

Organizational Profile:

- 1. Name of the organisation** Gweri Rural Community Development Organisation (GWERUCODO)
- 2. Regd. Office** Plot 138, Gweri Road
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Agip Cell
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Soroti Municipality
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- 6. Legal Status of the Organisation** Fully registered with Gweri Sub County Local Government. Reg. No. GWR/CBO/209/2017
- 7. Bankers for Domestic projects** Finance Trust Bank
Soroti – Branch
Account No: 308214000052
- 8. Area of Operation** Gweri Sub County, Soroti District, Uganda

Vision statement

A happy World For Every Soul.

Mission statement

Creating positive behavioural change in communities to eradicate ignorance and poverty

Objectives

- To promote quality education and completion in communities.
- To promote unity in families and communities for sustainable development.
- To develop sustainable resource management in communities.
- To advocate and promote food security in communities.
- To create awareness on HIV/AIDs and other chronic diseases for the healthy community.
- To identify and promote skills and talents in children, youth and communities.
- To promote, practice and improve agriculture in communities.
- To promote child protection in communities to eradicate child marriage, child labour and domestic violence in communities.
- Create awareness on Government programs, Education, Child Rights, Health care etc.
- To form and promote Village Savings and Loan Association groups to improve livelihoods in communities.
- To provide trainings on livelihood and Income generating programmes.
- To promote, develop and sustain environmental conservation and protection.
- To conduct Disaster Preparedness activities in the area of operation.
- To organize meetings with the local government, NGOs and the communities in the area of operation.
- To empower the girl child and women in gender equality related issues.

Organisation values

- **Integrity**
We do what is right even when no one is watching.
- **Spiritual Growth**
We provide the opportunity for all to know God and make Him known.
- **We value people**
We give priority to people as created and loved by God
- **Excellence**
We simply believe that regardless of your talent or performance today, you should want to be better tomorrow. Improving every day!

Strategies adopted

- Advocacy / Sensitisation
- Behavioural Change Communication (BCC)
- Home / Community Based Care
- Youth Friendly Resource Centres
- Training Peer Educators
- Mass meetings with the support of the communities
- Work with Community Based Organizations (CBO's) and likeminded groups
- Planning through Community participation
- Convergence with different stakeholders and line departments.
- Alliance and capacity building
- Strategic planning and development

Target Audience

- Children
- Youth
- Women / Widows.
- The poor and marginalised people in the community
- Community Based Organisations (CBOs) and Non Governmental Organisations (NGOs).
- Community Health Workers / VHTs
- Traditional / Religious / Community Development Associations.
- Policy Makers at Local / District / National level

Past and present activities:

| No. | Name of Project | Location | Start Date | End Date | Funding Agency |
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| 1. | Training of children parliaments on MDD | 06 Parishes in Gweri Sub County | 30/01/2017 | 04/02/2017 | World Vision Soroti Programme Gweri AP |
| 2. | Training and Organizing Primary Inter Schools MDD Competition | 16 Primary schools in Gweri Sub County | 13/03/2017 | 04/04/2017 | World Vision Soroti Programme Gweri AP |
| 3. | Training Of Children's Drama Groups To Pass On Messages On Child Protection And Child Marriage Within Communities | 06 Primary schools Asamuk Sub County | 22/03/2017 | 03/04/2017 | World Vision Soroti Programme Asamuk AP |

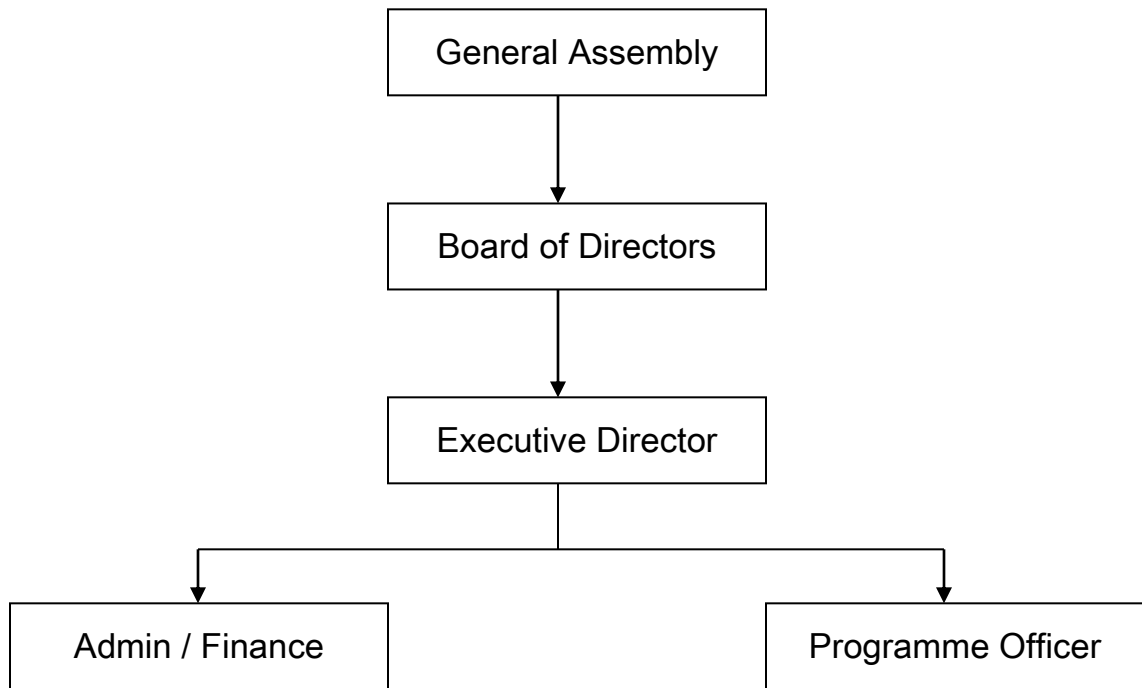
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| 4. | Training of children's MDD (groups to pass on messages on child protection, hygiene and sanitation, education and child marriage in their communities | 04 Primary schools Tubur Sub County | 06/04/2017 | 19/04/2017 | World Vision Soroti Programme Tubur AP |
| 5. | Community MDD sensitization to pass on the message of domestic violence in regards to food production and marketing that result into abuse of child rights within communities | 16 venues in Gweri Sub County (04 per Parish) | 20/06/2016 | 09/07/2017 | World Vision Soroti Programme Gweri AP |
| 6. | Training of children's drama groups to pass on messages on child protection and child marriage within communities. | 08 Primary schools in Asamuk Sub County | 09/05/2016 | 21/05/2016 | World Vision Soroti Programme Asamuk AP |
| 7. | Training of children's MDD to pass on the message on child protection within their communities | 08 Primary schools in Tubur Sub County | 08/04/2016 | 30/04/2016 | World Vision Soroti Programme Tubur AP |

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| 8. | Training of children's drama groups to pass on messages on hygiene and sanitation within their communities | 02 Primary schools in Morungatuny Sub County | 30/03/2016 | 06/04/2016 | World Vision Soroti Programme Morungatuny AP |
| 9. | Training of children's radio drama to pass on messages on child enrolment and retention and to end child marriages. Drama aired at Delta FM | Dokolo Primary School Kamuda Sub County | 24/03/2016 | 30/03/2016 | World Vision Soroti Programme Kamuda AP |
| 10. | Training of children's MDD groups to pass on messages on child protection, health, education, hygiene and sanitation within their communities. | 16 Primary schools in Kamuda Sub County | 07/03/2016 | 30/03/2016 | World Vision Soroti Programme Kamuda AP |

Future programs:

- Sustainable running of a secondary school and Institute in Performing Arts and ICT training.
- Building of a community library and computer laboratory
- Child sponsorship program
- Health programs in rural and remote areas
- Guidance and counseling services

Organisation structure



Present staff: Total 5 (3 staff working full time and 2 staff working part time)