

#### **DECEMBER 2015 MONTHLY REPORT**

#### INTRODUCTION

As we are at end of year Tony Waite has managed to scale up its operations from urban, peri-urban to hard to reach areas. Of note the organisation is now providing integrated sexual reproductive health and rights outreach services to fishing camps which has seen these communities receive uninterrupted services. The month has been hectic with lots of activities taking place.

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- To identify needy clients through community volunteers and CPC registers.
- To improve 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**

- Adherence and Care
- Monthly PMTCT Ward meetings,
- Youth Clubs and Support Group meetings,
- Monitoring of livelihood projects,
- Kapenta monitoring, marketing, packaging and selling.
- ICASA
- Outreaches for hard to reach areas

### **IDENTIFICATION AND REFERRAL**

Volunteers continue to identify and refer while other clients knock at staff residents asking for assistance in areas of health, school fees, food and others having suffered gender based violence. These clients range from men, women and girls.

### TO IMPROVE HOUSEHOLD INCOME FOOD SECURITY AND HEALTH

The nutritional gardens continue with Charara venturing in derere which they are already selling. All gardens have managed their compost well and already being used to feed the plants.

The organisation managed to source 2 500kgs of mealie-meal and 498kgs of kapenta for donations for a better food pack which has benefited 250 households with 620 (279 m 341 f).



Each household got a 10kg pack of roller meal and 1kg of kapenta. As we continue to support elderly 14 enjoyed an early Christmas party for the first time organized by Tony Waite on10 December 2015 and walked away with 10kgs of mealie-meal, 1kg kapenta and an umbrella each to prevent themselves from the scotching sun of Kariba and also this will be useful during the rainy season



The organisation has now managed to make it an annual event where 60 (25m 35f) ovc benefited from a Christmas party and each got a blanket and a satchel as a Christmas present. Among these children were also those with disabilities.



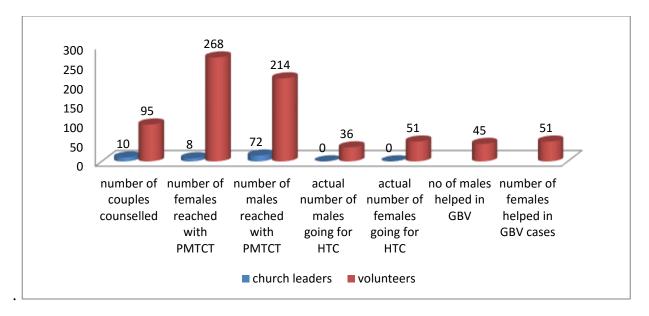
Besides those who had Christmas party 33 (13m 20f) others went for a cruise on 11 December 2015. The cruise was offered by marine land and a drink for each child and the children enjoyed plenty of eats which were donated by the community.



Twenty others enjoyed (11m 9f) lunch at Caribbea bay and twenty to enjoy at Cutty Sark hotel on 2nd January. This is through the mayor's cheer fund held on 11 December 2015.

## MEDICAL SUPPORT

A total of 575 (215M and360F) were reached with SRHR information and the table below gives the disintegrated data. Medical support was given to a woman with cancer who had resorted to traditional medicine due to lack of funding to access treatment at Parirenyatwa hospital where she was denied an assisted medical treatment order issued by department of social services. At time of this report the cancer is now spread and she was given drugs for palliative care as she cannot be operated on hence early detection was jourpadised due to inaccessibility. Volunteers, Church leaders and workplace peer educators continue with information dissemination.



The trained youth out of school have continued to disseminate SRHR information and managed to reach a total of 4 (2M and 2F) and all males got tested. For in school youth, schools are closed and will restart in January 2016.

Volunteers continue to conduct home visits enhance adherence and care to clients with chronic conditions.

NEW CLIENTS	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
CATEGORY			
BED RIDDEN	0	0	0
AMBULATORY	0	0	0
WORKING	0	2	2
TOTAL NEW	0	2	2
TOTAL CLIENTS SEEN	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
BED RIDDEN	0	0	0
AMBULATORY	2	1	3
WORKING	173	241	414

## Table of clients seen.

TOTAL	175	242	417
CLIENTS SEEN ON ART	108	243	251
NUMBER OF DEATHS	0	0	0
CAREGIVERS AT HOUSE LEVEL	17	36	53
FACILITATORS PROVIDING SERVICES	2	53	55
NUMBER OF CHILDREN SEEN	47	64	111
NUMBER OF CHILDREN SEEN ON ART	25	36	61
HOME VISITS CHILDREN	94	129	223
HOME VISITS ADULTS	147	457	604
TOTAL HOME VISITS	236	585	821

## **OUTREACHES**

Outreaches to fishing camps were done and manpower was inadequate due to end of year holidays where the ministry of health provided less staff and those who provided the service were complaining of over working. Gache gache fishing camp was complaining of mosquito bites and the relevant department was contacted and the response was that these fishing camps were omitted on their spraying map so could not do much as matter of urgency but to plan for them in future. A one on one mini survey was done to find out what change has been brought out by the provision of outreach services since it started in June 2015. See photos of outreach team, Ngoni in white t shirt now able to walk and play, one of the members digging a toilet hole, education, treatment and condom distribution.





Most said that they were happy with services as they were close to them and said at hospital they did not get much health education as it is now. They were also happy with the nurses' attitude and were getting time with them and males are now using condoms and females were saying they had war with their partners if they saw condoms but with the education they now accept condoms. The Nyaodza community however was seeking ambulance services as the road is accessible. They were happy as the outreach team was encouraging hygiene and now in the process of digging toilets. Women are happy with getting family planning and immunisations. The youth are not able to access condoms at shops as they are always faced with questions why they take condoms so they suggested condoms to be given to one of their youths or the chairman.

### **KAPENTA PROJECT**

Buying and selling project continues and managed to exhibit the product at ICASA. Not much in terms of sales but most showed interest to order. The exhibition stand was on ZBC on 30 November that's more advocacy. There is progress in the construction of the kapenta rigs with one already fishing as at 10 December 2015 though tempretures were high at Chalala that means less catch. After the full moon the rig returned for fishing on 30 December 2015 and expected on more women and youths continue to benefit through employment and men also employed as fishermen thus the business is growing and offering meaningful employment and adding value to ZIMASSET.



## TO OFFER COMPREHENSIVE SCHOLASTIC AND LEGAL SUPPORT

The organisation managed to go into partnership for fees payment which will benefit sixty secondary school children from Nyamhunga high and Mahombekombe starting 2016. The lists have been received from schools and verified through child protection committees and follow up home visits. The organisation continues with its endvour to keep children in schools and safe by information dissemination on sexual reproductive health and rights.

Gender based violence continues in our community and four women were referred for legal support (3 maintenance and 1 with a child hit by a vehicle) of which the culprit is resisting to pay for medical expenses.

## STAFF DEVELOPMENT

Two members of staff and one student attended the ICASA which was informative, educative and had a chance to network nationally, regionally and globally.



Programme officer attended training for non-health workers co-ordinated by NAC.

# **NETWORKING AND COORDINATION**

Attended world AIDS day for Caribbea bay, ministry of women's affairs and community development stakeholder meeting, attended elderly food hamper distribution and feed for the mayor's cheer fund where those elderly who could dance enjoyed themselves.



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