

## September 14, 2012 Hengfeng Social Welfare Institute Report

Altrusa International Foundation of Longview-Kelso working together with Amity Foundation in China

### General Information

- a) **Institute Director:** Director Huang (黄院长)
- b) **Institute Deputy Directors:** Director Rao (饶院长), Director Fang (方院长)
- c) **Head of Amity/Altrusa Foster Care:** Liu Haiyun (刘海芸)-Each month, Liu Haiyun interviews the foster families.
- d) **Amity/Altrusa Physician (Grandma):** Zhu Tianfeng (朱天芬)
- e) **Number of Children:** The orphanage has 21 children, of which Amity

### Overall Impression

**Children in Foster Care:** The Hengfeng Orphanage has six children in foster care. Each foster home is very loving and warm towards them and cares for all aspects of their children's lives.

**Children in the Orphanage:** The orphanage is responsible for 21 children, about 15 of whom live in the orphanage itself. These children are newly arrived to the orphanage, with the youngest being less than one month old and the oldest being six months old (some are pictured below). The children live in three separate rooms and are looked after by three Amity Grandmas, one of which is sponsored by Altrusa Foundation and the other two by FCC Australia.





### 3. Interviews

- a) Met with six children and their foster families. Reports sent to individual sponsors.





- b) Visited Amity Grandma (doctor) Zhu Tianfen (朱天芬祖母), who is sponsored by Altrusa

Foundation, Grandma Gong Taoxian (龚桃仙), and Grandma Yu Shuixiang (余水香) (Grandma Gong and Grandma Yu work half-days Monday thru Friday)



Doctor Zhu, who is sponsored by the Altrusa Foundation, comes to the orphanage every morning, and in the afternoon she sees any children who are sick. If the children have any serious illnesses that need extensive treatment, Doctor Zhu arranges for them to go to the local hospital to be treated. All the children at the orphanage love to play with her!

- c) I did not meet QSY (student sponsored in school by Altrusa Foundation) because she is at school. Her report is courtesy of the Hengfeng Orphanage.



QSY is a senior student. This year in school, she will be reviewing what she has learned for exams. She is a little nervous to end school and start working next year, but she is preparing and getting excited. No matter what happens, QSY is ready to learn from all the experiences she will have in the real world after school!