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# FWA DECEMBER 2016 REPORT

The section below summarizes the work done during the month of December 2016.

## ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM AND CAPACITY BUILDING

On December 12-16, 2016, NTAHUBA Parfaite (the coordinator of FWA) and HORANIMANA Grace (FWA social worker), attended an intensive study on reflection on the practice of peace which took place at Friends Peace garden in Kigali, Rwanda. This training was organized by the Great Lakes Peacebuilding Institute (GLPI). To be represented there, FWA was supported by Quaker Service Norway (QSN)

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## ACTIVITIES

During the month of December 2016, the activities done were about READY, RSS, AGBV, Art Therapy and CHIVPP projects.

## **READY**

As part of the READY project, different services were offered in the following logic:

15 teenagers from the target group, including 1 female and 14 male, underwent voluntary testing and received information about HIV/AIDS through pre and post-test counseling. We had five young female people from the target group (age between 10 and 19 years) for family planning and related information, and 3511 condoms were distributed to 300 teenagers, including 167 female and 133 male.

### *SENSITIZATION*

Two discussion groups for parents and teenagers were done. The purpose was to encourage them to talk together about sexual and reproductive health. Actually, in our context, both parents and teenagers feel shy to discuss on sexuality.





*A small group of teenagers discussing the reasons why they don't talk about sexuality with their parents*



*A small group of parents discussing the reasons why they don't talk about sexuality with their children*

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### **Rape Survivors' Support (RSS)**

Two trauma healing workshops were done on December 26th-31st, 2016. The pilot self-help group is still meeting at FWA every Friday at 3:00PM.





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### **Action on Gender-Based Violence (AGBV)**

A three-day GBV workshop was done in Kibimba (Gitega province) from November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016 to December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016. Participants were five local leaders per hill. The total number was 25. The purpose was to sensitize local leaders to act against GBV as some of them have been a barrier to our GBV accompanists because of ignorance. As This activity was done during the 16 days of activism against GBV campaign (November 25<sup>th</sup> to December 10<sup>th</sup>), on December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2016, in collaboration with the local administration, FWA organized a peaceful walk against GBV. The purpose was to raise a public awareness against GBV.







*From left to right, the representative of the Gitega province governor, the Evangelical friends Church legal representative vice, FWA legal representative and the Giheta commune administrator representative*



### Caring for HIV Positive People (CHIVPP)

During this month of December 2016, two sharing sessions (December 22-23, 2016), medical follow up, nutritional support photo and home visits were done for our HIV positive people.



*Gisèle MISAGO (The one standing in pants), facilitating discussion group of HIV Positive People*



*Kits of rice and beans for nutritional support*



*Each one has to sign after receiving his/her kit*

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### **Art Therapy**

This month of December 2016, the art therapy new program has continued. While sharing about their own stories, these women are doing some kind of Burundian arts. Now they have already done ear rings. Their products will be sold at a low price so that they can support themselves economically.





## MEDICAL TEAM

### CONSULTATIONS

18 cases were consulted by our doctor. The nurse received 158 patients including 85 adults and 73 children.

The same month, December 6-9, 2016 there was also a vaccination campaign for both children and pregnant women. The results were the following:

- 272 children between 6-11 months received Vitamin A preventing blindness
- 337 children between 12-59 months received Vitamin A preventing blindness
- 337 children between 12-59 received a dose of 400mg of Albendazole preventing verminosis
- 1578 children between 5-14 years received a dose of 400mg of Albendazole preventing verminosis
- 189 pregnant women a dose of 400mg of albendazole and soaps

The total number achieved of both children and pregnant women was 2376





## LABORATORY

In the month of December 2016, apart from voluntary testing, there were a total of 148 tests.

Test	Test completed	Positive	Negative
G.E.	73	9	64
Selles	16	16	0
ECBU	4	2	2
Pregnancy	15	4	11
Sero-widal (Typhoid fever)	32	31	1
Glycémie	2	0	2
Complete Blood Count (CBC)	6	-	-
Total Tests: 148			

## FAMILY PLANNING

155 women received contraceptives from FWA's nurse. 141 received the contraceptive injection and 14 were given pills.

## PRE-NATAL CONSULTATION

Three women came for the pre-natal consultation.

## ARV SITE

At the end of December 2016, we had 105 patients under retro drugs followed at NTASEKA clinic, including 88 women and 17 men. We had also other 86 people under cotrimoxazole only. This means that we have a total of 191 people infected with HIV followed at NTASEKA clinic.

## PHARMACY

FWA had all necessary medicines for the month of December 2016.

## PSYCHOSOCIAL TEAM

In the month of December 2016, because there was out of stock of screening inputs at the national level, only 46 people received pre and post HIV test counseling and were tested for HIV; 43% of them were women and among the three people detected HIV positive, two of them were women with 7% of seropositivity.

Total Number of People Tested:	46
Total Number of Women Tested:	20
% of People Tested Who Are Women:	43%
Average Age:	26
Median Age:	24
Total HIV+ :	3
Total HIV- :	43
Number of Women HIV+ :	2
Total % Seropositivity:	7%
% of Women Tested Who Are HIV+:	10%