

FADHILI TEENS NARRATIVE REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2021



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ACRONYMS

ADLG-

AGH-Amani Girls Home

ASTUTE-Addressing Stunting in Tanzania Early

BWF-Better Way Foundation

CAs-Community Activists

CBO- Community Based Organization

CBR-Community Based Rehabilitation



CC- City Council

CWA-Children with Albinism

CWD-Children with Disability

CYWD-Children Youth with Disability

DBC-District Business Committee

DC-District

DED-District Executive Director

ECD-Early Childhood Development

FA4-Field of Action Four

FTT- Fadhili Teens Tanzania

GBV-Gender based violence

GFG II-Good Financial Governance phase two

GIZ-

IGA-Income Generating Activities

KCB- Kenya Commercial Bank

KCBRP- Karagwe Community Based Rehabilitation Program

MC-Municipal Council

MIP - Msichana Initiative Project

NBC-National Bank of Commerce

PANITA-Partnership for Nutrition

PWA-People with Albinism

RAS- Rapid Assessment

RC-Regional Commissioner

SASA! -Start, Awareness, Support and Action

SRH&R-Sexual Reproductive Health and Rights

THRDC-Tanzania Human Rights Defender Coalition

VEO-Village Executive Officer



WEO-Ward Executive Officer

YWPDF-Youth Women and People with Disability Fund

INTRODUCTION

Fadhili Teens Tanzania (FTT) is a non-Governmental organization founded and registered on October, 2008 under Non-Governmental Organizations Act of 2002 with a registration number OONGO/2543 with legal power of operate in Tanzania Mainland.

The organization was registered to help community on addressing socio-economic problems that facing the marginalized groups includes women, children, teenagers and youth, the organization is focus on formal and non-formal education as the main empowerment and creativity measure towards the positive transformations.

Vision:

Envisions a just and sustainable community where all people have the power to affect development change.

Mission statement:

FTT with dedicated and diligent team works to ensure that youth (boys and girls) have their political, social, economic and cultural rights are recognized and respected in Tanzania.

Lives changing stories in different areas where Fadhili Teens Tanzania have been implementing its project have continue provide remarkable point in improving social economic services to community and among the marginalized groups whom we serving. The implemented project have helped in modify and improve lives of women, youth and men as well as children found in the areas of our project scope. In order to ensure the planned activities are well utilized Fadhili Teens Tanzania team have endured and invest efforts on implementing different activities to ensure community are benefiting with the skills, devotion and innovation from FTT team though our work the organization will continue partnering with government in effort of improving lives Tanzanian community especial that found around our projects.



Engaging of different stakeholders in implementing our projects has provide us with us with great results which in one way or another have contributed in government vision of 2025 aimed to improve lives of its people. Apart from government officials their other stakeholders have also been involved in project implementation activities as per 2021 organization plan, the following stakeholder have been part of Fadhili Teens Tanzania achievements KCB bank, Religious leaders, popular people found within the community, Youth being boys and girls all these stakeholders have played great role in archiving what was planned by organization.

ADMINISTRATIVE LETTER

Fadhili Teens Tanzania projects have contributed in archiving and accelerate some of sustainable development goals such as goal No.1, Goal No.3, Goal No 5 Goal No. 8 and Goal No 16, not only that our 2021 activity plan have also contributed to Government vision 2025 which aimed to improve life of Tanzanian. Different positive and lives changing stories among community have continued pushing, keeping and pushing us to invest more effort in preforming our activities which resulted to constructive changes in different areas such as learning and problem-solving projects implemented by Fadhili Teens Tanzania.

Team skills, organization capacity and dedication have provided us with positive enactment on accomplishment of what was planned for the year 2021 field work we have continued investing and believe on its team work and capacity building to Fadhili Teens staffs so as to enhance our team deliver planned services which we are very sure it will help to affect lives of people within the targeted community.

The work implemented for the year 2021 have impacted the lives of youth (girls and boys), children with disabilities, women and other vulnerable groups as per year organization plan.

This 2021 narrative report tries to eyesight different activities implemented, Never the less also the narrative has tries to show the achievement and roadblocks which have encountered during the implementation of our field works. To us roadblock encountered during the implementation of our project



activities have helped to strength us and provides us with alternatives on how to address those roadblocks with better methodology for the next plan.

However, the year 2021 have continue provide us with better option on overcoming challenges through engaging different actors and community members as an asset in addressing its problem. Most of our work have contributed on sustainable development goals as mentioned above. The organization implemented the following projects Msichana Initiative, Child Empowerment, Nutrition project also our organization have been part of team which implementing Linea project and Great Lakes projects.

Fadhili Teens target that the coming year of 2022 plan will be positively targeted to address the high marked challenges for the year 2021 implemented activities.

Our sincerely thanks go to our supportive partners including Novo Foundation via Amani Girls Home, Better Way Foundation, Lilian Foundation via KCBRP, Tanzania Human Rights Defenders Coalition (THRDC), TECDEN Tanzania, GIZ, Great Lakes, Local Implementing Partners, Local Government Authorities and community who have been part of supporting our initiatives in improving lives of Tanzanian community.

Fadhili Teens also dedicate special thanks to financial institution we are working with especially KCB and Mkombozi Bank for their support which has been helpful to Fadhili Teens organization.

Management team

Fadhili Teens Tanzania

Mwanza-Tanzania

PROGRAMS NARRATIVE AND STATISTICAL

MSICHANA INITIATIVE PROJECT (MSICHANA THABITI)

The project has managed to reach total of 114 girls who are within and out school in Sengerema District through this project girls have benefited with self-esteem knowledge, shareholding system, government loan which helped them to start income generating activities within their areas current group own cafeteria, all these achievements have been accelerated by team from Fadhili Teens.

The project has also supported the formation of three girls clubs namely girls power, girls light and girls star both groups found in Nyamatongo Secondary School not only that the organization has also managed



to form one group outside school namely Furaha sisters located at Nyamatongo village this group formed by girls aged between 14-22yrs old. The implemented project activities enabled girls to become aware of numbers of issues related to their potential and in one way the session have helped girls especially those who are out of school to start their own small business and push their dream.

Experienced and qualified staffs in implementing girls programing have managed to design friendly ways of engaging girls in confidence building, feeling of competence, Leadership, Sexual Reproductive Health and Rights (SRH&R), Income Generating Activities (IGA) sessions all these has enabled the targeted girls to become more knowledgeable and self-reliance on how to address some of surrounding challenges and obstacles by stand on their own decision as well as utilizing the surrounding opportunities and resources so as to earn income.

At the beginning, girl's situation was challenging hence put more girls at the risks but after our intervention has helped girls to understand and utilize different opportunities for the benefit of their dreams. Through different topics facilitated on sessions have helped many girls to understand their role and responsibilities in support their dreams not only that but also the project provide opportunity to girls who were not in the club to join school clubs and those who were out of school joined group this helped girls to prosper especial on how to make right decisions. Also, our intervention has attracted other 36 new girls who have joined school clubs and 8 girls to join out school girls' groups.

The Furaha sisters Group has remained with 3girls this is after other 7 girls who formed the group graduated from the project and join normal community activities, the graduated girls have shared that the Msichana Initiative project have helped them to catch up well with life like other people in the community through performing different individual business activities, organization staffs together with mentor still conducting follow up of graduated girls so as to make sure they are well catch up with new life. The remaining 3 girls in the group are continue doing small income generating activities this includes running their cafeteria at Nyamatongo center. Other girls in the community have draw interest to join the project after see other girl's achievements, due to this need the FTT took an Initiative of identifying girls



who have criteria to join the project and total of 11 out school girls aged between 13-19yrs where identified to join Furaha Sisters Group at Nyamatongo.

Activities implemented in 2021

1. Identification of girls group aged between 13-19 years in Nyamatongo village

Identification of girls was conducted at Nyamatongo village mainly to identify young girls aged between 13-19 years who recruited to join Furaha sisters group at Nyamatongo village. The tool used during the identification process was the *Girl Roster Tool* whereby the staff uses the designed form which includes the all needfull information to enable getting the targeting group of girls. After identification process 11 girls who are out of school was successfuly recruited to join the group and introduced to group members currently all girls are attending group sessions.

Not only that the identified girls are pushing their dream after being attached for practical learning according to their dreams from where they have been attached the all have an opportunity to learn things like sewing and weaving as their plan we as organization we are very sure this will continue help and improve lives of all identified girls.



Out of school girls group during the session

New identified girls during group meeting

2. Commemoration of Menstrual hygiene day event at Nyamatongo secondary school:



Fadhili Teens Tanzania joined other in the world to commemorate menstrual hygiene day on 28 May, as organization through the Msichana Initiative project people with in the community and girls were given opportunity to hear about menstruation hygiene the purpose was to eliminate different myths that exist within the community such that restriction from offering prayers and others believe that women are impure during their period. Lack of education and knowledge on Menstrual hygiene causes many health issues among girls, limited access to safe hygienic menstrual products is also one of the reasons why millions of girls and women especially girls in school facing challenges during this time of their lives, most of them doesn't attend to school when they are in period due to different challenges like feeling shame and fear of being laughed by boys, lack of sanitary pads and special rooms for them to use during their period that has led to most of them failed to achieve their dreams. The theme for the year 2021 was "Action and Investment in Menstrual Hygiene and Health, a world without period poverty and stigma is possible."

Fadhili Teens Tanzania participated on commeration Menstrual hygiene event at Nyamatongo secondary school whereby 139 girls, school matron, 1 nurse and 2 Fadhili Teens staff participated to this event. The event has enabled girls to be aware on issues related to menstruation especial on important of safe hygeanic menstruation to girls at Nyamatongo secondary school, the event enabled girls to have clear understanding about menstruation and other issues related to teens pregnancy. Boxes of sanitary pads was provided to girls who participated to the event as part of showing the importnance of safe and hygean during this situation to girls.

Girls who were educated on the uses of sanitary pads are now able to use it appropriately since most of them were not aware of its uses and some felt that the pad could cause diseases such as cervical cancer but through the awareness education and knowledge received, they are now understanding the importance and benefits of using the sanitary pad effectively. Currently girls understanding about menstruation and most of them have reduced fear and become confident and be able to attend to school



without fear of being laughed since they have become aware on managing and keep themselves clean.





Girls of Nyamatongo Secondary School during the Commemoration of Menstrual hygiene day.

3. Supportive supervision to girl's groups and clubs (in and out of school girls)

Total of 15 visits conducted to girls' group and clubs aims to providing supportive supervision and conduct follow up to monitor the progress of girls' clubs and groups. The main objective of the visits was to facilitate the sessions related Self-esteem, Sexual and Reproductive Health, Violence and Leadership. Girls in and out of school have utilized all these opportunities by discussing and sharing different challenges facing them and ways to overcome.

Out of school girls group weekly supportive supervision have reached the total of 10 girls and these girls got an opportunity to discuss different topics as per plan and find solutions on the challenges facing their business activities. Some of girls in the group have managed to start other 4 are continue with their individual business this have helped girls out school to improve and increase their income. Example: currently some of girls have managed to raise up 10,000/= profit for a day business this is good progress because many girls joined the project at this time no any girl doing IGA's. Girls shareholding system have helped individual girls to improve their IGA's also support their family as well.

Out school girls have big expectation especial on wining life and have a lot but the project took time to build these girls to become self-resilience, FTT continue following up on different opportunity that are available so as to meet girls expectation, we are also continue with awareness so as to help girls understand their potential, role and responsibilities in support community as well as family developments.





Girls in clubs during weekly sessions

4. Commemoration of International day of the girl child

FTT joined different stakeholders on 11th October cerebrate the International day of the girl child and the theme of this year was "Digital Generation, Our Generation" Fadhili Teens Tanzania is the member of Community of Practice (CoP) network, The network organize a event held at Bugando Medical Centre the event enabled inn and out of school girls get opportunity to share digital exprience and open room for girls to learn different digital related issues. The event involve Regional Community Development Officer, TCRA, Police Gender Desk, and vodacom staffs who capacitate girls on how they can reach their education goal by using digital. Also, girls attended the event where able to understand the advantage and disadvantages of digital on girls lives, This event gives girls an opportunity to learn and understand well on how digital is importance to their education carrier and their lives if they are well utilized. The event as enabled FTT to continue strengthern its relationsip with other member found on this CoP/SMASH mwanza.





Participation on the event of international day of the girl child

5. Commemoration of 16days of Activism against Gender Based Violence (GBV) to women and girls

The Organization participated on 16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence, world AIDS Day, International Day against Violence against Women and Girls, International Human Rights Day from November,25 to December 10. The events have enabled our beneficiaries to understand the risks and effect that resulted to violence, we also emphasize that violence against women and girls is a violation of human rights. The 16 Days Campaign have helped to raise awareness to people and community as whole to be able to understand challenges facing women and girls in the community. Awareness as enable participants to receive referral forms which not they are using to report cases of violence incase happen in their areas. The theme of the event was "End Violence against Women Now"

FTT has joined their effort with other people and stakeholders around the world to commemorate the 16days of activism by conducting different activities and sessions to the community, the activities conducted enabled community we are working with to join us on raise their voice so as to aggravate violence gender base violence against women and girl child within their community. Also, we had an opportunity to conduct the session with girls at Nyamatongo secondary school by covering the topic of violence, types and its effect which empowered girls to be open and report violence cases. Some girls



were able to disclosed some issues and they were linked with responsible officer so as to get help on the raise issue.

Also, FTT team joined and participated on world AIDS day that held at Nyanguge in Magu District our participation as enabled us to share experience on how to address and help community on this pandemic and together with government officials and other stakeholders there was agreed way forward which includes continue with awareness to community. This year theme was "End Inequalities, End AIDS, End Pandemics"



Challenges

Negative perception of the community members towards adolescent girls who have failed to
complete their studies due to different reasons such as pregnant or other reasons has led most of
girls to face fear, stigma and judgement from the community members this limit their participation
on production activities within the community.

Way forward to the challenge

 Organization will continue running awareness sessions on addressing the issue and tell the community on how it's important to include these girls in production schemes.

Conclusion



Teenage pregnant and economic dependent is still the challenge to adolescent girl's due to lack of self-esteem knowledge and income generating activities that has led to some of them to engage to different risk work at a young age such as prostitution and some are becoming domestic workers at very young age. Fadhili Teens organization will continue to educate girls on self-esteem knowledge and capacitate them on issues related to income generating activities also create links so as to support girls to benefit with different opportunities found in their areas.

CHILD EMPOWERMENT PROJECT

11.

FTT Organization have helped many families to grow to their potential this because through our work families of children and youngsters with disabilities have benefited with material and psychosocial support from FTT team and government officials, the office of social welfare, DMO and community development have applied well their role in support children with disabilities and their families found in areas where the project activities are implemented.

On addressing Community perception towards children and youngsters with disabilities the organization have continued to engage different stakeholders who are very vital to support our work these includes Traditional hillers, religion leaders, some of disability people organization, village and street leaders all these stakeholders have helped in accelerate different awareness messages that target to address negative perception to community.

Proper implementation of Disability People Act of 2010 at the grass root can resulted to inclusion of people with disability in development activities, Advocacy sessions at the grass root have help the improvement of some services such as health service, education and friendly school infrastructure so as to enable children and youngster with disability to access service like other children in the community.

Different activities have continue implemented by FTT as per plan and the organization staffs continue reaching families, children and youngsters with disability around our project scope whereby total of 40 children and youngsters have directly benefited with our support. Participation in different social and



economic activities have enabled community to realize that even youngsters with disability can also contribute for the development if the society included in process.

Things have changed to some children who have been visited were during our visit we managed to observe some children who were hidden by their families now participation with other children in Sport and games, taken out for public event included spiritual services to us this is like dawn step to ensure children with disability enjoy their life as others.

The organization have also have achieved to strength working relationship with social welfare office, Sabato hospital, NHIF officers, CHF officers, physiotherapists where children with disabilities have been attending exercise, nutrition officers and other officials whom in one way or another have contributed in improving lives of children with disabilities.

We continue working close with parents of children and youngsters with disabilities by continue preparing children plans together with these parents and through implementation of the drafted plan we are now witness parents commitments in supporting their children furthermore children are now making progress and improve from their situation Example: through exercise Miraji Msofe, Naomi and Daudi Salim they are now capable of doing some of the action in which at the beginning they were not able to do.

FTT has continued encourage construction and replacement of doors, steps within the schools so as to support mobility of CWD's registered in those schools, leaders and community whom we have already reach have promised to continue educate and encourage schools committee in their areas to consider disability needs when they're in plan of construct classroom or renovation.

Disability committee's members are continued support the implementation of our planned activities through them the organization have managed to reach and provide required services to families of people with disabilities in their areas, Awareness on Disability Law of 2010 has enabled some member of this committee to be aware on their role and responsibility in support children and youngsters with disabilities found in their area. Some member reported that they have been given opportunities to speak during the



community or leaders meeting and through this meeting they were able to educate community member on different issues related to disability and importance of inclusion.

Apart of using Community Based Rehabilitation methodology the organization have special team of staff who are direct working on child empowerment project had a chance to participate in different capacity building training which enabled them to become more competent on different issues related to disability rights, empowerment and fundraising.

To the children with epilepsy who have started to take prescription families have witness's changes because these children are not falling regular compare to the time when they were not taking prescriptions to us as organization this is the achievement and we continue believing that as we go along with child plan together with parent together, they will be able to witness more success stories.

Direct support like scholastic materials, transport costs, uniforms has enabled children to continue well with their school program whereby total of 24 children were supported. Other 8 children with disabilities are continue receiving transport service from home to school and back home every day not only that but also the wheelchair supported to 1 child (Japhet Malembela) this have opened new start to a child.

FTT is also helping in coordinating parent of children with disabilities groups with the purpose of support and improve individual and household income additionally through this group parent are also getting opportunity to learn different things related to disability and together we are planning on how to help children with disabilities within their household.

Event Pictures







Parent participated on exercise

staffs during the family visits



Child testing shoes

Father receive instruction on how to use Angle chair

Challenge

- Poor household income continued to be used with the parents as an excuse for them not attending for exercises many parents claim that they are busy with searching areas where they can raise extra money so as to provide for the family. This have led organization to increase more visit so as to educate parents on the importance of exercise for child development and recovery.
- Nutrition issue to some children and youngsters with disability still problem, Disability Relief continue to provide education to parents and link this parent with district nutrition offers so as to help them understand or receive more support from these professional officers.

Lesson Learnt.



- 1. The teamwork between FTT and government officers has helped in proper implementation of the planned activities for the year 2021, the organization continue receiving different technical advices from government official and other stakeholders around all these have helped in attaining positive support from community.
- 2. Nutrition is very important to every human being to CYWD's it become more compulsory because in only some few months we have witness changes to those children who were supported to get nutrition and their health continue improving, Engagement of district nutrition officer on nutrition activities have helped parent to become aware and in some occasion some parents have benefited from District nutrition program.
- 3. The women groups supported by FTT have showing positive changes on supporting their children with disabilities by encouraging, educating and visit each other this have helped in strengthen both two-women groups. Moreover, through groups some women have come out with IGA's ideas which in one way have helped to improve household income because small business has enabled these women to raise some profits from their small business which helps to cover some children basic needs.

Conclusion

FTT acknowledge improvement and great achievement in implementation of our field activities within the community all these are the result of staff devotion in serving CYWD's together with their families.

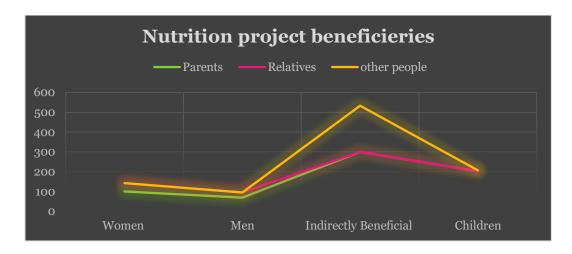
III. NUTRITION PROJECT

Fadhili Teens Tanzania as the member of Partnership for Nutrition in Tanzania (PANITA) continue implementing nutrition program which has helped to improve health of stunting children aged between 0-5yrs within Magu district, apart of improving health of children the project also helped parents to become more aware on important of nutrition to children and family in all.

In 2021 FTT organization implemented the nutrition project in 3wards of Bukandwe, Chabula and Bujashi in Magu District, FTT have reached is 4exiting groups found in the community, were total of 120 benefited



direct with the nutrition project this includes women being 101 and men being 19 and indirect beneficiary reached were 300 all this participated in project activities organized by Fadhili Teens Tanzania.



Stunting still a problem among the community this because many people have adequate or limited knowledge on how to use available local food to prepare nutritious food for their families especial children and food harvested from their farms are taken to the market hence left household with little and uniform food example: most of the families are eating one kind of food throughout not only that but also some families are also fail even fail to afford 3meals a day.

With the experience of implementing nutrition project the organization has helped in provide knowledge to targeted group who have started utilizing knowledge to improve health of their families and help in addressing stunting especially to their children aged between 0-2 years old in Magu district.

The topics covered has helped in addressing stunting problem within community and also benefited number of groups members found in selected existing groups, the topic covered as helped parent to especial group members who are direct targeted to prepare nutritious food by using local and cheap available food materials around their areas.

Groups leaders provides 30 to 45 minutes to their member to hear about nutrition knowledge also members are given opportunity to ask questions and share experience with project facilitator on how they are overcoming stunting problem in their families or homes. This have helped those who have poor



knowledge on how to prepare nutritious food to hear from other and sometime learn how to prepare nutrition food during the sessions. It's our hope that through this project the community reached with education will be able to continue using the tips they gained in nutrition project and impact it to community hence together addressing stunting problem.

The capacitated group leaders are now helping organization facilitating their groups in absent of FTT staffs currently all capacitated leaders are continued with deriver and facilitate session as arranged in facilitation manual. Focusing a child aged between 0-5yrs some group members have benefited with maternal education this includes the right food to be eaten during pregnancy period, for those who have given birth are now aware on importance of breastfeeding to their child and those who have children aged between o-6 month are now aware on the importance of exclusive breastfeeding and complementary feeding to children above 6yrs of age.

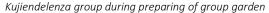
ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED:

Supportive supervision and monitoring of groups:

Different visits were conducted within this year in which supportive supervision provided have helped groups members to become aware on how to prepare nutrition food for their children not only that but also the supportive supervision has capacitated total of 12group leaders from 4groups who are also now participate in facilitate session in their groups. In supportive supervision, we have also noted that some of group member are also sharing the acquired knowledge with other people in their community. The proceeding supportive supervision have also strengthened our relationship with group leaders and members because they all have realized the importance of this education in improve health of their children and families.









group members during their session

Selection and capacity Building to group members who will be facilitating sessions during group meeting

The total 9 leaders from three group were capacitated on how to facilitate nutrition sessions now both of them are able to prepare session and facilitate to their fellows during their regular meeting. The organization also continue with on-site capacity building so as to help the group facilitators to become more competence on how to prepare and conduct nutrition session during group meeting.

The uses of group member in facilitating nutrition topic have helped to simplify work because these members know each other hence members have been asking more question and each member have openly chance to share their understanding in order to support fellows to get clear understanding on topic discussed.

These have helped and creating ownership of the project because now each member fill that they have something to contribute in order to support the group and their families in addressing stunting within their community. The good news is that due to the importance of the nutrition session all groups have taken and include the issue of nutrition as part of their regular agenda before they have started with other group activities.





Picture event during the selection of group facilitators

SOCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY PROJECT

IV.

Fadhili Teens Tanzania is one among 10 CSOs partner with GIZ in implementing the GFG II (Good Financial Governance) which is implemented in 5 Regions within 21 Districts to include Mwanza Region with 3districts of Misungwi DC, Ilemela MC and Mwanza CC.

Good Financial Governance through Field of Action 4(FA4) aims to improve the dialogue between state and citizens through strengthening both the demand for and supply of information on public finance issues. Additionally, the programme aims to strengthen the effectiveness of Women, Youth and people with disability Fund (WYPDF).

GIZ together with FTT managed to introduce the project at regional level on August,2021 where the RC was the guest of honor, while DED from Mwanza CC, Ilemela MC, and Misungwi DC was invited to the meeting to include the trade officers and social development officers.

Also, GIZ team organized the local level operational planning meeting which was held in Mwanza at Gold crest hotel, with participants from western zone which include 4 regions of Mwanza, Kigoma, Singida and Arusha. The participants were from LGAs represented by the community Development and Trade officers and CSOs. During the planning meeting, we managed to discuss and plan for activities to be conducted in the year 2022;



1. Strengthening DBC Executive Committees

FTT and GIZ planned to Conduct one day capacity enhancement workshop to Misungwi DC, Ilemela MC, and Mwanza CC, DBC Executive Committee. Total of 3 workshop will be conducted with these targeted outputs; Develop common understanding among members on DBC operating procedures, clarify roles and responsibilities between public and Government sector and Agree on DBC agender setting, inclusiveness, and participant profile.

2. District Business Council Meetings

GIZ and FTT also planned to facilitate DBC meetings in Misungwi DC, Ilemela MC and Mwanza CC with the outputs of Strengthened relationship between business community and public sector, Members are informed of current bylaws on service levy, business license, fees and other business operating procedures and Agreed actions to improve business operating environment.

3. Community Dialogue Meetings

We planned also to conduct dialogue meetings in Misungwi DC, Ilemela MC, and Mwanza CC, we will Facilitate dialogue meetings between the Government and Micro-business group representatives with particular focus on WYPDF beneficiaries on business support services with Concerns/views for improved micro business operating environment and awareness on new YWPDF guidelines /procedures.

Conclusion

Fadhili Teens and GIZ planned to implement on 10 activities with the main aim of Improvement of delivery of essential public services, Improved revenue collection, more efficient and effective spending on public developments projects and Better Financial controls contribute to less corruption.

V. GREAT LAKES PROJECT

The project started this year where the FTT joined the Great Lake youth network for dialogue and peace as the member FTT staffs have participated and joined other youth in the great lake countries in taking action and find the solutions of different problems also actively participating in various fields that



contribute to peace and security within the Great Lakes Region. However, there number of challenges that hinder youth participation in making their voices to be heard. The project has started to capacitate youth through dialogue and create opportunity of exchange among youth organizations and other key actors. This project will be a crossroads between youth groups and local, national, and international stakeholders in politics, the private sector, civil society, NGOs, academia, and the media.

By promoting the active, cooperative, sustainable and positive role of youth actions, creating a strong network between them, and bringing all stakeholders on board, this project aims to contribute to peace and stability in the Great Lakes Region.

Great lake is the program that aim to address issues of peace and accountability to youth whereby FTT is the new registered sub partner members in the Great Lake Network. The program is implemented in five Regions of Geita, Mwanza, Shinyanga (Bukombe), Kigoma and Kagera. Were we capacitating and provide awareness to Youth shadow council on their importance in participation and understand the role by helping them recognizing their roles and responsibilities in individual, community, and at national level. We also encourage Youth participation in all levels of development. In additional we create awareness to youth on self employment (employability)

MOST SIGNIFICANT CHANGE

1. Children with disabilities who have been participating in exercises have shown some noted improvement, referring Sabato physiotherapist and parent share to us that this program have helped children to develop some of person performance this include standing, grab some of materials, eating for themselves among these children who have shown this development are Miraji Msofe, Naomi Adam, Alvin Alphonce and Daudi Salim. For children who are ni Magu and attending for the exercises at Magu hospital they are also there some changes noted to children like Edson Godfrey, Japhet Malembela and Kabula Masalu they all show some noted changes since the start exercises. The organization staffs are continued with insist parent to continue attending to clinic and exercise as



agreed on child plan together with this we also continue conducting follow up to other children who are participating in exercise so as to track and document changes.

- 2. Proper implementation of individual child plan it has help parent to understand their duties in supporting their children and youngsters with disabilities with this plan now the organization witness fully participation of parents and more cooperation in supporting CYWD's in the areas were the organization implement the child empowerment project.
- 3. Using of different Stakeholders in our activities have helped to make community aware on different issues related to disabilities and we have been receiving different support from these stakeholders in implementation of our year, 2022 plan. The concept of inclusion has started to be clear to community members who have been participated in organized field activities it's our hope that in the coming year more people in the community will be good ambassador in advocate inclusion within their areas. The organization also have different leaders on board these leaders have dedicated their time to join us during the field visits and monitoring process.

CHALLENGES FACED BY THE ORGANIZATION

With the all success, the organization have witnessed the roadblocks which in one way or another have hindered us to reach the targeted goal as planned, in highlighting some of these roadblocks are as follows

- Negative perception of the community members towards adolescent girls who have limit them
 from complete their studies due to different reasons such as pregnant or other reasons has led to
 most of girls got fear of stigma and judgement from the community members that they cannot
 successes by doing other community activities like engaged in business activity.
- 2. Absence of clear information especially on children and youngsters with disability have hinder some of children to have different opportunities such as registered into schools, getting other support and their participation in different social activities.



3. Most of our project are behavior change settled hence more time and financial resources needed to see changes in the community through with the time and resources we have used has enabled us to achieve some of targeted issues but more effort needed to make it possible.

NETWORKING AND COLLABORATION

In achieving our targeted goal of getting good and positive result Fadhili Teens Tanzania has been clear working close with different stakeholders so as to accelerate and support community effort on addressing challenges. In the implementation process our organization have been working close with the following actors includes different government departments like social welfare office, District Community Development Office, District Medical Office, District Nutrition officer etc.

The organization also continue to value the support received from religious leaders, popular people within the community, different CSO's who have supported us Financial and technical in highlight AGH and KCBRP have played great role in assistant financial and technical support, MAPERECE provide with some technical support, Tanzania Human Right Defenders (THRDC), GIZ, ADLG and community at large; all mentioned organization in one way or another they have been helpful in achieving targeted result for the year 2021. Fadhili Teens Tanzania will continue working with these CSO's, networks such as TECDEN, CoP and continue engage other stakeholder so as to support us in achieving our targeting purpose.

CONCLUSION AND REMARKS

The Fadhili Teens Tanzania narrative report try to give highlights of the 2021 activities implemented within different project areas of Mwanza region districts of Ilemela, Magu, Nyamagana and Sengerema district. The implemented project has helped to improve lives of our community by reaching socio-economically disadvantaged groups includes youth and children found within or outside Mwanza region. We continue hoping that the coming new year of 2022 the planned activities will continue benefiting community and contribute on government effort of helping disadvantages groups as our target and support more youth especially girls and boys, women, and other socio-economic disadvantage groups.



Lastly, Fadhili Teens Tanzania will continue investing on staff capacity building so as to validate quality service to community and areas where our projects are implemented with the purpose of supporting government initiatives of improving live of Tanzanian communities.

END OF THE YEAR 2021