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Hi All!

The Tropics, like many parrot rescue and adoption groups, find that adequate financial resources for their organization are a continuing problem. The Tropics, which has large monthly expenses, needs donations to help with the costs of feeding and maintaining the parrots surrendered to them. The permanent residents are blind, have missing, broken and/or deformed limbs, motor skill deficiencies, are paralyzed and most common, suffer emotional trauma which is manifested in self-mutilation behaviors such as feather and/or flesh mutilation.

In 2003 they become an adoption facility for those pet quality birds that require one-on-one human attention.

<http://tropics.parrotrefuge.com/index1.html>

The reason I'm sending this post is because a few years ago I had heard that they had closed down due to health reasons.

Much to my surprise, I recently found out that they are still going and as all rescues, they need our help. With the holidays coming it might be a nice idea to look at their gift shop. None of us has the funds to send big donations, but if we could all send a little it would add up!

Thanks for taking the time to read this. I am not in anyway affiliated with this or any other rescue organization, but I did do rescue, rehab and placement myself for 10 years and I do know how hard it is to keep going.  
Suzanne