REPUBLIQUE DE GUINEE





FIGHT AGAINST AIDS GUINEE WEST AFRICA (FAAG)

(ACTION CONTRE LE VIH/SIDA)

A NON GOVERNMENTAL, NON PROFIT ORGANISATION
(Reg: A/949/MEAI/MATD/CAB/DNLPAI/2007)

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Dear Sir / Madam,

Request for financial and material support

In relation to the project proposal, we hereby wish to solicit your sponsorship in an effort to put the proposed Project on an impressive footing. And we therefore present it for your perusal. Our doors are open for a visit to the Country.

We have the ardent hope that this request will meet your favorable consideration.

Thank you.

Faithfully Submitted Pastor Johnson C. Ezeigbo General Coordinator. NAME OF ORGANISATION: FIGHT AGAINST AIDS GUINEE WEST AFRICA (ACTION CONTRE LE

SIDA) ABREVIATED AS: FAAG

REGISTERED NUMBER: A/949/MEAI/MATD/CAB/DNLPAJ/2007

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HISTORICAL BACKGROUND:

FAAG is a Non-Governmental, Non-Profit Organization founded for the purpose of eradicating Hiv/Aids, Malaria, Tuberculosis and Poverty.

<u>AFFILIATIONS/REGISTERATION</u>: INTERNATIONAL: FAAG is registered under the following: IAVI, NAM, KAISER FAMILY FOUNDATION, ICASSA and IAS and is planning to affiliate with IAPAC.

NATIONALLY: COMITTE NATIONAL DE LUTTE CONTRE LE SIDA (C.N.L.S.), NUMBER: 53

NATIONAL DU PROJECT SIDA. NUMBER: 52

GOVERNING BODY: Board of Trustees:

1. Pastor. Johnson C. Ezeigbo

2. Mr. Jeremie Tolno

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8. Pst. Chris Theophilus Onyeso

9. Mr. Chris Okaoha

10. Mr. Udochukwu Ukaoha

11. Mr. Gilbert Dembadouno

MEMBERSHIP: The membership is made up of the Board of trustees and

the Consultative members.

Where we work: Republic of Guinea, Sierra-Leone, Liberia and Nigeria.

OUR ACTIVITIES: Sansiblising our communities, Churches, Schools, Prisons

and Government offices including the Military/Police. Creating awareness using different. strategies and

Preventive measures.

Our different strategies are: Hosting conferences, Workshops, mounting cultural activities, staging competitions in various schools. Also through distributions of donated materials from different

donors and cultural activities.

PROJECTS:

1. Health: Clinics/Hospitals.

2. Agriculture: Self sustainability3. Education: 1. Literal Education2. Self Reliance

4. Orphanage: Orphaned children from Hiv/Aids. Etc.

5. Disability: Care for the Disabled.

6. Hiv/Aids Affected/Effected: Taking them in charge.

HIV/AIDS can be eradicated if preventive measures and close awareness is made. It became pandemic because serious measures were not taken at the beginning and it was mixed with political issues thereby delaying the scientific role in manufacturing the vaccine. But with the now established efforts something progressive have been achieved and there is hope of eradicating it.

Malaria as we know is everywhere but the worst hit is Africa as Africa lacks sanitized environment and basic amenities to eliminate most of the problems and diseases that could be attracted through them. Dirty environment draws mosquitoes which causes malaria when they inflicted bites on people.

Tuberculosis is one of the major diseases killing Africans secretly and is a mostly from contaminated rivers/waters. Example: Lack of pipe born waters makes villagers to fetch water from the rivers, and lack of toilets makes them also to toilet in the bush and during the rainy season the waters will drain those dropouts into the rivers which will contaminate the river causing skin diseases.

Poverty is the worst sickness that has been raiding Africans from the beginning of time. Poverty is the root of the three pandemics in Africa. It has caused many of women and girls to turn to prostitution which not only has eliminated the peace and love in many families but lead to the attraction of the Hiv/Aids and other sickness.

We FAAG has been doing our best to create awareness using different strategies such as sansiblizing the communities, schools, Government offices, churches, mosques and Prisons. We state cultural activities to attract communities and use it to sansiblize them. We equally host workshops and conferences, distribution of related magazines on the awareness and different preventive measures from IAVI and WHO.

We receive donations of Albendazole, Multivitamin and Vitamin A from Vitamin Angels and deliver to the various communities.

Regarding Tuberculosis, we receive and deliver lectures and books on how to prevent and treat Tuberculosis from World Health Organization and we create awareness by holding conferences and lectures to teach people on how to prevent it.

Improvement in the condition of life and standard of the girl child and women through innovative programs such as formal education for girls, Skills training for girls dropping from school and adult literacy for women. We are on the verge of establishing

a formal education and self reliance to accommodate our boys and girls mostly the street boys and girls, the poor and poorer families, the orphans, the children orphaned through Hiv/Aids and the disabled.

FAAG is to undertake self- reliance project in the fields of Sewing/Fashion and designing, Carpentry/Woodworks, Computer Training.

The beneficiaries of these Self-Reliance programs are the less privileged ones, the street boys and girls and the Orphaned children through Hiv/Aids, Malaria and Tuberculosis. and the Handicapped and Disabled.

AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

- ❖ To cater for the education of most vulnerable children in the society.
- ❖ To create awareness on the dangers of the three Pandemics: Hiv/Aids, Malaria, and Tuberculosis and find solution on how to eradicate Poverty as it is the root of the pandemics in Africa.
- ❖ To educate children and make them self-reliance thereby eradicating poverty in the society.
- ❖ To reduce the high rate of crimes and prostitution in the communities
- ❖ To teach on how to maintain cleanliness and hygiene to avoid spread of Malaria.
- To carter for street children and Orphans.
- ❖ To provide the children with food and medicine and health care for the poorer families.
- **❖** To take in charge of the Hiv affected and effected.
- ❖ To provide educational opportunities mostly for vulnerable, disabled, orphans, the abandoned so as to make use of their God given talents.
- **❖** To fight against poverty through literacy and Self-Reliance program.
- **❖** To make available all educational facilities for better educational standards.
- To help in Nation building.
- To advance beneficiaries on the new technologies with the use of Computers.

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

- Building Educational Self-Reliance Institutions from 9years and above in Guinea and other countries we serve with the best standard of training and awareness.
- ❖ To train Children, Street boys and girls, Orphans, Less privilegedones, Children Orphaned by Hiv/Aids.
- To make Educational Facilities, foods and Wears available for the poor and poorer families.

BENEFITS AND BENIFICIARIES

The benefit is to eradicate Hiv/Aids, Malaria, Tuberculosis and Poverty in our Society. The beneficiaries are the Children Orphaned through Hiv/Aids, Street boys and Girls, Orphans, Less privileged ones: Handicapped and Disabled.

MISSION STATEMENT

To eradicate Malaria, Tuberculosis, Hiv/Aids and Poverty. Women empowerment and building the minds of the youth to embrace the future with boldness and responsibility.

OUR STRATEIGIES:

We are calling Other Organizations having the same Interest or Vision with us to Partner with us to realize this goal. God has given us this vision of helping the poor and making them to belong to the Society as they are rejected. To make like better and enjoyable to the Orphans, less privileged ones and the poor and poorer families.

We are also appealing to Organizational Donors for Educational Materials/Facilities, Healthcare facilities/Materials, Donors in Clothing Materials, Medicines, Bibles, Awareness Materials.

for cash donations and investors for the Building of Training Schools in all States in Guinea. By so doing we can be able to realize this VISION AS GOD HAS GIVEN US.

APPOINTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES

- Appointment of the project coordinator who stands responsible for the overall implementation of the project.
- Representative(s) of the school Board of Directors.
- Representative(s) of the funding agency if necessary.
- Coordinator for Self-Reliance Centers
- Coordinator for Field workers/Voluntary services

1/DEVELOPMENT STRAGIES

This will include capacity building and requisition of items needed for the implementation of the project activities. In-service training or workshops/seminars, Conferences for teaching staff and leadership training for students as well as enhancement for the development of the human resource based on the project beneficiaries implementation.

MONITORING AND EVALUATION:

These will include representative from FAAG board of directors and the

funding agency.

- Daily monitoring of the project activities including teachers and board of Trustees of the program.
- Weekly evaluation of the achievements, challenges, experiences etc.
- Monthly evaluation of the overall performance drawn from the result of the project activities.
- Monitoring by the funding agency accompanied
- Periodic submission of report to the project coordinator and board of directors of the program by the secretary for onward transmission to the funding agency and Periodical submission of reports to the Donors and investors.

4. FINANCE CONTROL

The staff of the FAAG is capable and qualified to implement the proposal and has a structure put in place for financial control.

There is a finance officer who is responsible for the dispensation of all cash through the logistics officer who purchases equipment, materials and furniture needed by the organization. The project coordinator can sign the withdrawal of all cash for any purchases. Finally a comprehensive financial report will be written and submitted to the board of Trustees which in turn will be sent to our various funders/sponsors/partners.

5. **FUNDING**

The Training school/Project will partly depend on the Investors donations and what can be achieved through the productions made by the Training school.

6. REGISTRATION OF DOCUMENTS

Registered Documents and other necessary documents will be presented and submitted to the Donors or investors upon request.

7. ACHIEVEMENTS

- The institution as a whole is contributing in the direction of minimizing the rate of illiteracy and building the capacities of young stars through advocacy and quality education.
- Presently the school runs from pre-school (nursery and Day care), Primary school (grade one to grade six), Junior Secondary School one to three (JSS one to three) and Senior Secondary School (SSS one to three).
- There is also a day care for children between the ages of two and five(2 and 5
- The school is endowed with trained and qualified teachers and dedicated teaching and non-teaching staff that are rendering services to the community by counseling parents to send their children to school.
- More so in order to tap the talents of our students, we have also involved them in

debating and quizzing, drama and the formation of environmental nature clubs.

This eventually has helped in producing outstanding students in these disciplines.

• All the above achievements were made through contributions by the board members.

SELF- RELIANCE/TRAINING SCHOOL:

In other to eradicate Poverty in the Society self-reliance projects has to be placed on an important level.

This area embraces the School dropouts, Children Orphaned by HIV/AIDS, The Less privileged ones such as the Disabled and the Orphaned children through other means such as Ebola and accidents and others. The use of Computers and other fields are embraced in this program.

The society and through this means teach them the importance of Hygiene and environmental cares as a step to eradicating Malaria and Tuberculosis.

SELF RELIANCE/TRAINING PROJECT.

This training school is established to train children from 8 years and above. The children are the future society and if proper care and training are given to them mostly on the areas of self- reliance the society will be a better place to live in. With our efforts to establish this system of education/training we are of the believe that juvenile delinquency and other attributes will be arrested. They say an idle mind is a devils workshop. A busy mind has many good things to build as he will be focused. Professors, Scientist, Architects are built in this way Also when the mind is happy it helps to reduce tension and sickness thereby building the minds for better thinking and construction.

AREAS OF FOCUS:

This training focuses on children from eight years and above and based on self-reliance.

- 1. Self-Reliance/Training School:
- a) Sewing/Fashion and Designing
- b) Carpentry /Woodworks.
- c) Computer Training

DIRECT BENEFICIARIES:

The projects accept children from the age of 9 to 17 years. Children from poor and poorer families are mostly considered. Also children orphaned by Hiv/Aids, Malaria and Tuberculosis and Ebola. The less privileged in the society: The disabled and the handicapped and the Street boys and girls.

<u>INDIRECT BENEFICIARIES</u>: The indirect beneficiaries are the communities, Traders and the population.

CRITERIA:

Each child must have a basic educational background being able to read and write before he or she could be admitted into this training. The selection of children is three years gap.

The children are placed in the type of training that best defines their ability and capability. Before admitting a child he or she has to pass through test and oral interviews to determine if they can read and write, the training they will fit in better and to know the level of their thinking towards the training.

We also encourage special training based on acquiring basic educational background to read and write on a special case to enable the child to cope up with the training. This can take only a period of six months.

BASIC SELECTION:

- 1. Children 9-17 (BOYS) --- CARPENTRY WORK
- 2. Children 9-17 (BOTH BOYS AND GIRLS) SEWING/FASHION & DESIGN
- 3. Computer Training: BOTH BOYS AND GIRLS.

NUMBER OF INTAKE AND THE DURATION OF THE TRAINING:

Each training section will have a maximum intake/admission of 100 students and the duration for each training is Three years (3yrs). At the end of three years the students who qualify will awarded a certificate and another batch will be admitted. Most of the trained will be deployed to train others to encourages others and those who passed out will be assisted to gain employment elsewhere, while others will operate on their own through our assistance should there be no assistance from their sources.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON THE PROJECT:

1. TARGET GROUP:

The target group or beneficiaries of this project are Orphaned children, Street boys and girls, handicapped, poor and poorer families and Disabled.

2. AGE OF ADMISSION:

The accepted ages for admission in this project is from 9 to 17 years and it includes boys and girls.

- 3. NUMBER OF CHILDREN TO BE ADMITTED PER SECTION: 100
- 4. DURATION OF EACH SECTION: 3 YEARS

5. TRAINING/ACTIVITIES:

- 1. SEWING/FASHION AND DESIGNING (Girls: 9-18)
- 2. CARPENTRY/ WOODWORK (Boys: 9-17)
- 3. COMPUTER TRAINING (Both group)

The students will be trained practically and theoretically to be able to undertake any appointment or establish on their own without difficulties.

Within the three years of training, students are expected to understand the theoretical and Practical aspect of the training and to use the remaining one year for productions to be able to realize support for the progress of the school.

We choose this two major training as it will help us to realize income/funds for the continuation of the project. Within the two years the carpentry section is expected to produce Upholstery chairs, Beds, Tables, Crutches, Runny stools, Coffins and others. The model of productions should be good enough for export.

The Sewing/Fashion and Designing section should be able to produce shirts, skates, gowns, school Uniforms and others and the production will be good enough for export markets.

Most of the trained will be deployed to encourage others and to serve us.

4. DAYS AND WEEKS OF CLASSES:

The days of classes are from Monday to Saturday and every week. The school will not observe any public holidays. The hours of classes are 9am to 3pm. The time table will be drawn.

5. COMPLETION OF THREE YEARS TRAINING:

On the completion of the three years training, each student will be given a certificate to certify that they are qualified to establish on their own and to be employed in any company or industry that may need their services.

6. TRAINERS:

The trainers to be employed should be capable enough to train the students and equally satisfy the aim and objectives of the school. A degree holder is needed for both theory and practical training.

7. STARTING OF THE PROJECT:

The project is expected to start in September, 2020.

THIS SECTION WILL OUTLINE THE VARIOUS MATERIALS/EQUIPMENT AND COST TO BE INCURED ON THE THREE TRAINING SCHOOL:

SEWING/FASHION AND DESIGNING

NO	NAMES/TYPES OF EQUIPMENT	QUANTITY	UNIT	TOTAL
			PRICE \$	\$
1.	Sewing machines : Manual	20	160	2200
2.	Zig-Zag machines	5	120	600
3.	Sewing Machines : Electric	10	150	1500
4.	Scissors	20pcs	5	100
5.	Trades:	10pkts	20	200
6.	Niddles/Pins	20pkts	10	200
7.	Teaching Materials	10types	10	100
8.	Broderies : Machines	2	600	1200
9.	Measuring tapes	10	2	20
10.	Tables:	5	30	150
11.	Dressing Cupboard	3	300	900
12.	Pressing Irons: Electric	5	10	50
13.	Black Boards	1	10	10
14.	Chairs for Students	100	50	5000
15.	Cutting and designing machines	2	300	600
16.	Unsewn clothes	50 yards	15	750
17.	Unsewn jeans clothes	50 yards	20	600
				13,180

This project is designed to promote the beauty of African culture in a modernized ways.

The African cultures should be maintained and to be demonstrated to the World in general how far Africa has come. Africans are normally known and identified in the olden days for their type of wears. We are trying to bring back this culture to the foot of every African and to demonstrate to the World the beauty in our culture.

This project is designed for Girls only and between the ages of 14 to 18 years. This age is considered so that a child of 14 years must have known how to read and write and this will go a long way to help us in the training.

Here we will train the children on how to design and sew wears of both African and Western World. They will be prepared in such a way as to know how to sew.

- 1. Wears for men,
- 2. Wears for Women,
- 3. Ladies.
- 4. Children.
- 5. Jeans and for men and ladies
- 6. Bedsheets and knitting works.
- 7. Contract work for schools, Organizations, clubs and others both locally and internationally. The wears will be designed in such a way that it will be suitable for both Local and International exports. This is intended to support and maintain our tools and materials.

CARPENTRY/WOODWORKS

NO	NAMES/TYPES OF EQUIPMENT	QUANTITY	UNIT	TOTAL
			PRICE \$	\$
1.	Hammer	5	10	50
2.	Tape Measure	10	5	50
3.	Chalk Line	10	5	50
4.	Carpenters Pencil	10	0.5	5
5.	Utility Knife	10	0.5	5
6.	Tin Snips	10	6	60
7.	Nail Puller 1	10	2	20
8.	Nail Puller 2	10	2	20
9.	Speed Square	15	5	75
10.	Levels	10	2	20
11.	Wood Chisel (1 inch)	5	2	10
12.	Wood Chisel (1 inch)Circular Saw	6	20	120
13.	Drill (3/8 to ½ chucks)	20	10	200
14.	Reciprocating Saw	10	5	50
15.	Extension Cords	10	10	100
16.	Extension CordsWoods	15	10	150
17.	Finishers	10	50	500
18.	Black Boards	3	05	15
19.	Packets of Nails(Assorted types + sizes)	40	03	120
				1620

This section of the project designed to train our children on the use of the natural resources to produce materials that will be useful in every home, offices, companies and other required places.

This project is mainly for boys between the ages of 14 to 18 years.

This section of the project is to train the boys in such a way that they can be able to produce the following materials conveniently for local and international use:

- Chairs
- ***** Tables (Office and others)
- **Beds-Suitable for export.**
- **Upholstery chairs**
- ***** Coffins and Assorted wood carvings.
- Contract works for schools, Unions, clubs, organizations both locally and internationally.

COMPUTER TRAINING

No	NAMES AND TYPE OF EQUIPMENT	Quantity	Total
	COMPUTERS:		
	Desktop	30	3,000
	Laptop	10	1,500
	Accessories		600
			5,100

This section of the project is for both the boys and girls and will help them have knowledge of the use of computer. Due to the high speed of technological growth today it is good for every child to know how to use computers as gradually most of the things done with typewriters and others has gradually given way for computers.

Mostly of the work in the carpentry and sew/fashion and designing will be arranged through computers.

		Quantity	Amount
1	Teachers salaries: 2 teachers for Sewing/Fashion and designing: 2 teachers for Carpentry/Woodwork: 1 teachers for computer training:	250x2x12 250x2x12 250x1x12	6,000 6,000 <u>3,000</u> 15,000
2	Ordinary Workers- 1. Cleaner @ \$100 per month 2. Bursar @ \$150 per month 3. Security @ \$100 per month	2 1 2	2,400 1,800 2,400
			6,600
3	A Central Power Unit	1	3,000
4	Office Equipment: Stationeries Computers-desktop/laptops Photocopying machines singles Scanner/photocopying and Printer(3 in one) Electric fans Cars for official runs.	2x2 1 2 15 1	600 500 500 600 300 3,000 5,500

#		AMOUNT	
1	Expenses for Sewing/Fashion and designing equipment/Materials		13,180
2	Expenses for Carpentry/Wood works, Materials/Equipment		1,620
3	Teachers/Ordinary workers for 12 months		21,600
4	Central power Unit(1)		3,000
7	Office equipment/transporting vans Computer:		5,500
			3,600
	Desk top:	30 pieces@100 each +Accessories	1,500
	Laptop:	10 pieces@150 usd each:	
Grand Total			50,000

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The total expected expenses for all the projects involved is Fifty thousand United States Dollars. (\$50,000)

This is a complete project of our Organization which is needed to be realized for a better society. We mapped out these projects to be able to take care of the poor and the poorer in the society thereby using this mean to fight hunger and to realize our goal thereby eradicating Malaria and tuberculosis and reducing the wide spread of Hiv/Aids.

One may ask how these projects could be a means of eradicating malaria and tuberculosis and reducing the wide spread of Hiv/Aids.

Hunger as we all know can lead to many devices. The people in the Western World may not clearly notice this because of their environment but here in Africa you can know this from the look of faces of people.

If the World will be able to wide out hunger much will be realized and the Society will be better for all. Nobody steal because he wants to steal something leads him to do that. The spread of Malaria and Tuberculosis is as a result of poor and dirty environment, poor drinking water and so on.

In Africa most families cannot afford two square meals a day. This may be a family of six or seven. This has pushed most of our girls for prostitution, having sex intercourse in many odd corners only in a bid to feed their families. A girl who has not eaten from morning to say afternoon or evening may be pushed to have sex with any how person to satisfy her hunger which will lead to Hiv/Aids as we may not have the power to ask for condom.

Our self-reliance will help the poor to be trained and be useful to himself or herself and the society. Many lives could be saved if there are cheap and good medical treatments for the poor and poorer in the Society. Those in the interior cannot afford to travel far into the city to receive medical care but if medical centers are around will be easier.

Thank you.
Sincerely yours,
Pastor Johnson C. Ezeigbo
General CoordinatoR