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STAMPS IN PAEDIATRICS

Hospitals and clinics

The three franc Luxembourg stamp from 1957 is part of a set of three commemoratives issued to mark the "Prince Jean and Princess Josephine-Charlotte Foundation" child welfare clinic. The 1960 Bolivian stamp is from a set of eight, commemorating the founding of the Children's Hospital by the La Paz Rotary Club.

The design features a nurse and children in the foreground and the Rotary International emblem in the background. The set was split into four surface and four airmail stamps. One of the higher value airmail stamps is shown.

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