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The PIDEE Foundation after the participation in this Conference, would like to make plain its worries over the future of the children's war refugees; specially those without parents or families.

It is necessary to do everything to ensure that they will have all the psychosocial help that they need. The better type of professionals to work in this area are local (ex-yugoslavian), and is necessary a special support from organizations inside and outside the country.

Finally, in the named of our experience working with children with serious traumas, we think it is very important that they return only to regions where actually there are real safety and a peace process, in order to prevent children of a re-traumatization.

We hope international help and solidarity for all of them, not only in the process of psychosocial successful repatriation, but also in the peace - building process on their territories.