



# 2016 IN REVIEW



## EDUCATION

- 117 students enrolled in primary school through Children's Future
- 65 students enrolled in secondary school through Children's Future
- 28 students enrolled in high school
- 6 students graduated high school
- 17 students studying in university



## STRENGTHENING COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT THROUGH CHILD PROTECTION WORKSHOPS

*Poverty and lack of access to services often leaves parents no other option than to take their children out of school prematurely, so they can travel illegally to Thailand where, through child labor, they contribute to the family's income. Throughout 2016 CFI has raised awareness on the risks associated with illegal migration and child labor through monthly workshops for parents where caretakers and social workers develop child protection solutions together. Caretakers leave the workshop confident in their roles and equipped with the knowledge and support networks needed to provide for their children's well-being.*



## CHILD PROTECTION

- Long term safety plans developed with 36 families
- Malnutrition prevented for 100% of CFI students
- 59 interventions on cases of physical and sexual abuse and neglect.
- 140 interventions on cases of child exploitation and labor.
- 136 students received counseling or emotional support

A message from  
**SOPHEAK PICH**  
CFI's first college graduate



*"When I was young, my mother asked me, 'how long will you go to school for?' And I answered, 'maybe until grade 7 or 8, Mom,' because all I knew from my community was that boys stopped at that age. Because of the support from Children's Future and my family's encouragement, I made it this far."*



## COMMUNITY

- Monthly family workshops helping families ensure their children's safety
- Food security ensured for 54 families, 293 community members.
- Lead 3 case conferences with local authorities on child safety issues.
- 6 new partnerships with local and national NGOs ensuring stronger child protection at the community level.