We are a faith based charity development organization operating in Northern Uganda providing services to help the people devastated by conflicts, war, disaster, poverty and HIV/AIDS epidemic in Lango Sub region rebuild their lives through integrated community/social transformation and economic development programmes to enable the communities return to normal life.

The organization has existed since 1998 and handles works of charity and humanitarian support services in the areas of relief aids distribution, education support to orphans and vulnerable children, socio economic support to care givers and community of Lira district before subdivided into the five constituent districts of Alebtong, Amolatar, Dokolo, Kole, Lira and Otuke.

The organization is well established with well qualified and experienced staff and able to handle all levels of feedback and accountability for every bit of assistance, help and support given to them and their activities in Northern Uganda.

If you are interested to working with us please you are welcome to reach us through the contact address.

God bless you richly!

# **Christian Communication Centre**

Value Formation, Community Building & Maintaining Creation

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#### Institutional Background:

#### Aims:

Restoring livelihood and social responsibility in holistic ministry support to the community disadvantaged by war, disaster, diseases and poverty in Northern Uganda.

#### Objectives:

To promote stewardship and social responsibility towards self sufficiency among existing and prospective communities in areas affected by conflicts, wars, disaster, poverty and HIV/AIDS pandemic.

To share in human suffering, social, economic and physical development with no segregation of sex, race, religious back ground and status to enhance their ability to develop and implement sustainable poverty reduction interventions.

To enable women and girls involved in income generating activities as preparatory effort to shared family leadership, inheritance management and participative democracy with men in their community.

#### Structure:

We are a Christian charity NGO registered with National NGO Board and Registrar of Companies being a Company Limited by Guarantee with a goal to restore hope towards transformation of the people disadvantaged by rebel war, disaster and HIV/AIDS in Uganda.

We are governed by the Board of Trustees consisting of 5 highly experienced professionals who have worked in many leadership positions with other organizations, we also have 3 Advisory Board members with track of credible leadership backgrounds, followed by the 4 staff members serving at senior and subordinate levels

#### Brief History:

The organization was started in 1998, at a time that Northern Uganda faced civil turbulence and registered with the National NGO Board in 2003. It was set up to provide alternative means of releasing people from the bondage of poverty, ignorance, sin and disease caused by the civil war, disaster and HIV/AIDS.

The organization is currently operating in coordination with the Office of the Prime Minister, Disaster Management Department as well Lira District Local Government. Deliverance from poverty, disease, ignorance and sin is our mindset, advocacy is our means, the holistic transformational gospel of Jesus Christ is our process, and partnership is our means of ministry operations.

#### Activity Description:

#### • Holistic Community Transformation Support:

Moral, social and spiritual transformation services through Bible study, discipleship training, deliverance prayer, counseling to the traumatized, career guidance to the children and youth.

There is community book café - a learning centre and social hub for children and adults to develop literacy and numeracy skills with internet access and computers. A centre for relationship building, public education, job sourcing and business connections.

### • Agricultural Support:

This is agricultural program aimed at helping struggling families enrich, conserve their soil, increase harvests and diversify local knowledge for more profitable income earning at family level.

The communities are encouraged to raise high quality breeding animals and birds (cows, rabbits, goats, sheep, chickens and turkeys) for food and income generation.

They also grow short term highly quality crops for food and cash; including bee keeping for energy and medicinal supplement and wealth creation.

### • Education and Sponsorship:

This covers provision of scholastic support materials (uniform, books, pens and sanitary wear to grown up girls), vocational skills education to out of school age orphans and vulnerable children through practical hands on training of tailoring, carpentry and joinery, building construction, knitting, welding & metal

fabrication, bee keeping, poultry keeping using basic tools, books & apprenticeship placement under professional instructor through short or long term course schedules chosen by the learner.

## • Health support Services:

This is a mobile community health outreach service through mobile health vehicle for immunization of children, babies and breastfeeding mothers against killer diseases of diphtheria, polio, tetanus, tuberculosis, measles and whooping cough.

Provision of in house medication services to the severely ill or bedridden people who are not able to access treatment from an established health unit; with mobile birth attendants to deliver pregnant mothers from rural settings and provisions of mothers' packs so as to enable them have better maternal care and protection from risk of mortality and morbidity incidences.

#### Water, Sanitation and Environment Protection:

This is provision of community health facilities like clean fresh drinking water points of boreholes, protected springs and community wells as away of keeping them safe from water borne diseases (malaria, worms, skins rashes, typhoid and diarrhea), and tree planting to help the soil return moisture and nutrients back to the earth, thereby increasing food production, adding moisture to the air, which results in regular rainfall.

#### Self Help Group Scheme:

This is village rotational savings and credit scheme called "Self Help Group Scheme" being local initiative towards restoring lives and rebuilding socio economic infrastructure, (a micro enterprise credit and savings schemes, short term group loaning schemes through self help group of 10-15 members each) group savings and credit loan facilities to help families in extreme poverty improve their status, health and welfare. Beneficiaries access capacity building training on groups dynamics, leadership skills, business management, networking and marketing skills.

Self Help Groups System is highly encouraged because it offers beneficiaries with the opportunity to earn income, save money and effectively manage their own business enterprises.