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Project Document: Prevent Cervical Cancer for Women in Kenya

Organization Overview

Gynocare is a healthcare initiative dedicated to improving women's reproductive health in underserved communities across Kenya. We focus on prevention, early detection, and treatment of cervical cancer and related conditions through outreach programs, screening camps, and surgical interventions.

Problem Statement

Cervical cancer remains one of the leading causes of death among women in Kenya, despite being preventable. Limited access to screening, HPV vaccination, and treatment services, especially in rural areas, results in late diagnosis and high mortality rates. Many women have never been screened, and young girls lack access to preventive vaccines.

Project Goal

To reduce cervical cancer incidence and mortality by providing screening, vaccination, and early treatment services to over 2,000 women and girls in underserved communities.

Project Activities

- Community-based cervical cancer screening (Pap smear, HPV DNA testing, VIA/VILI)
- HPV vaccination for school-going girls
- Treatment of precancerous lesions (thermal ablation, LEEP)
- Identification and referral of complex cases (including fistula)
- Health education and awareness campaigns
- Mobile outreach programs in rural areas

Target Beneficiaries

- 2,000+ women (screening & treatment)
- 1,000+ girls (HPV vaccination)
- Communities in Baringo, Kakamega, Uasin Gishu, and surrounding regions

Recent Achievements

- 1,644 women screened through outreach programs
- 998 girls vaccinated across 16 schools
- 212 procedures completed during Campaign 52
- Increased detection of early-stage cervical abnormalities
- Identification and referral of untreated fistula cases

Expected Outcomes

- Increased early detection of cervical cancer
- Reduced mortality rates
- Increased HPV vaccination coverage
- Improved awareness and health-seeking behavior
- Strengthened access to reproductive healthcare

Sustainability

The project integrates community education, local partnerships, and continuous outreach programs to ensure long-term impact. By building awareness and encouraging routine screening, the program creates lasting behavioral change and ongoing demand for preventive care.

Budget Summary

- Screening supplies & equipment – \$3,000
- HPV vaccines (targeted coverage) – \$2,500
- Outreach logistics (transport, staff) – \$2,000
- Treatment & minor procedures – \$1,500
- Community education & mobilization – \$1,000

Total: \$10,000

Conclusion

This project provides a life-saving opportunity for women and girls who would otherwise lack access to essential healthcare. By combining prevention, early detection, and treatment, we aim to significantly reduce cervical cancer deaths and restore dignity, health, and hope.