

ACTIVITY REPORT

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Implementation Data:

Fifteen (15) (14 females, 1 male) most vulnerable members of the community were selected to benefit from our loan. This includes both new and old members. A total of 5 (4 females and 1 male) children with Kwashiorkor were home visited and supported with nutritious soya meal. Two groups (10) members were trained on business skills and record keeping and prepared to receive loan. They are on the waiting list and will receive when other members with loans pay back their loan in full. This is because the need and demand are high but we don't have sufficient money to give at once.

Activities Planned/accomplished for the period

S/N	ACTIVITIES	Target/planned	Action taken/to be taken/awaiting
1-	Follow up with URSB certification and UMRA License	URSB Certification and License	All required documents were certified by URSB and submitted to UMRA for operating License. On 10/12/2021 UMRA visited ESN office for inspection. A license was approved and granted on 20/12/2021. Licence No. 0241 ML.
2-	Disburse loan to target beneficiaries	15	15 clients operating different enterprises were supported with loans. Two recoveries have so been received and amount lent out.
3-	Train new beneficiaries	10	Two groups (10) members were trained on business skills and record keeping
4-	Identify and support children with Kwashiorkor	10	5 children from 3 homes were identified with Kwashiorkor. ESN was able to procure 120 RUFT, 25Kg of nutritional soya meal and one Tin of de-worming tablets for the children.
5-	Consult different organization and institutions with possibility of getting field manuals on Kwashiorkor management and treatment of malnourished children	Implementing partner in Health	Consultation on-going. Save the Children and feed the children and other organization were reached. Their advice varied. Others said we consult their country office while some just held back. Paul is continuing to explore.
6-	Finalized decisions to temporarily adopt Christopher and enroll him in school.	Temporary Adoption (Meaning we take responsibility for the child's welfare as if they were our own child until they have recovered from kwashiorkor)	With support from our UK Director; Paul Sinclair, financial support was mobilized and sent to country Office Uganda for Christopher's enrolment in school. Meeting with Christopher's mother was held. Two schools were visited and their requirement and school fee structure studied. Together with Christopher's mother a school was determined for

		and they are in school.	Christopher. At 7 years old, Christopher make his first step in class on January Monday 31 st 2022. Congratulation for Christopher and many thanks to our kind director.
7-	Halt Loan Distribution	Grameen Manual	Put to halt loan distribution as we internalize Grameen Bank approaches from their manual
8-	General health care.	Sickness	3 of our clients fell sick. Also me and Joseph got sick. Joseph is currently on COVID treatment despite his full vaccination.
9-	Food and Nutrition	Food	All the 5 children with Kwashiorkor received 2.5kg of soya meal. Next distribution in February.

Service Gap: Given the number of clients not served with loan despite receiving training; ESN will considers clients who are in our data base. This will leave out those who just enrolled with no record in our data base.

Wrap around activity.

Medicine and food support procured to be given to children suffering with Kwashiorkor is a provision from our brother; Italian donor. The items include RUFT, soya meal, and de-worming tablets. It's unknown if this will continue for sometime because Kwashiorkor treatment according to one nurse is not one day treatment. It may take some time.

Expected beneficiaries of nutritional food; Soya meal, RUFT and de-worming tablets



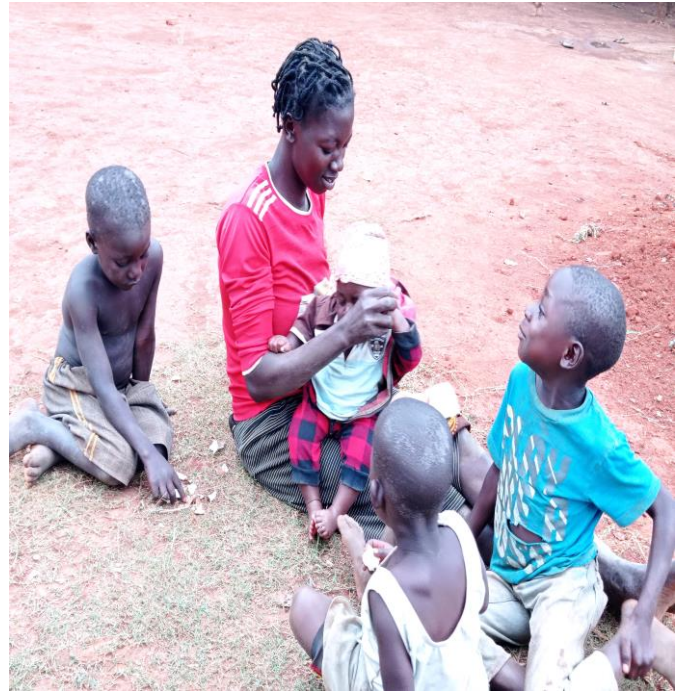
Omara



Atimango



Christopher



Agenorwot and Bridget

Nutritional food procured for distribution



On going Businesses





Christopher before kwashiorkor treatment started. Photo Credit: ESN



Christopher in disbelief. Ready for school.



‘Can I share with you?’ asks Christopher receiving his first RUTF.

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