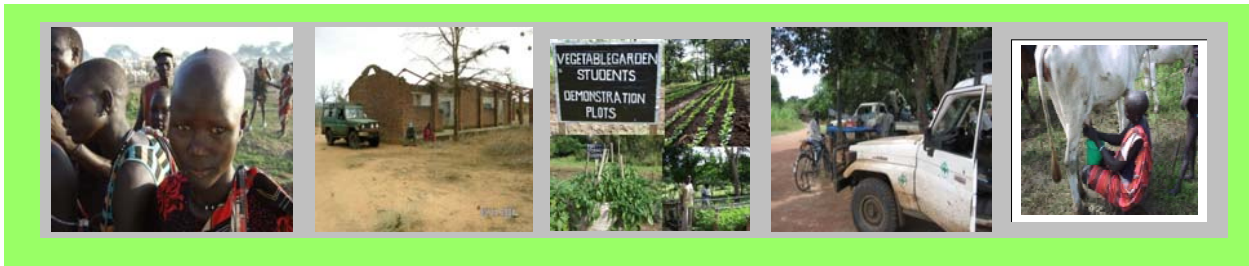




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FOOD SECURITY (FS) & RURAL LIVELIHOOD PROGRAMME

Food Security & Rural livelihoods programme has been operating in South Sudan for 21 years & with partnership with Civil Authorities & other local NGOs with the aim of empowering communities addressing capacity building support and other priority needs through joint action in order to increase their ability to empower actors in peace building, reconstruction & development.

The target groups are the prime beneficiaries of project activities with the goal of making them more food secure through the promotion and protection of entitlements and assets. NPA's programs also supports partners in mobilizing and representing disadvantaged communities, helping them to identify and address their most basic needs.

Project Initiation and Planning

NPA encourages people to work together, individually and collectively to improve their lives. The involvement of communities builds up an analytical understanding of their own areas based on their observation. This has resulted in people not only having a better understanding of their reality, but that any action decided upon will be based on consideration of this understanding of reality, the perceptions of the people themselves and their immediate needs and problems. Ultimately, it is the people themselves who must produce results, and this requires a belief in the people's own capabilities. However, Food Security is comprised of inter -grated appropriate interventions ranging from:

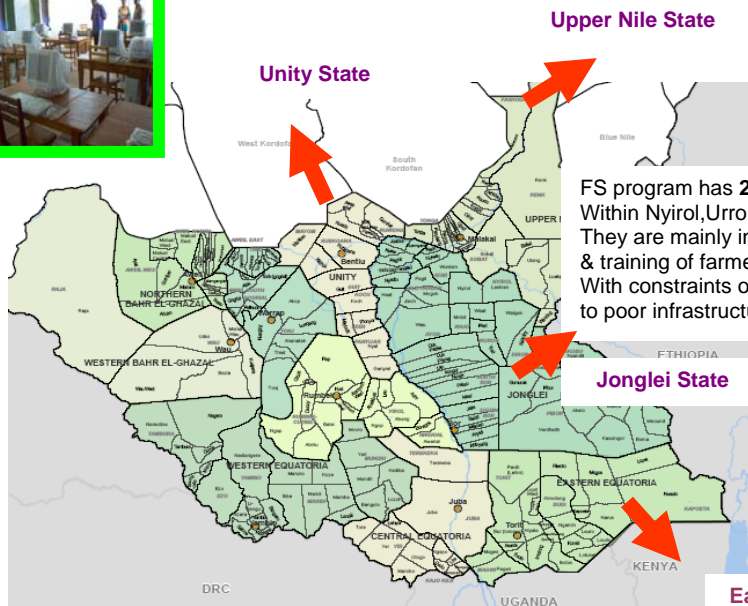
- (a) Food Relief to targeted communities.
- (b) Basic Agricultural support.
- (c) Veterinary project.

NPA is supportive of initiatives that help to provide a voice for the communities and beneficiaries of Food Security program while organizational capacity building remains the focus of the program.

All activities promotes the participation and inclusion of women, youth & other marginalized groups.

There are 2 partners who in Unity State deal with construction of youth centers, vocational training skill for entrepreneurship & life skill development projects. There vision is to empower communities to attain basic human rights through capacity development.

There are 4 partners mainly in Ulang, Nasir & Longechuk dealing with construction of youth training centers & local development offices. These areas are affected by poor infrastructure. There aim is to ensure that the youth are equipped with better skill for better livelihood.



FS program has 2 partners in Jonglei State Within Nyirol,Urror & Akobo counties. They are mainly involved in capacity building & training of farmers. With constraints of delayed completion due to poor infrastructure.



There are 3 partners in EUN which are involved in building of community resource centers & construction of Microfinance training centers. Generally poor roads & heavy rains delay timely completion of construction due to inaccessibility.

Food Security partners are active in (7) locations and across (4) States of South Sudan. The wide geographical focus allows the program to reach a wide cross section of the local community.

The Partners operate in:

- Nyirol & Urror (Jonglei State)
- Akobo (Jonglei State)
- Maban (EUN State)
- Maiwut (EUN State)
- Ulang (Upper Nile State)
- Nasir (Upper Nile State)
- Longechuk (Upper Nile State)
- Panyinjar (Unity State)
- Rub-kona (Unity State)

FOOD RELIEF



FS PARTNERS
GARDOS

SSRRC

Partnership co-operation is emerging as an increasingly important strategy in response to relief and development trends. NPA is collaborating with indigenous and international agencies, donors, civil authority, SSRRC and communities.

USAID provides relief resources while NPA / SSRRC play a key role in implementation. NPA is remarkable in its adaptability of rapid response to deliver relief food and accountable to donors and beneficiaries for the resources it handles.

The total humanitarian food aid deliveries and distributions to all NPA locations in Central and Western Equatoria, Jonglei, Western and Eastern Upper Nile Regions amounted to 5,520.29 metric tonnes against a planned target of 4,626.94, representing a performance rate of 119.3%. The relief food was distributed to 121,735 persons.

AGRICULTURE



Nile Hope Development Forum (NHDF)

Cush Community Relief International (CCRI)

Eastern Upper Nile Consortium Organisation (EUCO).

Agriculture is the economic base of most households in South Sudan. It yields benefits that extend beyond food production. An increase in agricultural productivity can be the trigger for growth and poverty reduction.

Training and extension are important ways to achieve mind shift, as well as to provide the skills and information necessary.

NPA partners are involved in supporting Agriculture for instance, construction of Training Centers among other activities. NHDF is actively involved in agricultural training courses hence managed to:

- To improve food productions hence reduce food insecurity in the households.
- Curb the evidence of child malnutrition
- To create self-help and income generating activities for the women and the youth.
- Encourage communities involvement in the conservation of environment and better management of natural resources
- To equip farmers with necessary skills and technological expertise in sustainable agricultural methods and enable them to increase their production capacity.

VETERINARY



Vet-works

Veterinary is a community based project on cost recovery basis with an objective of *'improving livestock production'*.

Community-based animal health care is the best possible model for animal health care. The approach makes veterinary services sustainable through effective local capacity building. The community-based animal health workers continue to form an invaluable link between livestock owners, NGOs and GOSS.

DIRECTORY

ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

PROGRAM FOCUS & ACTIVITIES

JONGLEI STATE

Cush Community Relief International (CCRI)

Established: in 2004

Nationality: Sudanese

Official address: Nyirol & Urror area, Jonglei

Contact Person: Kennedy Odhiambo

E-mail address: kurnyang@yahoo.com

Type of Organization: Non governmental Organization.

Partners: Save the Children, Care Somalia, USAID

AREA (S) OF FOCUS : Capacity building

Cush Community Relief International (CCRI) was established in Southern Sudan following its tremendous work in assisting Sudanese women suffering from depression, trauma & other mental health.

CCRI is running a number of projects namely: Health Care (Construction of PHCUs and drug distributions), Education (Construction of 5 schools), Civil Education (targeting youth in sustainable livelihood). NPA has been assisting CCRI to establish & run field offices in capacity building.

Nile Hope Development Forum (NHDF)

Established: 2004

Nationality: Sudanese

Official Address: Akobo area, Jonglei

Contact Person: Paul Biel

E-mail address: paulbiel@yahoo.com

Type of Organization: Non Governmental Organization.

Partners: FAO, Oxfam GB

AREA (S) OF FOCUS: Capacity building

Nile Hope Development Forum (NHDF) has been intervening in program aimed at ensuring sustainable management of agriculture, based on the principal of community empowerment, equity & economic viability. Other programs that NHDF is involved in include: Health, Water & Sanitation, HIV & AIDS, Peace building & youth program. NPA granted NHDF \$ 31,250 for Capacity Building program.

VISION FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT (VCD)

Nationality: Sudanese

Official address: Panyinjar area, Unity state

Contact Person: Peter Gai

E-mail address: pgai20032003@yahoo.com

Partners: WFP, UNICEF, WHO, ACF

AREA (S) OF FOCUS: Capacity Building

Vision for Community Development (VCF) is designed to rehabilitate enlighten, Self reliance & participatory development through exploitation of existing resources. The main objective of VCD is to empower youth & women by helping them establish self-sustaining organizational capacity building including establishing youth centers.

UPPER NILE STATE

ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION

PROGRAMME FOCUS & ACTIVITIES

MABAN RELIEF & DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION (MRDO)

Nationality: Sudanese

Official address: Buny & Shetta area, Maban County.

Contact Person: Joseph Dimber

E-mail address: mrdorg@yahoo.com

Type of Organization: Non Governmental Organization

AREA (S) OF FOCUS: Capacity Building

Maban Relief & Development Organization (MRDO) is designed to construct community resource centers in Maban County. This project is expected to benefit approximately 48,000 people. The main objective is to increase utilization of community Resource centers & create a forum for the community to deliberate key issues.

Nasir Community Development Agency (NCDA)

Nationality: Sudanese

Official address: Nasir County

Contact Personal: John Chuol Char

E-mail address: ncdas@yahoo.com

Type of Organization: indigenous Organization

AREA (S) OF FOCUS: Capacity Building

Nasir Community Development Agency (NCDA) is indigenous Organization operating in different projects such as education, agriculture, Water, school construction & other development program. The main objective is the completion of the NCDA office construction of women association office & renovation of youth - center.

Sobat Development Agency (SDA)

Nationality: Sudanese

Established: 1999

Official address: Ulang County

Contact Person: Mathew May Gai

E-mail address: sda_sudan@yahoo.com

Type of Organization: Non Governmental Organization

Partners: Save the Children USA, Christian Mission Aid

AREA (S) OF FOCUS: Capacity Building

Sobat Development Agency (SDA) is a project that improves the livelihood & education status of the youth in S. Sudan. SDA has increased access to a resource center which is available and well equipped with modern training facilities. It has enabled the social environment in integration of policies and required regulations governing such organization.

UPPER NILE STATE

ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION

PROGRAMME FOCUS & ACTIVITIES

Sobat Development Agency (SDA)
Nationality: Sudanese
Established: 1999
Official address: Ulang County
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Type of Organization: Non Governmental Organization
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Upper Nile Kalaazar Eradication Association (UNKEA)
Nationality: Sudanese
Established: 2003
Official address: Madeng, Nasir County
Contact Person: Peter Pal Gash
E-mail address: uppermilek2003@yahoo.com
Type of Organization: Non Governmental Organization
Partners: WFP

AREA (S) OF FOCUS: Capacity Building
 Upper Nile Kalaazar Eradication Association (UNKEA) is a project that deals with rehabilitation and establishment of health care centers, provide counselling & training skills in Southern Sudan. The mission is to ensure progress, development & provision of better services & help empower the people socially & economically. At present, UNKEA is targeting 100,000 beneficiaries.

Universal Relief & Development Organization for Sudan (URDOS)
Nationality: Sudanese
Established: 2005
Official address: Longechuk County
Contact Person: Stephen Tor
E-mail address: urdosorg@yahoo.com
Type of Organization: Non Governmental Organization

AREA (S) OF FOCUS: Capacity Building
 The main objective of URDOS is to fast track development in the region by improving the capacity of youth to full participate in the development of the region by poverty eradication. This project provides necessary infrastructure to enable capacity building training of youth & women.

UNITY STATE

ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION

PROGRAMME FOCUS & ACTIVITIES

Vision for Community Development (VCD)
Nationality: Sudanese
Established: 2005
Official Address: Panyinjjar County
Contact Person: Peter Gai
E-mail address: pgai20032003@yahoo.com
Type of Organization: Non Governmental Organization
Partners: UNICEF, WFP, Save the Child UK

AREA (S) OF FOCUS: Capacity Building
 VCD is focused on empowering communities & individuals to attain basic human rights thorough capacity development, delivery of high impact rights, focused social economic services, facilitating conflicts transformation & poverty eradication. VCD is also involved in HIV/AIDS awareness. VCD is working towards supporting the youth to recover from Psychological trauma & protecting their rights through capacity building.

Unity State Indigenous NGOs Consortia (USINC)
Nationality: Sudanese
Established: 2006
Official Address: Rubkona
Contact Person: Peter Gai
E-mail address: pgai20032003@yahoo.com
Type of Organization: Non Governmental Organization
Partners: SRRRC, UN Agencies

AREA (S) OF FOCUS: Capacity Building
 The overall objective of USINC is to have a center capable of collecting information on the diverse needs of the local community. Construction of information center, collection information on local on diverse needs within Unity State. the Centers should serve as meeting points for conducted workshops.

EASTERN UPPER NILE

ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION

PROGRAMME FOCUS & ACTIVITIES

Eastern Upper Nile Consortium Organization (EUCO)

Nationality: Sudanese

Established: 2003

Official Address: Maiwut County.

Contact Person: Moses Gai

E-mail address: gaimoses@yahoo.com

Type of Organization: Non Governmental Organization

AREA (S) OF FOCUS Capacity Building

EUCO is an NGO with an objective of providing/facilitating strategic networks, in addition to playing a coordination role among member Organizations. EUCO also provides capacity money to it's members. EUCO has constructed offices in Maiwut where it's members meet. EUCO exist to ensure monitoring coordination, information sharing and evaluation of members' service delivery to communities of EUN.

Sudan Rural Development Agency (SRDA)

Nationality: Sudanese

Established:

Official Address: Maiwut County,

Contact Person: Sara Nyakouth

E-mail address: srda05@yahoo.com

Type of Organization: Non Governmental Organization

AREA (S) OF FOCUS Capacity Building

SRDA is involved in demolishing & construction of a Payam office, SRRC office & a micro finance training center. This program seeks to alleviate the grinding woes of the women through establishing a grinding mill in Kingeli center. It also seeks to develop sewing skills by training a number of women from organized groups. SRDA seeks to strengthen the capacity of Payam administration by renovating office to ensure conducive environment for local authorities.