

HOPE FOR GIRLS AND WOMEN IN TANZANIA

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PROGRESS REPORT FOR JULY 2020:

Number of Girls at our Safe Houses

Mugumu

At the end of July, we had a total of **125 girls** staying at the centre, **up from 121 at the end of June.** This is due to 4 new arrivals who were battery cases 29 girls were reunited with their families.

NUMBER OF GIRLS AT MUGUMU AND TYPE OF CASE:

NO	TYPE OF CASE	TOTAL	CHANGE FROM	COMMENTS
			LAST MONTH	
1	FGM	92	<mark>92</mark>	
2	CHILD MARRIAGE	17	<mark>17</mark>	
3	RAPE	3	3	
4	BATTERY	13	9	
	TOTAL	125	121	



Girls at Butiama Safe house.

SCHOOLING NUMBERS AT MUGUMU.

NOW	Girls at vocational class	Girls schooling at Government and Private Primary level	Girls schooling at Secondary level – day and boarding	Girls schooling at Advanced level	Children not going to school — Taught how to read and write to the safe house.	Total
1	20	14	23	2	13	<mark>72</mark>
Last month	28	49	31	2	11	<mark>121</mark>



<u>Butiama</u>

We have a total number of 59 girls, 1 girl was reconciling out of 60 in June.

NUMBER OF GIRLS AT BUTIAMA AND TYPE OF CASE:

NO	TYPE OF CASE	TOTAL	CHANGE FROM	COMMENTS
			LAST MONTH	
1	FGM	25	25	
2	CHILD MARRIAGE	15	16	
3	RAPE	6	6	
4	BATTERY	10	10	
5	Most Vulnerable Orphans	3	3	
	TOTAL	59	60	

SCHOOLING NUMBERS AT BUTIAMA

NOW	Girls at vocational class	Girls schooling at Government Primary level	Girls schooling at Secondary level – day	Children not going to school	Total
1	19	24	7	9	59
Last					
month	20	20	13	7	60



IT CLASSES.

in the IT department we have been able to do the following to enable the organization's activities to continue

- 1. to be able to have a computer class for children who are studying vocational skills at the Hope complex center where 15 girls are benefiting from the education.
- 2. run a classroom classroom for girls attending secondary and primary schools. they have been able to learn more subjects like mathematics, geography and chemistry
- 3. Enabling English distance class for primary school students from fifth to seventh grade through zoom network where the teacher is in the UK





Girls are listening madam Mina very attentively on English session

Health issues with girls.

Health check-up conducted to new arrival girls in both safe houses, this conducted in collaboration with police gender desk and social welfare. Also before the reconciliation all girls had health check too before taken back home. 2 Girls were referred to Bugando hospital for eye issues, were seen by Eye specialist, an Ophthalmologist, girls were tested and treated given medication for the month. Eye problem with Corneal Ulcer [with bad sign showing a ball and tears coming out all the time. In Serengeti there is no Eye specialists and Musoma Regional hospital, this is why girls were taken to Bugando hospital for further treatment.

Legal issues (progress with any ongoing cases)

7 FGM cases continue at Mugumu Safe house, 2 case continue in Tarime Butiama, 2 Bunda, 1 case in Rorya and 1 in Tarime. Parents and 1 cuter were prosecuted. The court cases are continuing at Serengeti District court, Tarime District court, Rorya District court, Bunda District court and Rorya District court.

Village issues

(any incidents reported, rumors, upcoming cutting etc.)

Information received from a Former cutter from Kitarungu village in Serengeti, that in September 2020 there will be a cutting, In Butiama District at Kiagata village there will be a cutting season as from September 2020 to December 2020. Planning to rescue girls whom are in danger of being cut, in collaboration with Police officers, social welfare, community development officers, to provide in house training to the parents of identified girls whom are at risk of being cut. Provide counselling to parents, conduct village meetings to meet with parents and Traditional leaders.

Staffing Issues.

(any changes, training undertaken, issues etc.).

Staffing at Hope for Girls and Women in Tanzania,
We need committed staff who can volunteer to work and help girls in any situation
Staff assessment conducted in July 2020, Some staff didn't perform as we expected per their responsibilities. This means we will have change of staff like social welfare officer – Monica Mchala etc.



Digital Champions.

(any changes, training undertaken, issues etc.).

- 1. We manage to do the following from 1/6/2020 up to 30/7/2020
 - To emphasis the digital champion on keep giving the information by using Whatsapp and ODK in order to help women and girls in their community.
 - Installing and update an app on their phone we manage to update an app of WhatsApp and Maps.me for 40 girls out of 87.
 - Providing Bundles for Digital champion-During the Following up we manage to provide bundle for 40 women out of 87.
- 2. Receiving 5 GBV CASES from Digital Champion from 1 July up to 30 July 2020.

• We manage to gate 5 Cases from Digital Champion through phone call and connect direct with Social welfare and Police Gender Desk. All cases are sorted out by Social Welfare.

Following are Cases that was received 1/07/2020 up to 30/07/2020

SN	Case	Village Name	Status
1	Bettering	Rigicha	Reported to
			Police and
			action taken.
2	one mother was separated from the family and her land confiscated	Kitunguruma	Action taken
3	One women Bettered	Nyamburi	Sorted out
4	Bettering for women	Nyanungu	Sorted out
5	vulnerable girl	Nyamakendo	Sorted out

What does sorted out mean?

Activities undertaken (outreach, film screenings, trainings etc., impact) Awareness creation on the effects of FGM and other violence conducted

• in the following 20 villages and 23 schools in Butiama and Serengeti District as follows:

15 schools in Serengeti, 8 schools in Butiama and 20 villages in Serengeti.

The ODK Forms were uploaded, working to sort out with Emanuel phone. We succeeded to identify 200 girls whom were cut, the identified girls will be provided with counselling and psychosocial support

Through schools more than 2500 girls whom are not cut. Through working with, Digital champion, Police gender officer and social welfare officers we have created a good link to make sure girls at risk of FGM should be rescued as soon as possible.

• Reconciliation continued and was successful.



Film Screening at Primary school



Reconciliation work

Visitors

Four seasons officer visited our office and brought a support of hand wash machines to Hope Mugumu Safe house.



Hand wash Machine from Four seasons.

Finance issues (any major issues).

- Outreach activities conducted
- Reconciliation continued
- Vocational materials for Tailoring, Embroidery, cooking and entrepreneurship
- Medication to 2 girls whom were referred to Bugando hospital for eye problems.

Plans for next month (any upcoming activities, etc., particularly those that can be featured on social media etc.

- . Outreach activities
 - Train Digital Champion in Butiama as from 17 to 21 of July 2020
 - Conduct Roadshows, Film Screening to schools and community level in Serengeti and Butiama as from 13th to 30th of July 2020.

• Board meeting. The planned date for board meeting is 28 of August 2020 The Agenda is

ω Opening Session

 ϖ Identity and Salaam

 ϖ Read the Summary of the previous Session and Exposure.

 ϖ Read the report on the implementation of the activities of the Organization

- Report on the smooth running of the activities of the Hope Mugumu Homes Safe Center
- Report on the Implementation of the activities of Butiama Center Safe House
- Organizational finance information and Funding
- Adopt various Organization Policies and comment.
- How to develop the Matare area and start construction.
- Other
- Closing Session

Any other updates (eg on building plans, longer term plans etc)

Still wait to hear from Grumeti.

- To develop our Matare land by constructing permanent buildings.
- Grumeti needs to add two acters to have enough land for buildings.

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