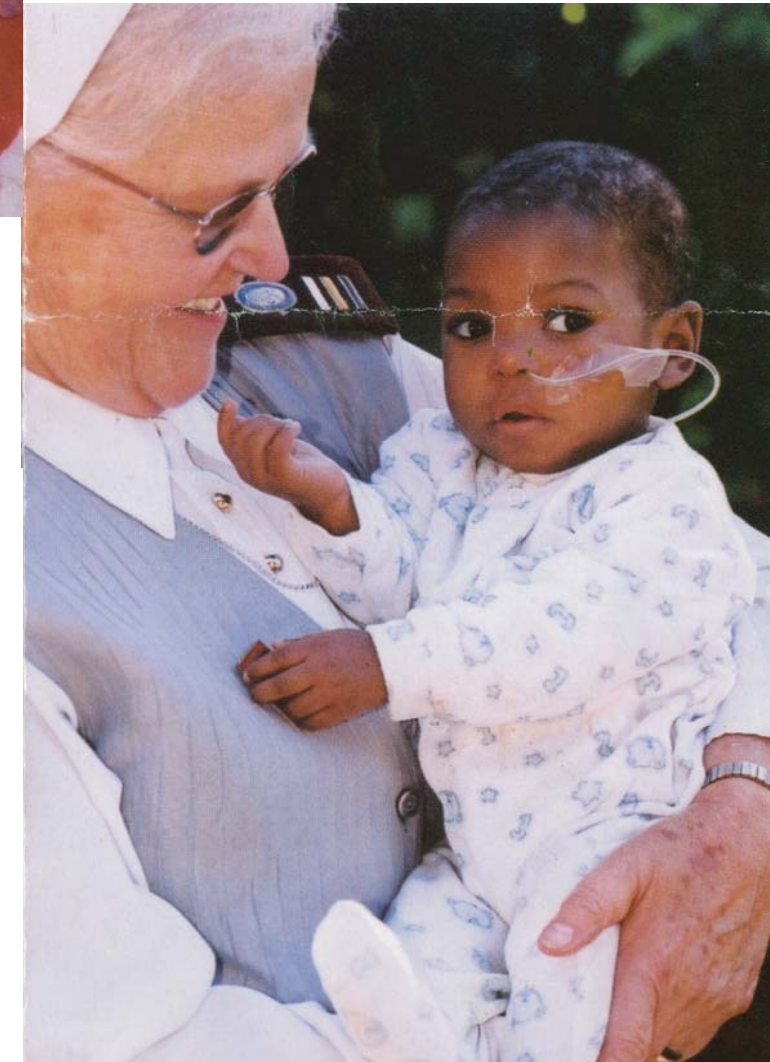
- Burns
- Congenital Abnormalities
- Hear-lung-kidney diseases
- Accident and abuse cases
- Diabetes
- Juvenile Chronic Arthritis
- Malnutrition
- HIV/AIDS and TB
- All forms of cancer



# ST. JOSEPH'S home



for chronic invalid children



**At St Joseph's Home  
we strive to provide a warm and  
caring environment where  
children can heal and develop  
their full potential**



**St. Joseph's Home**

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#### **BANK DETAILS:**

St. Joseph's Home Special Fund  
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## Background

St Joseph's Home was founded in September 1935 by the German Pallottine Missionary Sisters. The Home, which was then situated in Lansdown Road Philippi, started off by caring for 10 children, suffering from malnutrition and bone disease. In 1967 the Home moved to new premises in Pallotti Road, Montana, where 150 children can now be cared for.

## About the Home

The administration St Joseph's Home is assisted by a Board of Management. The children are cared for by professional nursing staff and therapists. They also receive formal education on the premises. All children are referred to the Home for nursing care by various hospitals, which include Red Cross Children's Hospital, Groote Scuur, Tygerberg, Somerset and Conradie. The Home transports children daily to their specific hospitals for follow-up treatment.

St Joseph's is a Provincially Aided Institution. It is also very fortunate to receive donations from businesses in the community, clubs, and friends who give clothing, food and toys for the children.



## Aim

To accept, care, nurse and rehabilitate the chronically ill or handicapped children for as long as required, up to the age of 18 years.



## Goals / Objectives

- To provide a secure and homely environment governed by Christian values and principles in which the chronically ill or handicapped child can heal, learn and develop to his or her full potential
- To achieve this by the provision of multi-disciplinary care, which promotes overall physical, emotional, intellectual, spiritual and social development of the child
- To provide parents/family with overnight or a short stay facility
- To return children to their families and communities as soon as their conditions or home circumstances allow
- To empower the child through education and skills development
- To ensure that every child feels loved, respected, happy, secure and confident.

## Services we Provide

In order to meet the overall needs of the child, St. Joseph's provides the following services:

- Nursing care - 24 hours per day
- Physiotherapy
- Occupational therapy
- Social Work
- Speech therapy
- Formal Education - crèche, pre-school and formal schooling up to grade 8
- Transport to and from hospitals for ongoing treatment - daily
- Hydrotherapy
- Sport & Recreation
- Toy Library
- Computer training

