

SPOTLIGHT NEWS



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UK AID DIRECT PARTNERSHIP WORK

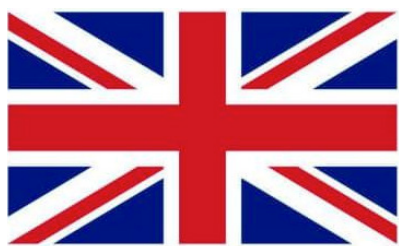
Following our successful grant application to the UK Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office Small Charities Challenge Fund, our Community Health Promoters have been begun expanding their healthcare work to additional vulnerable communities in the Mbale District. Here they are carrying out outreach work as part of the child and maternal healthcare programme funded through the UK Aid Direct project grant.

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Posters to increase awareness

The UK Aid Direct grant has also enabled the design and publication of posters on issues such as safeguarding, abuse, nutrition and immunisation. All our workers have received safeguarding training and this has been communicated along with health advice to the community using these visual aids. These visual aids are crucial as illiteracy is prevalent amongst the people we seek to serve.



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Herts Advertiser

Our successful grant application has even made it into the local paper!
Read the full article here:

<https://www.hertsad.co.uk/news/harpenden-spotlight-on-africa-to-receive-grant-7852864>

Spotlight is run entirely by volunteers, so over 95p of every £1 you donate goes directly to our projects.

With Gift Aid, this increases to over £1.21!

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FORGING LINKS - TRANSFORMING COMMUNITIES

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

This year, International Women's Day was celebrated in Musoto by highlighting the social, economic, cultural and political achievements of women in the communities we support. Pamela Wetuwa (the President of Uganda's representative in Mbale) joined female Community Health Promoters and Girl Scouts to celebrate women in leadership, whilst also discussing and highlighting the problems they continue to face in day-to-day life.



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The posters are on display at our health clinic and Musoto Christian School.



FACE MASKS

And we can't finish this month's newsletter without mentioning our amazing Tailoring Trainees who have been continuing with the production of essential face masks to help protect their communities from COVID-19.



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