

## The Danilchenko Family

**Dates of visits:**

January 25th,  
February 12th,  
March 19h, 2008

**Help received:**

groceries (monthly),  
medicine (March)

**Report:** This was the Danilchenko family's first quarter in the "Care" program. During this quarter, Svetlana and her husband continued making what improvements they could to their tiny living space. They replaced the torn wallpaper in January. They are very grateful for the bunk beds which were given them, but this is only a temporary space-saving solution. While the children are small, two can sleep on the top bunk and two on the bottom. As the children continue to grow, however, this room becomes more and more inadequate for the family. Svetlana and her husband are filling out documents to get a government sponsored loan so that they can purchase an apartment.

The family's three older children continue attending school and government-sponsored daycare. Their son, Vladik, will start daycare this summer, leaving only the baby, Alena, at home.

Groceries include: milk, butter, canned meat and fish, canned peas and corn, tomato paste, oatmeal, dried beans, split peas, buckwheat groats, cooking oil, macaroni, flour, rice and dried soup mixes.

Medicines include: children's vitamins, fever reducer, cough syrup, rose hip syrup, cod liver oil, charcoal pills (first aid for poisoning), iodine, bandages and gauze.

