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## MONTHLY REPORT FEBRUARY 2018

Tony Waite has continued to scale up its operations from urban, peri-urban and hard to reach areas. The organization also continues to thrive offering a robust and holistic package of philanthropic assistance to children infected and affected by chronic illnesses orphans and

### **OBJECTIVES**

- To identify needy clients through community volunteers and CPC registers.
- To improve on household income, food security and health.
- To provide Care and Support Services and Palliative Care.
- To provide comprehensive scholastic and psychosocial support.
- To strengthen co-ordination and networking

### **PLANNED ACTIVITIES**

C& HBC,

Monthly PMTCT Ward meetings,

Youth Clubs and Support Group meetings,

Monitoring of livelihood projects,

Kapenta packaging, monitoring and marketing.

Outreaches for hard to reach areas

## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF NEEDY COMMUNITY MEMBERS

Trained volunteers continued to identify people in need of care. These people include women, men, boys and girls seeking medical assistance, school fees, nutritional support and others having suffered Gender Based Violence.

## 2. TO IMPROVE HOUSEHOLD INCOME, FOOD SECURITY AND HEALTH

### NUTRITIONAL SUPPORT

The organization has continued to create strong synergies and networking with local stakeholders and donors with the bid to offer nutritional support to the needy in the community. During the month it reached 289 (248m 141f) through its feed programme where 248 (125M 123F) orphans and vulnerable children got fish heads as direct and indirect beneficiaries. The organisation also managed to reach 41 (23M 18F) with rice for the month of February. (See photos below)



### MEDICAL SUPPORT

A total of 1 912 (648m 1 264f) were reached with SRHR information which led to a total of 642 (178M 464F) getting tested for HIV and knowing their statuses. The figure comprises those reached through the Women and child health project, family clubs, youths in school peer educators, HTC outreaches and those reached in youth clubs. Secondary caregivers continue to spread the gospel through ward meetings and door to door sessions, they conducted ward meetings reaching to 204 (38M 166F) and a total of 207 (59M 148) individuals and 98 couples reached through door to door counselling sessions. They reached 361 (77M 284F) with GBV information focusing on prevention of GBV and referral pathways. Volunteers have managed to offer assistance to 68 (9M 59F) people on GBV and these were assisted through counselling and referrals where 6 females were referred to VFU and 12 females were referred to social services. Tony Waite volunteers have also managed to give TB adherence support to 22 (11M 11F) individuals. Youths in school peer educators reached 594 (201M 393F) learners with information on sexual reproductive health. See photos of ward meeting in ward 2 by the volunteers



The PMTCT mothers' meetings are ongoing at Nyamhunga Clinic with the PMTCT champion spearheading the discussions and disseminating information whilst encouraging disclosure and she managed to reach 46 women during the month. Baby clothes were distributed during the PMTCT sessions at the clinic



Nyami Nyami FM radio sessions continued for the month focusing on relationships, disclosure on HIV status for adolescents and parents and prevention of GBV during valentine month. See photos below



The organization continues working hand in glove with other organizations and this has ensured cooperation which has assisted the dis advantaged and the under privileged.

**Below is a table of patients seen for HBC and Palliative Care.**

<b>NEW CLIENTS</b>	<b>MALE</b>	<b>FEMALE</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>CATEGORY</b>			
BED RIDDEN	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
AMBULATORY	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
WORKING	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>TOTAL NEW</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

<b>TOTAL CLIENTS SEEN</b>	<b>MALE</b>	<b>FEMALE</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
BED RIDDEN	0	0	0
AMBULATORY	2	2	4
WORKING	147	293	440
TOTAL	149	296	445
CLIENTS SEEN ON ART	117	245	362
NUMBER OF DEATHS	0	0	0
CAREGIVERS AT HOUSE LEVEL	14	35	49
FACILITATORS PROVIDING SERVICE	1	49	50
NUMBER OF CHILDREN SEEN	44	38	82
NUMBER OF CHILDREN SEEN ON ART	35	31	66
HOME VISITS CHILDREN	112	91	203
HOME VISITS ADULTS	175	286	461
TOTAL HOME VISITS	287	377	664

## **OUTREACHES**

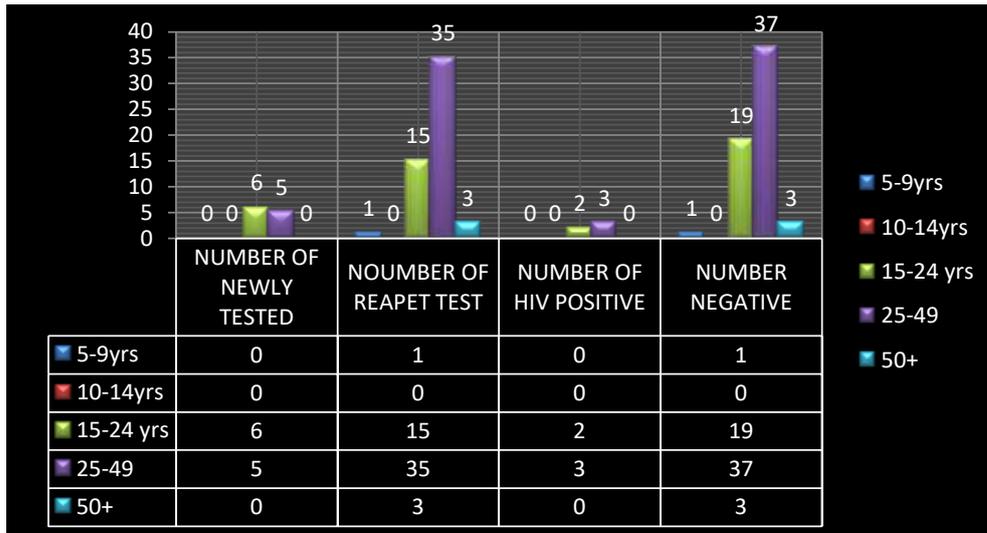
The organisation conducted the monthly outreaches at Nyaodza and Fothergill Fishing Camps, Gache Gache and Makande where it covered the 5 points namely Chitete, Kudzanayi, Hurenje Nyajena and Kanyati. This was done in partnership with ministry of health and child care. The aim was to contribute towards the 90 90 90 targets and at the same time providing sexual reproductive health services to these people in hard to reach areas. Children under 5 also received their immunizations and growth monitoring. There was over whelming attendance at Gache Gache, Hwamira and Kudzanayi with high demand for VIAC services. VIAC services were also provided at Nyamhunga clinic for 5 days due to the demand for service in Kariba urban as well and people had to be given numbers to be able to manage the long ques of people thronging the health centre for the service. It would have been ideal to have two teams if equipment had been available so as to manage as a lot of women still failed to access the service. There is therefore need to repeat such an exercise depending on availability of funds in the near future. Mobilization in the community was done with the help of the volunteers.

See table below on services provided

EPI	114 (50M 64F)
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GROWTH MONITORING	211 (94M 117F)
OUT PATIENTS CASES	303(72M 231F)
FAMILY PLANNING	180

The graph below shows HCT statistics for month of November 2017



VIAC services provision results

Age	Negative	Positive	Suspicious cancer	total	new	repeat
16-24	60	6	0	66	63	3
25-49	217	8	1	226	178	48
50 +	45	1	1	47	37	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>61</b>

Women treated by Cryotherapy 5

Number treated with leep machine 4

Number referred to other facilities 2

See photos on points serviced

The long queues of people accessing services at Hwamira and Kudzanayi in Makande



## **LIVELIHOODS PROJECTS**

The organization operates in four livelihoods gardens namely Padare, ZIHOPFE and Charara and primary school in a bid to improve nutritional support and household income through availability of fresh vegetables for consumption they are fully utilizing their space to draw maximum benefits from their garden. At Charara garden they are planning to plant vegetables as soon as the rains subside after harvesting their maize. It did not do so well and this year they did not sell anything they just consumed the little they got. Padare they have pumpkin leaves and covo that they are consuming and they are also waiting for the rains to subside to nurse other vegetables.

## **SEWING PROJECT**

The organisation conducted an end of project review meeting at Tony Waite offices where stakeholders were informed of project progress success and challenges. They were notified that it was the grant that had come to an end but since the project was community driven it was going to continue and the machines acquired will continue to be used for production. Project beneficiaries shared their success and they benefitted through ISAL, sanitary wear making as well as business management training. Some of the ISAL members present shared how they had used the proceeds from their savings to contribute to the construction of their houses, to enrol children for secondary school whilst a youth group used the proceeds to venture into gardening. The skills transfer through the sewing project were also articulated with adolescents testifying they had been empowered as they were now able to make their own wares for resale as a source of income. For youths that are living with disabilities and those who are having challenges in sewing they are not left out as they are taught to make mats from off cuts and these can be sold to get an income as well. Currently there are challenges of electricity at the youth centre where the sewing project was being conducted and these are being rectified through construction of a cabin at Tony Waite premises so that they

can move and continue with the project. See photos below of a beneficiary highlighting her success story, the mats made from the off cuts and the reusable pads being produced.



## **PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT**

Youth clubs and support groups are continuing to meet once per month holding their meetings at Nyamhunga and Mahombekombe. A total of 186 (91M 95F) have been reached during the month of February. They continue getting information on SRHR, Gender Based Violence, hygiene, child abuse, rights and responsibilities. They requested for exchange visits outside Kariba so that they can learn what youths from other districts are doing. Reports submitted by volunteers show the need to strengthen adherence issues in adolescents as well as disclosure as there are reports of some of them at some point refusing to take their medications

The organisation managed to conduct a meeting with 25(17m 8f) adolescents at Salvation Army church in ward 1 where information was given on abuse and gender based violence. They requested for a facilitator. The topics covered included forms of abuse and GBV, prevention as well as referral pathways. Participants were also keen to have knowledge on HIV testing, what happens if someone defaults and where one can be assisted if they develop an STI. They were however encouraged to be responsible for their health rather than focusing only on getting treated it was very crucial to prevent as this would minimise risk.

## **KAPENTA PROJECT**

The organization has also continued to support vulnerable women and youths economically through income generating project of Kapenta. A total of 25 (14M 11F) were employed during the month comprising of youths and women some of whom are survivors of gender based violence, are caring for children with disabilities and some of the women are also living with disabilities.

Below customers observe, discuss packaging and bought the kapenta product



#### **4) TO IMPROVE COORDINATION:**

The great indaba for education development in Kariba- MOPSE and it has been noted we need to improve learning environment (infrastructure and feeding prog) Terrain most schools inaccessible.

DAAC meeting

Women Coalition Coordinator's post panellists



Pastaka Consortium project graduation and distribution of start-up kits to participants see photos below



#### **5) TO PROVIDE COMPREHENSIVE LEGAL AND SCHOLASTIC SUPPORT**

The organization continues to provide scholastic support and 2 male students had their university fees paid whilst 17 (5M 12F) students at primary level and 3 female students at secondary level benefitted through payment of fees

#### **6) STAFF DEVELOPMENT**

Staff Meetings

#### **7) PLANNED ACTIVITIES**

C& HBC, monthly PMTCT Ward meetings, youth Clubs and Support Group meetings, monitoring of livelihood projects, kapenta project production and marketing and outreaches.

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