

"RESPONSE TO: MCSP, HIV-CANCER, ASTHMA, MALARIA & NEG.DISEASES"

Date: April 15th. 2017.

<u>CONNECTING WITH (GHSP) - GLOBAL HEALTH</u> <u>SERVICE PARTNERSHIP , PEACE CORPS, PEPFAR & SEED.</u>

Western HIV/AIDS Network (WEHAK) to participate in Strengthening Medical and Nursing Education Supported by PEACE CORPS, PEPFAR, SEED & "Global Health Service Partnership" (GHSP). Email: <u>ghsp@peacecorps.gov</u>



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Dear Madam,

RE: WESTERN HIV/AIDS NETWORK'S REQUEST FOR FUNDS FROM OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR:-

Western HIV/AIDS Network appreciates your letter of December 31st.2015, the letter serves as your confirmation of our organization's collaborative request. Thank you for joining us in efforts of improving Global Health to save lives of mothers and their Children – *MCSP*- Maternal and Child Survival Program., *HIV- CANCER, ASTHMA, SRHR, MALARIA & THE MOST NEGLECTED TROPICAL .DISEASES*" and Training the next generation of doctors and nurses. Western HIV/AIDS Network (WEHAK) is also currently committed to HIV/AIDS Prevention, Treatment, Care and Support Initiative (The Youth, Women, MARPs –Most at Risk Persons, People Living with AIDS) The Network will continue responding to both the HIV/AIDS infected and affected persons to achieve HIV-zero New Infections in Kenya by the end of year 2017.

(A.) PANEL MEMBERSHIP TO AIDSTAR - One/PEPFAR - PROJECT

The Network is sharing professional membership at LinkedIn. and twitter with other Global Development Partners and **UN-FOUNDATION** The Network is a panel member organization to **AIDSTAR-One/PEPFAR** and was officially invited for participation on Wednesday September 11th.2013 The Global Health Fellows Program Office Suite 200,Room 2031 (Africa) 1201 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW – Washington, D.C. 20004 1-3 PM EST. **Panel Presentation on Structural HIV Presentation** Email: info@aidstar-one.com and presently the Network is attending **AIDSTAR-One** webinars covering Adolescents living with HIV. and important tools that are to be used in response to HIV/AIDS Prevention , Treatment, Care and Support Initiatives. effected by the **AIDSTAR-One**.

(B.) MEMBER Number -.62208157-to White Ribbon Alliance & (GFMER)

Western HIV/AIDS Network (WEHAK), is officially registered member No. 62208157 of WRA-White Ribbon Alliance {an International Alliance implementing Safe Motherhood Methods and Policies} WRA through (WHO) World Heath Organization by offering one year's intensive Course in Health to the Network's CEO-Chief Executive Officer, participants covered (SRHR) (Sexual Reproductive Health and Research Western HIV/AIDS Network. was represented by the Network's CEO See (GFMER)-Geneva Foundation for Medical Education and Research participant No.228-2012 plus the Certificate attained after successfully completing the 2012 GFMER Course.

(C.) MOBILE TECHNOLOGY

Mobile technology has changed the very way we do business. And it has changed the Customer/Client landscape. Today's customers/clients are empowered If their first interactions with your business are not smooth, they have choices and can leave you with just the swipe of a finger **Western HIV/AIDS Network** is happy that-**KOFAX-INC. Offers Solutions-**for this first Mile Challenge of business by enabling our customers/clients to capture information on mobile devices and initiate Business Processes. They are able to engage with our enterprise through powerful user-friendly applications from virtually anywhere with a cell connection. No waiting no hassle. Just better Service for our Customers and a competitive advantage for us.

(D.) Our Organization's Long Term Objective is to continue collaborating with partners for the Cyber medical Rockefeller Foundation, Johns Hopkins University, White Ribbon Alliance, WHO -World Health Organization GFMER Geneva Foundation for Medical Education and Research, TUPANGE JHPIEGO, Dr.Elvira Beracochea MD MPH President Inc. MIDEGO,on–University of Nairobi Kenya ACTIONAID,HEI–Health Equity Initiative, KEMRI, UNFPA, Vision Telecommunication Technologies for Cybermedical Community of the Cyberfish and Partners for example the Kenyan Hospitals. AMREF–African Medical Research Foundation, RATN–Regional AIDS Training Network, TASO–Uganda, ARCAN, MIM–Malawi Institute of Management, PSI–Population Services International, KAPC, DSW, APHIA–Plus Western ,ESAMI–Arusha, MMUST, MOH, NCAPD, member organizations, PATH, LVCT, UNDP, NACC, LVNWSB, NASCOP, Kenyan Government, National and International Development Partners.

Cyber-Medical-Community

Demographic change, more frequent chronic illnesses, the occurrence of new disease forms and the increasing complexity of the medical care connected with this, as well as the ever quickening development of new types of treatment, lead to constant growth in the demands on the treating physician. Thus, the resources available for treatment are becoming increasingly scarce and require, therefore, a coordination and optimization of the processes. In order to face this complexity successfully, it is useful to consider mutual consultation and training, and appropriate forms of cooperation for service provision. This voluntary and coordinated "teamwork" leads to proper, sensible integrated care and with it to increased efficiency and quality in the treatment. This then also encourages patient recognition and Satisfaction. This collaboration generates a "shared value", in which the competitive position of the individual or the company is increased and at the same time the economic and social conditions of the Community is equally improved. Thus, it is worthwhile, also financially, both for the service provider as Well as for the patients and the funding body, and therefore leads to a "win-win" situation. However, due to his experience and routine, in a simple treatment case a physician is rarely reliant on a second opinion or external expertise, and thus can usually also manage the care on his own



But the more complex the case is, the more likely it becomes that he is reliant on help from other experts. Quite apart from this, every physician can benefit from collaboration in the area of medical expertise, and also from the joint use of resources.

Since her legal registration as an NGO-Network on December 20th 2001 Western HIV/AIDS Network has made notable progress through partners and would like to share with you in the following table:

(E..) WESTERN HIV/AIDS NETWORK'S ACHIEVEMENTS THROUGH PARTNERS

DATE	ORGANIZATION PARTNER	ACHIEVEMENTS
26/01/2001	The Ministry of Education through the	Offered space for HIV/AIDS- Resource

	District Education Officer – Kakamega District.	
02/02/2001	ACTION AID – Though Dr. Christopher	ACTION AID – carried out the renovation
	Ouma HIV/AIDS COORDINATOR-	of the space assistance in setting up the
	KENYA-COUNTRY OFFICE.	Western Province HIV/AIDS Resource Centre
11/04/2005	United Nations Development program	UNP – Provided furniture most of which
	UNDP – through the senior program	were bookshelves of the Western Province
	officer Mr. Elly Oduol.	HIV/AIDS Resource Centre.
MARCH	AMREF – African Medical and research	AMREF has assisted Western HIV/AIDS
2003	Foundation through – AMREF = Homa -	Network by training two people already provi
	Bay office.	through SPECIAL VIDEO (YELLOW CARD)
JULY-	AMREF –Survey program and activities	
SEPT.	on HIV/AIDS in Kenya. Through AMREF	AMREF – Database of HIV/AIDS in the
2003	Kisumu Office.	Region Kenya; Uganda; Tanzania; Rwanda a
29/09/2000	KAPC-Kenya Association for	KAPC-Trained two people through Profession
	Professional Counselors.	who are offering services at our Resource
		Centre.
Since year	KAPC-Straight Talk Paper Youth	KAPC-forwards more than 500 copies of Str
2003	Program.	Magazine Monthly to Resource Centre
14/12/2001	ACCESS-The African Canadian	Trained members of Western HIV/IDS Netwo
	continuing education society.	HIV/AIDS Facts, care and support.
1/5/1999	Global strategies for HIV/AIDS	Four people trained at KCCT Mbagathi as
	prevention Training through 1 st	Community based health care workers.
	Integrated Training	
	Workshop for community based Health	
	care workers.	
July to	ACTIONAID and National Council of	Financial Accounting Training – 5 people
Oct.,2003	NGOs Venue-Kiboswa and Lakers Inn	from Western HIV/AIDS Network were
	Kisumu.	trained.
20 th	UNDP- trained 4 people from Western	Home –Based Care Tool kit.
Jun.,1998	HIV/AIDS Network through Home – Based Care Farm view Busia	
13/02/2004	U.S PEACE CORPS KENYA- Training	Supervision of U.S Peace Corps to Provide
	to 6 people Western HIV/AIDS Network	HIV/AIDS Program implementation
	as U.S PEACE CORPS	support as volunteers.
	SUPERVISORS.	
	Text books and charts have been	More than 6,000 texts have been donated
	donated by Kenya AIDS Refrain Team	by KART .
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	KART NGO	
	DISTRICT POPULATION OFFICERS	Centre now makes use of the T.V screen
	Supported the Resource Centre with	to train both youth and adults HIV/AIDS
	T.V, Screen.	Program
	Chairs T.V. Deck were purchased and	About 15 chairs and a T.V Deck in
	donated by KART-Kenya AIDS Refrain	HIV/AIDS Resource Centre.
	Team	
	Documentation Centre UNICEF –	Video cassettes Sarah & Siyo Rahisi,
	through Bernard Arachi - UNICEF-	Silent Epidemic + materials and textbooks
	HIV/AIDS section	
CONTIN.	MOH through DASCO- Dr. Andole - one	Technical Support from MOH to our Org.
	video cassette and technical support	
CONTIN.	PMO through PASCO-HIV/AIDS	Technical support
	Materials + technical support.	
	VOLUNTARY SERVICES Western	Western HIV/AIDS Network receives
	HIV/AIDS Network benefits from the	voluntary services from voluntary thus
	following offering voluntary services:	trained volunteers who need to be
	(a) Board members	considered for employment-when the
	(b) Org. Accountant	funds are available.
	(c) Project Executive Director	
	Assistant Resource Centre Managers	
	(two people).Peer educators	

(F.) THE STRUCTURE OF THE WESTERN HIV/AIDS NETWORK IS AS BELOW:-



(G.) THE NETWORK DRAWS SUPPORT FROM HER COPORATE MEMBERS:

Western HIV/AIDS Network as mentioned above, draws support from her corporate members of NGOs, CBOs, FBOs, Private sectors, Youth and Women groups. The member Organizations implement activities that are coordinated and facilitated by the Network. To be able to achieve this, the Network has established her leadership right from the grass root where it has representatives. It also has a professional team that advices the Network and also keep the Donors abreast of the development. The members of the committee include the elected representative from corporate members of the Network. Western HIV/AIDS Network is an avenue for Information, Education and Communication on Development activities in Western Province. It has acted in effecting Networking amongst Member women groups and CBOs. There is already acceptance that **Networking** is the best strategy in pooling resources and Expertise among the key players in the region taking the issue of Governance. Peace and Health. Through Networking some level of solidarity among groups has been enhanced. The strategy adopted has been to provide a hub for training and collaboration needs for the member organizations. A further strategy has been to act as a resource centre for distribution and production of HIV/AIDS, Education, Population, Peace, Health and materials for Schools/Colleges and member organizations. Finally it is a co-ordination centre among member Organizations in collecting data of on-going activities and acting as a repository for reports for reference. Western HIV/AIDS Network has plans to intensify the program by educating people about the new constitution and Good governance, peace and health related problems for instance unwanted pregnancies, lack of employment opportunities, lack of recognition of Women as important Members of the community and country at large in important decision making issues.

Currently our membership stands at more than 680.



ORGANIZATIONAL LOGO

(H.) .WORKPLAN FOR HIV/AIDS ACTVITIES TO BE IMPLEMENTED BY WESTERN HIV/AIDS NETWORK WITH FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM PEACE CORPS, PEPFAR, GHSP & SEED ACTIVITIES TO RUN WITH EFFECT FROM -1st.JUNE 2017 TO 31st.DECEMBER 2020. IN KENYA EAST AFRCA-

OBJECTIVE	ACTIVITY	EXPECTED OUTCOME	TIME OF IMPLEMENTATION	COLLABO PARTNERS
Enhance skills of at least 40 youth in providing Youth-friendly HIV/AIDS services	 i. Train at least 10 youth in YF HIV/AIDS, ii. Train at least 10 youth in YF VCT iii. Train at least 10 youth in treatment literacy, and adherence counseling iv. Train at least 10 youth nurses in Rational use of ARVs 	 i. At least 20 youth trained in YF HIV/AIDS, ii. At least 20 youth trained in YF VCT Centers iii. At least 20 youth trained in treatment literacy, and adherence counseling iv. At least 20 youth nurses trained in Rational use of ARVs 	Each of the trainings is expected not to exceed 2 months beginning June 1 st . 2014.	 Discip RUM. MUM Ragan Better
Enhance HIV/AIDS activities portfolio for at least 12 youth clubs and youth groups in Western Kenya through increased club support and strengthening	 i. Purchase YF equipment to at least 8 identified youth groups ii. Support one identified IGA for at least 4 youth groups/ Y2Y clubs, one in each target district 	 i. At least 8 youth-to-youth clubs, groups and youth networks are supported to become more youth friendly in their HIV/AIDS activities ii. At least 4 youth-to-youth clubs, groups and networks are supported to scale up their IGA activities 	The first week of August 2014	 DOM MUM VALI Weste Network
Increase HIV/AIDS awareness and knowledge among at least 1,000,000 young men and women aged 10 – 24 years in Western Region Kenya	 i. Run at least 16 radio call – in sessions and 80 radio spots addressing various selected HIV/AIDS topics through two local FM stations, Radio Lake Victoria and radio West FM. ii. Produce and distribute at least three 	 i. At least 16 radio call – in sessions and 50 radio spots addressing various HIV/AIDS topics are aired targeting youth aged 10 to 24 years ii. At least 3 types of IEC materials produced and at least 10,000 	The first week of September 2014	MUMVALIDOM

Improve access to youth-friendly HIV/AIDS services including YF VCT, Family planning and STI treatment	 types of IEC materials addressing HIV/AIDS i. Create a referral directory for YF services for each target district and distribute at least 10 copies per district ii. Equip at least three medical laboratories, one in each district to make them youth-friendly and better placed to handle STIS, FP, VCT and 	distributed to youth aged 10 – 24 in western Kenya. iii. At least 200,000 youth aged 10 – 24 years in Western Region Kenya are reached directly through media with HIV/AIDS information i. At least 4 YF- VCT. Services referral directories created, one per target District ii. At least 4 medical laboratories equipped to respond to HIV/AIDS needs (STI, FP,VCT, CD4 count) of youth in the target Districts	To begin at the start of September 2013 and continue into November 2014.	DOM MUM VALI
establish and come up with an updated matrix of youth clubs, youth groups and youth networks on their activities portfolio and existing gaps	other related HIV/AIDS needs. Conduct an intensive mapping of youth clubs and youth group's activities in the entire Western Region i.e. the Districts of Kakamega Central, Butere-Mumias, Ikolomani, Malava, Siaya, Vihiga, Kakamega North, Shinyalu, Bungoma South, Malaba, Teso, Busia, Bunyala Kapsabet, Eldoret. Mt. Elgon and Tranzoia District. Khwisero, Lugari, Hamisi, Wodanga.	An updated matrix of activities and existing gaps of youth clubs, youth groups and youth Networks in Western Region Kenya. The same will be documented and shared with partners	The second week of October 2014	DOM MUM VALI
Lobby the Ministry of Health to scale up youth-friendly services in each of the target districts	Hold two regional advocacy conference bringing together NGOs and Ministry of Health representatives from all the 4 districts	At least 2 regional conferences held addressing youth friendly services provision in public health institutions	October and November 2014	 MOH MOY. DSW All NG CBOs youth Youth group.

GRAND TOTAL "Dollar Exchange rate @ KSHS 89 = 1 USD \$ - TOTAL AMOUNT USD\$ 500,000"YEARLY for THREE YEARS.= USD\$1,500,0

(I.) ORGANIZATIONAL ACCOUNT RECORD:

<u>NAME OF ORGANIZATION:</u> – Western HIV/AIDS Network.

NAME OF THE BANK: - Standard Chartered Bank Limited.

NAME OF BANK BRANCH: - Kakamega Kenya.

BANK ACCOUNT NUMBER: - 0102802567400

BANK SWIFT CODE: - SCBLKENX

(J.) WESTERN HIV/AIDS NETWORK'S COMMITMMENT / PARTICIPATION IN HTC HIV COUNSELING AND TESTING – DOOR TO DOOR ACTIVITY 2015 – 2017 - (Three Years) It was noted that

Clients who tested HIV positive were not disclosing their status to the counselors until they have performed the first test. Most of the youth were not free to be tested in the presence of their Parents transportation not well organized due to lack of funds leading to delays



(1.) OBSERVATIONS: HTC. Counselors started the work late because they lacked transport vehicle.

(2.) HTC. Counselors were requested to improvise by using plastic bags to carry the testing kits they lacked Proper bags due to funds.

(3) RAIN: Early rains interrupted making it impossible to continue with Door to Door HIV. Testing and Counseling Activity.

(4.) JUST A HANDFUL COUNSELLOR WERE HIRED: Due to lack of funds

(5.) TARGET POPULATION: We did not meet our targeted number of people to be tested

(6.) T.SHIRTS: Counselors used their old T. shirts while others had none at all we promised to provide T. shirts to all of them Next time when we get funds.



The Door-to-Door trained and qualified VCT counselors get instructions at Western HIV/AIDS Network's Resource Centre from the supervisor as they prepare testing kits and materials in readiness of going out for the activity which was done in the rural urban at Sichilai Village, Kakamega Central District Western Province.

(K..) M & E –MONITORING AND EVALUATION -Monitoring and Evaluation will be done continuously and the organizational secretariat will be responsible for this activity under the leadership of the CEO-Chief Executive Officer. Records of the Evaluation Report will be in both hard and soft copies. Such records will be read at the quarterly meeting to update our partners, member organizations plus the government and even the DFID as our Donors. On evaluation we plan to consider the organization basic strength and weakness then build on our strength and improve our weakness. Our organization plans collaboration visits of our secretariat to be able to share M&E techniques with our partner organizations for example ANPPCAN African Network for the Prevention and Protection against Child Abuse and neglect. The planned visit will provide knowledge to the organizations secretariat for better program implementation. It is important to provide for effective M&E activity since this will open up for positive decisions as to attaining logical way forward and that is why it is done continuously in the program implementation i.e. before implementation, During implementation and after completing implementation.

(L..) SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY

The sustainability of the project will be achieved as the member Organizations grow in strength-able to effectively implement HIV/AIDS Programs They will also grow in number and as the community members become aware of the resources at the centre and bring their children to make use of the centre as they contribute a membership fee for its sustenance. Even so it is envisaged in the short time that given the gravity of the Governance, Peace and Health issues external funding will be necessary to compensate for the low resource in the level of Western Region- Kenya.-East Africa When good leadership, Governance, Peace and Health are achieved, the entire African countries will experience transparency and accountability resulting into the equity and gender sensitive to get the correct beneficiary for leadership, resources and materials.

(M.) Commonly Used Abbreviations:-

CSOs – Civil Society Organizations FBOs – Faith Based Organizations CBOs- Community Based Organizations NGOs – Non – Governmental Organizations

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The Nework endewours to enhance use of optimal capacities amongst member organisations by linking them together at the Resource Centre and to highly trained resource persons elsewhere.

ACTIVITIES

The Resource Centre aims at creating a database on member profiles in addition to:

- Publishing a Quarterly Newsletter for distribution
- × Quarterly and Annual Meetings
- 8 Collect information on HIV/AIDS/STIs
- & Exchange visits with other Networks
- Store information on HIV/AIDS/STIs
- K Carry out activities that meet with its expectations .

OUTCOMES

- Decreased HIV/AIDS cases in Western Province
- Sensitized community less vulnerable to HIV/AIDS infection

- AIDS-free Primary and Secondary Schools and Youth population
- * Safer sex behaviour

ORGANISATIONAL IMPLICATIONS

The Network, with about 10 employees, is currently made up of more than 200 Member Organisations. It has a training hall, HIV/AIDS Resource Centre and the administration offices. It is in the process of acquiring facilities to modernise the Resource Centre and visual display/Video Centre. The network will continue to embrace visionary and strategic thinking as it ponders carrying out some of the following future activities:

- Member Training on networking
- Strengthen monitoring and evaluation of its Members' activies
- Donate material and access guidelines for co-operation with specific programmes, e.g. VCT, PMTCT and behaviour change.
- Establish a profile of CBOs and NGOs in the region and their future recruitment into the Network.

u HIV/Aids Hetwork, Ms. Rochel Clasen from US Pence Corps







For further information please come or contact the Co-ordinator

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NETWORKING TO FIGHT AIDS

Vision: To have a healthy and productive HIV/AIDS-free society

Mission: To promote collaboration and networking among Member Organisations by creating, a supportive and responsive environment for sharing resources, understanding and collectivel addressing the negative social and economic impuct of HIV/AIDS epidemic

Introduction

The Western HIV/AIDS Network, mainly a capacity building organization, became necessary soon after the alarming statistics of HIV/AIDS prevalence, highlighted by NASCOP in 1998. Both personnel and office sile were identified following which ten people were trained in Resource Center Management and deployed to manage the Network.

The Network has a Resource Centre charged with the responsibility of sourcing and making available information materials for both reading and reference. The materials are in the form of video clippings, wall charts, baoks, periodicals and other publications.

At its optimum capacity, the Network is expected to offer a full range of facilities and personnel to help in capacity building of Community Based Organisations responsible for handling and fighting against HIV/AIDS.

NETWORK OBJECTIVES

The Network is involved in various tasks all aimed at strengethening partnerships among member organisations who include CBOs, NGOs, Churches, Wamen Groups, Youth Organisations, private sectors and individuals involved in HIV/AIDS activities. The responsibility is made more meaningful when the Network has information on education and communication on HIV/AIDS for distribution to the same community.

The Network provides for sharing experiences and collaboration efforts in HIV/AIDS activities and as well identifies viable projects for technical assistance and Capacity Building for donors evaluation and subsequent funding.

The Network is also expected to enhance the spirit of voluntary contribution and participation towards HIV/AIDS control, mabilisation of members involved in HIV/AIDS, STD issues, medical facilities related support groups, support information in monitoring, evaluation, research management and co-ordination of HIV/AIDS activities.

The Network's specific responsibilities include:

- Facilitation of Capacity Building to Members and assisting PLWAs
- Provide Forum for sharing resources and experiences for the better understanding of HIV/AIDS/STIs
- Sensitize PLWAs on their legal rights
- & Establish and maintain the Resource Centre

- Networking with other HIV/AIDS based organisations for the furtherance of its objectives.
- The Western HIV/AIDS Development Partners **AMREF**—MAANISHA—who are funding the Network's HIV/AIDS Capacity Building Programmes to Member CBOs, NGOs, Private Sector and Individuals in Western
- Province, Kenya. ACTIONAID, Kenya Country Office through the Western region Offices in Kisumu— who provided for the renovation of the Network's offices.

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION: Through the Kakamega District Education Office who have kindly provided office space for the Network's training hall and affices

UNDP —United Nations Development Programme: Kenya Country Office at Gigiri, UNEP— who have given the Network furniture, mostly metal book shelves

EMPOWERING THE VULNERABLE

The Network takes it upon itself to create awareness on the presence, dangers and implications of HIV/AIDS in the suspecting members of society.

Networking Member Organisations



Western HIV/AIDS Network (WEHAK) requests to participate in Strengthening Medical and Nursing Education with Support of "Global Health Service Partnership" (GHSP). Peace Corps sent this bulletin at 04/07/2017 02:00 PM EDT







Peace Corps-April-7th. 2017 Newsletter



Happy World Health Day! Today we celebrate more than 155 Global Health Service Partnership (GHSP) Volunteers who have served to strengthen the quality of medical education in Liberia, Malawi, Swaziland, Tanzania, and Uganda.

Interested in serving as a GHSP Volunteer? The application for departure in 2018 will open in June 2017.

In the News

NPR featured a success story of the collaborative efforts of a couple serving together in Liberia as GHSP and Peace Corps Response Volunteers. Read about their amazing efforts at a Liberian orphanage.

Stories from the Field



GHSP Volunteer Amelia visited a monthly community mental health clinic in Malawi.

Improving health care for all while building global relationships by Amelia Rutter, FNP-BC, MPH I arrived in Malawi over three months ago, fulfilling a wish I have had since returning from my first experience as a traditional Peace Corps Volunteer: to work as a nurse the global health setting.

Training the next generation of doctors and nurses by Darron Brown, MD, MPH

The central hospital where I serve as a Global Health Service Partnership (GHSP) Volunteer in Malawi serves as a referral center for a large part of the country.

In my experience, more than half of the patients in the wards are HIV-infected, many severely ill with opportunistic infections and cancers related to HIV.

Upcoming Events

April 19-23, 2017 | <u>National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties (NONPF)</u> Washington, DC

May 1-4, 2017 | Society of Hospital Medicine (SHM) 2017 Las Vegas, NV

May 6-9, 2017 | <u>American Congress of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG)</u> <u>Annual Meeting</u> San Diego, CA

May 21-25, 2017 | <u>American College of Nurse Midwives (ACNM) 62nd Annual</u> <u>Meeting and Exhibition</u>

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CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION

I, <u>PROF. WILSON KIPNG'ENO KOECH</u>, Chairman of the Non-Governmental Organizations Board, certify that the <u>***</u> WESTERN HIV/AIDS NETWORK ***

has this day been registered under section 10 of the Non-Governmental Organizations Co-ordination Act as applied for.

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W.K. KOECH. Chairman of the Board



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29th June, 2010

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

RE: RECOMMENDATION FOR WESTERN HIV/AIDS NETWORK

The above named organization worked with PSI Kenya in Western Province, Kakamega District, under a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU). The main activity they undertook was distributing free government condoms, which they did from November 2009 to'February 2010.

The organization also carried out participatory community discussions to highlight barriers to condom use and increase accurate knowledge related to condoms. This contributed to the PSI's HIV prevention program objective of increasing consistent and correct condom use among sexually active youth in the rural areas.

We recommend the organization for further assistance from you.

Sincerely,

Judy Atoni BCC Coordinator Western

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Zachariah Amukhale Muyokani Coordinator Western HIV/AIDS Network PO Box 1443 - 50100 Kakamega

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for participating in our survey of programmes and activities on HIV/AIDS in Kenya which was conducted between July and September of 2003. The information from the survey has been analysed and compiled for a database of HIV/AIDS activities in the region which will be available on the AMREF website (www.amref.org) from August 2004. The database provides a map of activities, projects and programmes underpinning the response to the HIV/AIDS pandemic in Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania, Rwanda and South Africa and is the foundation for a Regional Best Practices Inventory on HIV/AIDS activities. It is envisioned that this database will guide future responses to HIV/AIDS and provide information to donors, planners, policymakers and stakeholders of the current gaps that need to be filled in order to provide a balanced response to HIV/AIDS in the region.

Should you not want an overview of your HIV/AIDS activities shared through the database please advise us of this by email to regionalhiv@amrefke.org or by responding to this email. Alternatively please write to us at Regional HIV/AIDS, AMREF Kenya, PO Box 30125, Nairobi, 00100, otherwise the overview will be included in the online database.

Thank you once again for your collaboration on this worthy endeavour.

Sincerely,

Mwihaki Kimura Muraguri Project Manager Regional HIV/AIDS

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The Commissioner Domestic Taxes Department Kenya Revenue Authority Kakamega

Dear Sir/Madam,

RE: RECOMMENDATION LETTER

We wish to confirm that the NGO is Western HIV/AIDs Network is a non-profit making organization incorporated under the Non-Governmental Organizations Act (1990) of the Laws of Kenya and registered with the NGOs Co-ordination Board under Certificate No.OP.218/051/2001/0175/2063 dated 20th December, 2001.

The bona fide officials of the Organization are:-

1.	Zachariah Amuukhale Muyokani	-	Chairperson
2	Adelaide Muhonijah Majele	-	Secretary

3. Janet Asiko - Treasurer

The main objective of the organization is "to promote behaviour change in social, marital, pre-marital and extra marital relations and HIV/Aids prevention".

Any assistance accorded to them will be highly appreciated.

Yours faithfully,

Andrew Ogombe For: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR NGO CO-ORDINATION BOARD

ISO 9001:2008 Certified Organisation





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Ref: NASCOP/PRO/A/25

18th July, 2008

The Provincial Medical Officer of Health Att: PASCOs

RE: INTRODUCTION OF THE AFRICAN REGIONAL CAPACITY BUILDING NETWORK ON HIV AND AIDS PREVENTION, TREATMENT AND CARE (ARCAN) PROJECT TRAINED – ATGS

We refer to our letter NASCOP/ARCAN 2/08 of 22nd April 2008 regarding the above.

As you know, ARCAN in collaboration with NASCOP & NACC has trained a number of service providers in the area of HIV & AIDS of which NASCOP identifies as a priority in the utilization of the ARCAN TOT Graduates (ATGs) in the country & takes this opportunity to introduce the trained ATG bearing this letter (as per the Kenya ARCAN ATG data base you already have) with a request for your support.

NASCOP appreciates ARCAN's initiative & promotes the idea to incorporate this ATG in the existing system to strengthen the capacity & utilize resources available with the following objectives:

- Create a platform to look into the practical mechanism for cascading implementation at National and decentralized levels.
- Promote cascading and effective use of ATGs (through mainstreaming? integrating their training activities in existing national systems/programs.
- Promote ownership and partnership in transferring the ARCAN courses skills and knowledge to a wider reach of health facilities at all levels.
- Promote integration of ARCAN TOT trainings in the national training and other capacity building programs.

Based on the above, NASCOP requests for your support & cooperation in the utilization of the ATG in your areas of operations.

Yours Sincerely,

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Dr. Ibrahim Mohamed Head, NASCOP



Prof. James Kiarie, MBChB, MMED, MPH **UoN HIV Fellowship Program** University of Nairobi Director Zachariah Amukhale Muyokani This certificate of attendance is awarded to **HIV EPIDEMIOLOGY** for successful completion of this course. 6th May to 10th May, 2013 Kakamega, Kenya UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI J - De Prof. Isaac O. Kibwage, PhD, HSC College of Health Sciences University of Nairobi Principal Duc

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The County Secretary County Government of Kakamega P. O. Box 36 - 50100 KAKAMEGA

DATE: 31st December, 2015

C.E.O Western HIV/AIDS Network P.O. Box 1443 -50100 KAKAMEGA

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

We are in receipt of your report on the activities of your Organization and request for financial assistance.

We appreciate your efforts however; we do not have budgetary provision to support you for now.

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Dr. Beatrice Sabana COUNTY SECRETARY

ZACHARIAH WILL BE BOLD FOR CHANGE IN KENYA

Thank you very much

Yours Faithfully

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DR. ZACHARIAH AMUKHALE MUYOKANI EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR