

# ABOUT US

Amani Transformational Foundation (ATF) is a small but growing indigenous organization set up by Ugandan citizens to promote health, education and other development ventures in Moyo and Adjumani districts, West Nile region of Uganda. Having legally registered as a company limited by guarantee under the laws of Uganda in April 2021, ATF is registered as a local Non-Governmental Organization with the Uganda Bureau for Non-Governmental Organization.

## VISION

Women, Men, and young people in Adjumani and Moyo districts are healthy and can effectively contribute to personal and community development.

## MISSION

To create access to education, health care and development opportunities for women, men and young people through partnerships and community engagement approaches.



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# INZONZI KOLAKI TA! (KEEP GIRLS IN SCHOOL): EMPOWERING GIRLS AND TEENAGE MOTHERS IN MOYO DISTRICT

The Inzonzi Kolaki Ta program implemented by **Amani Transformational Foundation**, is a girl-centered initiative aimed at providing a safe space for empowerment, education, and support to girls and teenage mothers in Moyo district Uganda. The project was initiated in response to the dire need to address the vulnerabilities faced by girls and teenage mothers in Moyo district, including **high rate of teenage pregnancy, early marriage, and limited access to education opportunities**. These challenges are exacerbated by cultural and societal norms that perpetuate gender inequality and discrimination between girls and boys by parents. Since its inception, the project has raised awareness among hundreds of school going children. Volunteers have directly worked with a total 68 girls and teenage mothers, starting with an initial cohort of 18, expanding to 32 within a year. Currently there are 18 girls going through the program.

## APPROACH

- Peer to Peer empowerment utilizing a UNICEF curriculum to educate and empower girls and teenage mothers.
- A mentorship approach that pairs girls with trained mentors for ongoing guidance and support.
- Life skills training on reproductive health, technical skills, leadership and entrepreneurship skills.
- Psychosocial counselling services through individual and group counselling sessions to address psychological and emotional needs.

## ACHIEVEMENTS SO FAR

- Establishing a safe space for girls and teenage mothers to share experiences and challenges
- Increased levels of knowledge and education on reproductive health, life skills, economic empowerment.
- Fostered a sense of community and solidarity among program participants.
- Enhanced levels of confidence and self-esteem among beneficiaries
- Encouraged 20 girls to return to school.

