



# ANNUAL REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR HUMAN CONCERN FOUNDATION INTERNATIONAL FOR THE YEAR 2020

## INTRODUCTION

Human Concern Foundation International (HCFI), is a Non-governmental organisation registered with the Corporate Affairs Commission. HCFI is devoted to providing relief to people encountering various forms of disaster and difficulty, striving to alleviate poverty and suffering around the world regardless of colour, race or religion. It specialises in, health and nutrition, education & training, water & sanitation, income generation for those in dire need.

## SECRETARIAT

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## CURRENT STAFF

The Management Staff of the Foundation include

Prof Ibrahim Oreagba	Executive Director
Alhaji Isiaq Saba	General Secretary
Dr Abdulwasiu Busari	Director of Projects
Mr Daud Zubair	Co-ordinator, Lagos district
Mr Abduraheem Lawal	Co-ordinator, Ogun district
Mr Yunus Ibrahim	Co-ordinator, Niger district
Dr Abdulateef Akegbelaiye	Member
Dr Yusuf Kamiyo	Member
Mr Abdulhafeez Olaiya	Member
Dr Abdulwasiu Obipehin	Member
Mr Alabi Uthman	Member
Mr Tajudeen Samuel	Member
Pharm Saheed Balogun	Member

## ANNUAL BREAKFAST MEETING

The annual breakfast meeting of HCFI took place on Sunday February 2, 2020 at the residence of the Executive Director of HCFI, Prof Ibrahim Oreagba. The objective of the meeting was to review the planned programmes for the year and brainstorm on their successful implementation in line with the overall mission and vision of the foundation. Eleven members were in attendance.

## MEDICAL OUTREACH PROGRAMMES

Only one of the Several medical outreach programs planned for the year took place in the year under review due to the COVID 19 pandemic

## **MAKOKO COMMUNITY**

HCFI in collaboration with Tranquil Heart Foundation organized a Medical caravan on Sunday January 25, 2020 at Makoko Community Yaba Lagos. The total number of patients attended to was 450, while the number of medical personnel presented were 27. The health talk was delivered by Dr Abdulwahab Egberongbe on vital health tips for hypertension and diabetes. Patients were screened and treated for various health conditions. All drugs were provided free of charge.

## **COVID 19 PROGRAMMES**

HCFI launched awareness campaign on social media through colourful posters aimed at educating the public on preventive measures against COVID 19

HCFI joined the Muslim Coalition against COVID to raise funds to purchase and distribute palliatives during the early phase of the pandemic April 2020

The HCFI Executive Director presented a health talk titled “Potential for African traditional medicine as alternatives in the treatment of COVID 19’ organized by the Centre for Policy initiatives in Africa July 12 2020. He also made a presentation at a radio programme ‘Traditional medicine and COVID 19 demerits and perspective of Prophetic medicine’ during the month of Ramadan.

## **MEDICAL SUPPORT**

- HCFI facilitated fund raising to the tune of N2,000,000.00 for Mr Tajudeen Mustapha's Craniotomy surgical procedure.
- HCFI supported "The Torch Bearers organization to raise the sum of N3,138,400.00 for a Ms Assist Lawal spinal surgical procedure.
- The sum of N2.600,000 was also realised to support the hip surgery for Mr Habibla Busari
- The sum of N145,000 was realised towards the hospital discharge bill of Mrs Monsurah Ottun
- The sum of N200,000.00 was also donated to support a cancer patient 25000.00 for glasses for glaucoma patients.
- HCFI was instrumental to the Recognition Award to TMC Mushin Local Government by Lagos State Blood Transfusion Department due to mass mobilization of blood donors and effective collaboration

## **EDUCATION SUPPORT**

HCFI scholarship program has supported twenty four (24) indigent students since inception in the year 2018 to date. The initiative is being funded by an HCFI member in diaspora.

- Total Income - N1,975,000.00
- Total Disbursement - N1,940,600.00
- Balance as at 14/11/2020 - 34,400
- Total number of beneficiaries - 24

### **BOREHOLE PROJECT**

HCFI constructed a borehole at Abule Ijesha Bariga Lagos. This was courtesy of a philanthropist

### **CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT**

HCFI participated along with other NGOs in the webinar on Human Capital Development project in Nigeria September 2020

### **HCFI WEBSITE**

Website has been redesigned to enable online donation

### **VISITATION TO ORPHANAGE HOMES**

HCFI in collaboration with the Muslim Pharmacists Association of Nigeria visited the FOMWAN Orphanage home Osun state Oshogbo November 12, 2020. The sum of 300 thousand was donated.

**WALK FOR LIFE PROGRAM.** The HCFI/CGPI annual walk for life event did not hold due to the COVID 19 pandemic.

### **CHALLENGES**

The COVID 19 pandemic hindered most of our field programs like free medical caravans and prison visitations

Inadequate funding of HCFI initiatives is also a challenge

### **APPRECIATION**

HCFI hereby appreciates the support of the following organizations

1. The Muslim Congress
2. Zakat and Sadaqat Foundation
3. Idris and Amina Sulaiman Foundation
4. Muslim Welfare fund
5. The Torch Bearers Organization

**Signed:**

**Prof I.A. Oreagba PhD**  
**Executive Director**

**Alhaji Isiaq Saba**  
**General Secretary**