

DAPP

Development Aid from People to People



WHO WE ARE AND WHAT WE DO

Introduction

DAPP strives, through the implementation of its projects, to work with the needy by providing knowledge, skills and tools that empower them and their families to face and overcome the challenges of everyday life and to thereby improve the quality of their life. DAPP was registered as a welfare society in 1990 and runs projects in 30 districts in 7 provinces of Zambia with clothes and shoes fundraising shops in all provinces.

Child Aid Projects

The projects aim at strengthening the capacity and ability of families to improve their lives and secure a healthy and sound upbringing for their children through maternal and child health, poverty alleviation strategies, water and sanitation, environment, HIV and AIDS, support to orphans, community pre-schools, disease prevention, etc. The project reaches out to about 100,000 households and 1,000 schools in 18 districts.



Children's Town in Chibombo

Children's Town runs a vocational skills training centre that aims at rehabilitating former street youth from major towns and providing them skills to enable them to be successfully re-integrated into the community after two years at the project. The project caters for 80 former street youths and it also runs a community school with 360 children from the surrounding villages.



HOPE Projects

HOPE projects aim at reducing the spread of HIV and AIDS and supporting those infected and affected by the pandemic. The projects operate in 7 districts with activities to strengthen the economy and food security for thousands of people living with HIV, voluntary counselling and testing, school, youth and workplace programmes as well as capacity building of civic society organisations involved in HIV and AIDS activities.



Total Control of the Epidemic (TCE)

The TCE programme aims to stop the HIV and AIDS epidemic in the operation areas through a comprehensive door-to-door approach. Field officers reach every single person in their area of operation to offer information, referral and counselling and testing services. In 2010 alone, the project reached over 250,000 people with behaviour change information and carried out over 77,000 HIV tests in Southern Province.



Farmers' Club Project

The Farmers' Club project mobilizes and trains small-scale farmers to improve land and livestock farming methods and thereby increase production. The project further organises the farmers to improve marketing of produce and links them to micro finance institutions for them to increase farm assets such as irrigation pumps for production. The project reaches over 13,000 farmers organised in 260 clubs in 6 districts in Central, Copperbelt and Southern Provinces.



Clothes and Shoes Fundraising Business

The Clothes and Shoes project imports donated second hand clothes and shoes which are then sold to raise funds for development activities in Zambia. The 30 retail shops provide good quality and affordable clothes to customers and have over 150 employees.



DAPP Colleges of Education

The first DAPP College of Education will start in Mkushi in January 2012 with 40 students. The 2 year certificate training course focuses on providing the students with an all round education and giving students a good foundation for providing child-centered quality academic education as well as providing the pupils with life skills and making the schools centres for development in the rural communities.

Partners

DAPP works with partners including the government of the Republic of Zambia at national and district levels, local and international organisations, companies and individuals.

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