

Friends Women's Association

JULY 2021 Report

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COVID-19 AND NTASEKA CLINIC

In the month July 2021, Friends Women's Association has continued to apply Covid-19 restrictions at Ntaseka Clinic for both the staff and the beneficiaries' protection.

ACTIVITIES

Caring for HIV Positive People (CHIVPP)

In the month of July 2021, medical follow up and home visits were done for our HIV positive people.

Maternity Ward Building

In the month of July 2021, with the support from the African Great Lakes Initiative (AGLI), tiles were put on the he first floor of the building.









Improving Women's Reproductive Health (IWRH)

FWA community health workers and FWA staff have continued to educate men, women and young people on the importance of family planning.

FWA Community Health workers and the FWA midwife have started to visit Self-Help Groups to educate them on the importance of birth control.



Rape Survivors' Support (RSS)

In the month of June 2021, Self-Help Groups (SHGs) have continued to meet once a week in Kamenge and 10 SHGs were created in Nyabiraba. At the end of June 2021, we had a total of 135 SHGs in Kamenge, Bujumbura Mairie province for a total of 3188 women and 25 SHGs for 613 women in Nyabiraba commune, Bujumbura province.



The growing rice project has continued. The third harvest is now ready for July 2021.



The handmade baskets project by young girls



The SHGs in Nyabiraba are doing income generating activities together. This group below is planting potatoes



One three-day trauma healing workshop was done on June 28-30, 2021.



My name is Jacqueline. I was staying with my uncle here in Bujumbura for studies reason. When he died, his wife sent me away because it was very hard to find enough food for all of us. I stopped my studies as there was no one to pay for my school fees. I found a job and got married to a man from a different ethnic group. After we had three daughters, my husband was killed. After the burial ceremony, my in-laws took by force two of my three daughters. They said they don't want that their children to be raised by a different ethnic group and that my husband died because I'm a cursed person. I stayed with my smallest child. But, after years, I went in the countryside to find my two other kids. An organization whose

vision is children's rights supported me until my two daughters were given back to me. I found a job and was able to start a small business. Today, I'm a member of one self-help group, and I can survive with my three daughters.



ACTION ON GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE (AGBV)

On June 28-30, 2021, there was a three-day retreat for 20 GBV accompanists at Kinindo Training Center (Former Sweeden Mission).



MEDICAL TEAM



CONSULTATIONS

Our medical doctors consulted with 151 cases, including 69 adults (18 men and 51 women), 19 children (10 boys and 9 girls), 47 HIV positive people and 16 pregnant women for ultrasound. The nurse received 185 patients including 132 adults and 53 children.

June 16-18, 2019 was a mother-child week. Ntaseka clinic was one of the vaccination centers as usual. We had a total of 758 children and 134 pregnant women. Among the 758 children, 65 children aged between 6 and 11 months were given Vitamin A, 129 aged between 12 months and 23 months were given both Vitamin A and Albendazole, 306 aged between 24 months and 59 months were given both Vitamin A and Albendazole and 258 aged between 5 years and 14 years were given Albendazole. 134 pregnant women were given Albendazole.



LABORATORY

In July 2021, apart from HIV voluntary testing, there were a total of 223 tests.





Test	Test completed	Positive	Negative
G.E. Malaria test	57	10	47
Quick malaria test	28	9	19
ECBU Urine test	18	14	4
Selles Stool test	14	13	1
Pregnancy	29	11	18
Sero-widal Typhoid fever	19	5	14
Glycémie Diabetes	8	4	4
RPR VDRL (Syphilis)	15	0	15
Complete Blood Count	11	4	7
Hepatitis B	1	1	0
Hepatitis C	0	0	0
Viral Load	23	1	22
Total Tests: 223			

FAMILY PLANNING

592 people received contraceptives from FWA's nurse, including 321 old cases and 271 new ones. 382 received the contraceptive injection, 61 were given pills, 41 received male condoms at Ntaseka clinic and a total of 2304 male condoms were given by FWA community health workers to 96 men, 1 received UID and 11 received implants

PRENATAL CONSULTATION (PNC)

In the month of July 2021, 42 women came for prenatal consultation (PNC), including 15 who came for PNC 1, 12 for PNC 2 and 8 for PNC 3 and 7 for PNC 4.

16 pregnant women came for the ultrasound test.

ANTI-RETROVIRAL SITE

At the end of July 2021, we had 330 patients under retro drugs followed at NTASEKA clinic, including 267 women and 63 men.

PHARMACY

Regarding medications, FWA was able to purchase the minimum needed medicine.

PSYCHOSOCIAL TEAM

In the month of July 2021, a total of 29 people received pre and post HIV test counselling and were tested for HIV. Out of the total number, 79% were women and 2 women were detected HIV positive with 7% of seropositivity.

Total Number of People Tested:	29
Total Number of Women Tested:	23
% of People Tested Who Are Women:	79%
Average Age:	26
Median Age:	26
Total HIV+ :	2
Total HIV- :	27
Number of Women HIV+ :	2
Total % Seropositivity:	7%
% of Women Tested Who Are HIV+:	9%