



# Community Integrated Development Initiative



# Annual Report 2014

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Project beneficiaries receives a household toilet in Napak district constructed and funded by CIDI through partners

## Dear partner's and friends of CIDI

In the review of the year 2014, CIDI could achieve his goals and targets set for this period. We have constructed different facilities in our project area's and implement many activities throughout our thematic projects to improve the livelihood of our beneficiaries. All our efforts in Water, Sanitation and Health, Advocacy & Good Governance, Sustainable Agriculture and Health would not be possible without the support and contribution of our international and national partners. I want to take the opportunity to address my appreciation and gratefulness for this support and invite our partners to continue working with CIDI to create a change in the life of Ugandan people. I also want to thank all local and political authorities and administrators for their guidance and acceptance of CIDI endeavors to mobilize and strengthen the communities in urban and rural settings. CIDI's vision to follow a community integrated development is always open minded for collaboration and communication with respective authorities.



In year 2014 CIDI could enhance our advocacy and good governance initiative especially in WASH and agriculture sector through relentlessly trainings and sensitization for the sake of a better collaboration between authorities and citizens. With two new projects in Karamoja region we have extended our area of operation from Moroto up to Nakapiripirit and opened a new office in Napak to contribute to the development of this region. This annual report is summarized documentation about major achievements and exceptional success stories which CIDI has achieved in 2014. All departments, management, project managers, field extension staff, assistants and administrators has contributed to the overall and specific goals of 15 different projects and shall receive my thanks for their performance and accomplishment. Without your knowhow and commitment CIDI would not be able to complete all this activities. In behalf of CIDI's board of management I am sure this annual report will give you a good overview and insight of our experience, success and development.

**Sincerely Dr. Fulgension Jjuuko,**  
**Executive Director of CIDI**

## Executive Summary

CIDI has implemented 13 projects in 2014, 4 projects in Water & Sanitation, 3 projects in sustainable agriculture, 4 projects in advocacy & good governance , 1 project in Health and 1 project in vocational training. All projects were implemented together with local partners and authorities and with the support by various donor's like Caritas Denmark, Misereor Germany, African Development Bank, Danish People's Aid or US Aid, who have funded the project activities. In this Annual Report we have listed important project achievements, exceptional highlights in figures and narratives . In addition we have collected some success stories about the change in the life of our beneficiaries who have benefited directly from our intervention.

We have implemented 6 WASH & advocacy project in Kampala's Division, 3 agriculture project's in Soroti, Rakai and Amuria district, 1 advocacy project in Karamoja region and 1 health project in Rakai. CIDI could support the livelihood of many thousand people through direct support with material, trainings, health care and providing facilities like public and school toilets, boreholes or rain water tanks. In 2014 we have focused our advocacy interventions with sensitization programs and special trainings for citizens to make them aware about their rights and how they can demand for better services. In sustainable agriculture we could provide many small scale farmer's seedlings and equipment, conducting trainings and support them with entrepreneur skills and funds to increase their production and improve the livelihood of their families. In water& sanitation we could constructed a number of toilet facilities for public schools and communities and provide rain water tanks. With our sanitation clubs in schools and hygiene awareness in communities we could influence the hygiene behavior of children and adults.

CIDI as also improved their Monitoring & Evaluation system through a more structured and systematic approach, improve documentation of activities, best practice and strengthen the internal review process through meetings where action plan's and lessons learnt were discussed. Finally we achieved to receive financial support by our donor's to implement all this activities and sustain our organisation in this period, which gave us the opportunity to keep and employ additional staff.

# About CIDI

## Who we are

Community Integrated Development Initiatives, CIDI was founded in 1996 and registered in 1999 as a legal not-for-profit NGO with the Ministry of Internal Affairs under registration certificate No. 2715 and Reference No. S-5914/2868. It was founded by a team of experienced and competent professionals motivated by the dire need for concerted efforts to fight poverty in Uganda about 60% of whose population is poor and 35% core poor.

## What we are doing

CIDI mainly focuses on actions that directly improve on the lives of the poor, vulnerable and marginalized communities in urban, peri-urban and rural areas. CIDI is to continue investing in community empowerment programs that contribute towards poverty reduction through the provision of sustainable integrated technical and material support, in broad areas of sustainable agriculture, environmental conservation, lobbying, health promotion,

### **Vision**

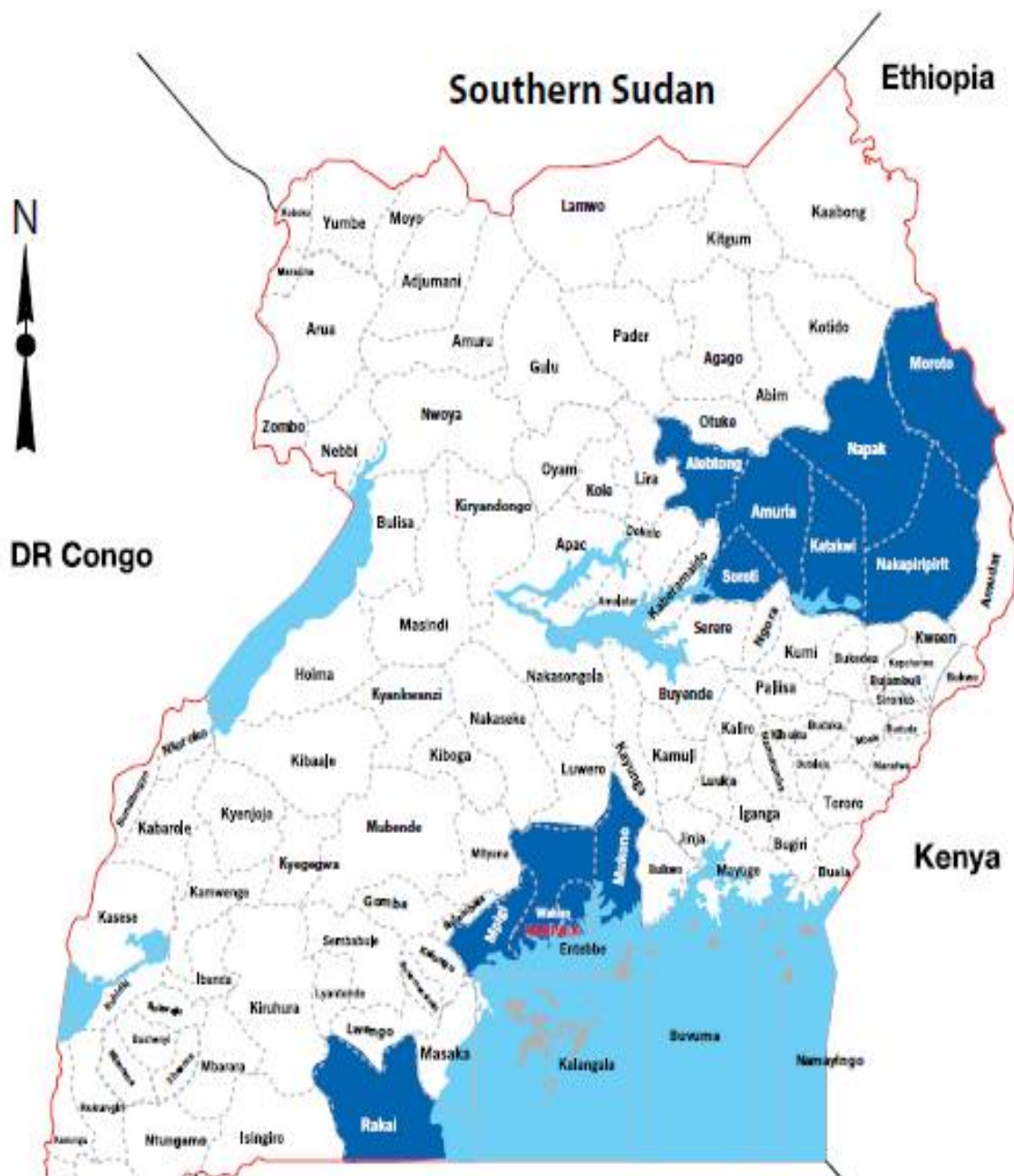
To be the leading NGO offering quality sustainable services to communities through provision of equitable, participatory and integrated development initiatives.

### **Mission**

## Our Strategic Goals:

- Improved access to clean and safe water, hygiene and sanitation services for the target poor communities.
- To improve house hold food security and income generation among the rural poor subsistence households.
- To contribute to increased community awareness and health literacy on accessibility, disease prevention and promotion of healthy lifestyles and productive population.
- To increase the capacity of the disempowered local communities - directly affected by a number of challenges and policies to be their own advocates in bringing about positive change in their lives.

## MAP OF UGANDA SHOWING OUR AREAS OF OPERATION



### Our Offices:

The CIDI head office is located in Kampala (Tank Hill road -Muyenga) and it has six field offices in

- Kayunga/Mukono,
- Kyotera/Rakai,
- Nakasongola,

## Achievements

WASH- Water Sanitation & Hygiene is still CIDI's main competence and success. CIDI is one of the most active and experienced implementers of WASH projects at national level, especially in urban areas like Kampala. Our various interventions are ranging from constructing toilets for schools and communities, rainwater harvesting, hand washing facilities, drink water facilities and training pupils, community members



and local authorities in WASH issues. CIDI is collaborating at

School toilet facility constructed by CIDI in Rubaga division of Kampala

national and district level with relevant stakeholders in this sector and member of different networks. In year 2014 we could achieve many targets from constructing sanitation facilities up to creating awareness about hygiene.

## Projects 2014

**The Kawempe Urban Poor Sanitation Improvement project (KUPSIP)** funded by African Development Bank ADB, aimed to provide sustainable and affordable sanitation services to over 200.000 urban poor residents in Kawempe municipality of Kampala. The project contributes to improving sanitation conditions and through providing sanitation facilities for schools, households and public.

The intervention adopts the principles of sanitation marketing, offers a pro poor sanitation mechanisms for accessing affordable sanitation infrastructure with a plan to construct 240 sanitation units with hand washing facilities for vulnerable households. A faecal sludge management will be established and implemented with the purchase of cesspool emptier trucks. The KUPSIP project is implemented in partnership with National Water & Sewage Corporation (NWSC) and Netwas Uganda and KCCA Kampala City Council Authority.

### **Achievements in KUPSIP in numbers 2014**

- **20** community masons were trained and are supporting communities in aspects of construction of sanitation facilities.
- **05** sanitation facilities with each 4 stances, 2 bathrooms, urinal and store/attendants rooms are being constructed in the project area.
- **57345** IEC material distributed
- **645** people have been trained in sanitation aspects
- **06** drive shows have been held,
- **05** role plays conducted in the beneficiary communities and **35** spot ads and jingle

### **The School Water, Sanitation & Health (S-WASH) project**

funded by WaterCan, is being implemented by CIDI in a 5 years project that commenced in 2012. Up to now the project intervention have been implemented in 11 primary schools within Lubaga division in Kampala. A wealth of experience and records have been gained through implementing various activities of this projects.

The project overall goal is to improve sanitation facilities and health conditions of 15,000 pupils and 60,000 community members. In year 2014 sanitation facilities in (5) five schools have been constructed, hand washing facilities distributed, rain water harvesting tanks installed and systems for drinking water provided by the project team. Hand in hand with the construction of these facilities



Members of a sanitation club in a primary school in Kampala are introducing their activities to the

ties and services several health & sanitation clubs amongst the pupils have been initiated in the respected schools, and the members have been trained in WASH related issues.

### **Achievements in numbers for S-WASH**

- **430** attendants in 12 trainings with 358 first attendance
- **Construction of 5 sanitation facilities and 5 rain water harvesting** tanks with a capacity of 10,000 liter



## **Kampala Urban Water Sanitation and Environmental management project (KUWASEM)**

funded by Misereor Germany. To date, the project has contributed to increased access to clean water and sanitation and increased awareness on hygiene practices through sensitization trainings to about 1,719 people in the target communi-



Rain water harvesting tank provided for communities in Kampala

ties. Project has contributed to increased access to sanitation to 1,343 pupils in the target schools. This is mainly due to the water tanks that have been put up in the schools. Advocacy structures were strengthened through building their capacity and skills. A parish structure was formed and trained to carry out advocacy in the communities. The people can now identify advocacy issues, engage their leaders and hold them responsible without causing violence. Over 102 people received trainings in Operation & Maintenance and have exhibited good operation and management practices of the wash facilities.

**The project has 3 main objectives:**

1. An innovative and sustainable SME decentralized fecal sludge management system established within targeted communities of Lubaga Division by March 2018
2. Innovative Menstrual Hygiene Management (MHM) and improved sanitation attained in 9 targeted primary and secondary schools
3. Communities empowered to understand WASH policies affecting them and to develop capacity to be their own advocates in improving their wellbeing

### **Achievements in numbers for KUWASEM 2014**

- **10 toilets** have been constructed – 2 public and 8 VIP
- **2 rain water harvester with 10.000** liters have been installed in schools
- **21 hand washing facilities** distributed
- **1 drainage channel** lined
- **1 public water kiosk** constructed
- **11 trainings in WASH issues and 2 sanitation completion** through play and drama

# Sustainable agriculture

## Achievements

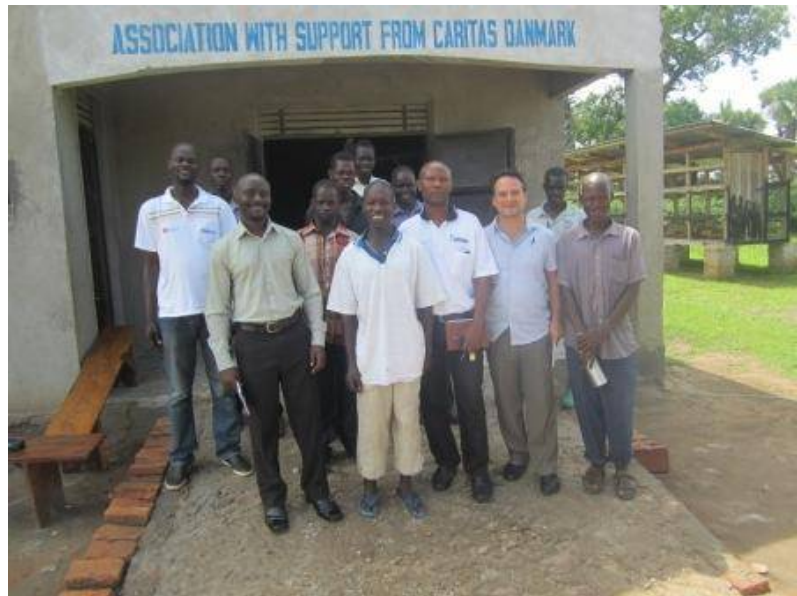
### **The Soroti Integrated Development Project SIDP III**

who is operating within the programme of UGOPAP (Uganda Governance And Poverty Alleviation Programme) and funded by Caritas Denmark was going 2014 in his third stage.

Through the SIDP project initiative many thousands beneficiar-

ies in the district of Soroti have received trainings and have been supported with various tools and seeds.

The overall goal of the SIDP project is to improve the livelihood of the rural population and promote peace and collaboration between the people to prevent conflicts.



Picture right: Meeting with farmers association members of Katine with Soroti and M&E team.

## Achievements in numbers of SIDP 2014:

- **459 trainings & workshops** in agriculture have been conducted
- **936 Number of on farm training's**
- **8194 people were reached** (female and male)
- **7403 numbers of members of 82** farmers and youth group's
- **400 Number of association member's in 6 associations**

## Highlights

### **Capacity building**

The capacity of the 40 youth animators in 20 youth groups have been enhanced in the concepts of sustainable agriculture, benefits of agro forestry and organic farming as well as pest and disease control

### **Livestock management**

The participants were also equipped with skills in livestock management such feed formulation, treatment and care of piglets. So far at least 50 piglets have been furrowed in six youth groups of Ojom, Aloet, Otatai, Awaliwal, Aparisa and Palaet and have been passed on to other beneficiaries in the group

## **Saving initiatives**

With the understanding of the importance of savings initiatives amongst farmers, especially at the association level, some associations such as ACIFA have increased their savings initiatives from as low as 3,000,000 to now about 6.000.000 shillings as their portfolio just with a period of only 5 months

## **Intervention in the district Rakai**

In Rakai district CIDI is implementing a similar projects funded by Caritas Denmark under UGOPAP. The main focus is on sustainable agriculture and improvement of livelihoods of rural population through capacity building and dissemination of tools and farming equipment. Up to now the 37 farmer's and youth group could be established in Rakai district through CIDI with 1340 registered members.



Meeting with association members in Rakai district

The groups are supported with technical capacity in agriculture methods as well as in saving and conflict solution. Many group members could gain self confident and boost their economic situation to increase .income. CIDI has also established 7 farmers association with a total of 466 registered members which are active in their area's. Out of this association a new cooperative will be established in the coming year.

### **Achievements in numbers in Rakai UGOPAP 2014:**

- 1340 members of 37 Farmer and Youth group
- 466 members in 7 farmers associations

## Success Story of MUGALULA LAWRENCE

### Capca Youth Project in Rakai District

Lawrence aged 22 from Matengeto Village, Katovu Parish, in Rakai District is one of the members of Katovu-Mayanja Agali-awamu Youth Group. Lawrence is a Senior Four drop out who stays with his parents currently in an extended family with other younger sisters and brothers plus children of his elder brothers/sisters.



He could not meet the cost of his education at “A” level. He could not find formal employment. The household members have faced a number of hardships to meet the cost of the basic needs and other social services such as medical care, food security, school fees and scholastic materials to the young ones. food security, school fees and scholastic materials to the young ones.

With the support from CIDI under CAPCA Youth Project, Lawrence has gradually started to set up independent horticulture gardens on small, growing non-traditional crops like Water melon, Tomatoes, Cabbage, Green Paper, among others. Lawrence recites how the organization had positively contributed to his current social and economic life and giving him hope for a better future. He had seen his capacity and skills strengthened in horticulture farming through participating in numerous exposure visits and trainings focusing majorly on Agronomic practices, Group dynamics, Farming as a business, Agro Produce Marketing strategies and information flow system among others organized by the Organization, provision of technical advice from the organization’s Extension workers.

For the last two years, Lawrence has been opening up horticultural gardens of different crops and he has been earning some money that has helped him meet his personal needs and also help to buy scholastic materials for his young brothers and sisters. He has diversified his livelihood; he has bought a cow from the savings made from sale of tomatoes and green paper. He currently, he has opened up a Green paper garden of about two tins of 100 g, he has been supported by CIDI to set up a demonstration garden, three nursery beds for Tomatoes, Green Paper and Cabbages which will help him opening up more gardens soon.

*“...i plan to make more savings to start up a saloon for daily income and diversified livelihood and also construct a permanent house to start living independently from my parents...” Lawrence.*

# Agriculture Intervention in Amuria district

## HOUSEHOLD AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FOR IMPROVED LIVELIHOODS (short SEWCA)

was implemented in Amuria district and funded by Concern Worldwide. The main goal of the project was to contribute to poverty alleviation and promotion of sustainable livelihoods among subsistence farmers, particularly the more vulnerable groups, within the sub counties of Obalanga and Acowa. The producers of agriculture products shall benefit from increased food security through the diversification and increase in household agricultural production and income from surplus trade through increased access to local and national markets. One of the important outcomes was to achieve that 95% of the targeted farmers have improved planning of their enterprises, process their produce to add value

and have improved market opportunities for better incomes. 2400 Households in Obalanga and Acowa shall benefit from increased food security. 4800 farmers shall be organized in groups/associations and have capacity to undertake and sustain their development priorities by the year 2014.



Farmer supported by CIDI with Cassava grinding mill in Amuria district

### **Achievements in numbers in Amuria 2014:**

- **120 gardens of ½ an acre** were planted with 2 or more vegetable types. 60 gardens of 1 vegetable type were planted
- **105 vegetable and fruit farmers** (72 males and 33 females) attended the training in both Acowa and Obalanga
- **71 farmers** (48 males and 23 females) attended the on-farm trainings in both Acowa and Obalanga sub-counties

- **8** para vets were identified and trained in partnership with the Amuria district veterinary office for three days on identification of common diseases and parasites in livestock.
- **85 Mubende** goats were procured and distributed to 9 breeding centers'10 Mubende goats gave birth and 2 boar females also gave birth
- **2 grinding mills of 16** horse power each were procured and installed in Obalanga Opot Labara farmers marketing association and Acowa Angolebwal farmers marketing association.
- **3 marketing associations** namely Acowa Angolebwal, Obalanga Opot Labira and Amootom farmers marketing associations were able to pay back there loan to Concern worldwide
- **100 posters with gender massages** were printed and distributed to the gender focal persons and relevant stake holders.

### Success stories agriculture

#### Giving hope with bread making- success story from Soroti district

Before the initiation of bread making as an income generating activity, the youth of Achuna Ajaku, district of Soroti had been involved in the conflict prevention and peace building in their community. As a result of this they were exposed to think creatively on how such conflicts will be avoided in future. It was upon this that CIDI intervened and supported the youths to take on bread making for income generating. The youths were trained to make different types of bread such as doughnuts, wedding cakes, birth day cakes etc. They were also trained on marketing skills, so they have been able to market their bread in nearby trading centres. They also sell their bread during open day markets of Aparisa, Eukasi and Onym Igurok, and majority of them are currently very proud of the accruing benefits. Acuna Ajak is making a total sales of over 300,000/= in only one month.



Bread making has since become the pre-occupation of youths in this group, to the extent that they spend most of their time on baking bread because of the high demand for bread in the area. In a week the group makes one hundred and thirty five thousand pieces of bread (135000) and this has enabled them to continue being in business. The profits are used to purchase raw materials on a daily basis with different members of the group taking different roles where the time table works best, three small groups are made in the bigger baking group and that they are each headed by at least an expert in the bread

making process. Even the men are now seriously involved not like the other days before where the men were fearing baking (cooking) thinking that it was work for the women.

The youths of Achuna Ajaku are able to make money and slowly they are working to liberate their households out of poverty. Some of the youth are also borrowing the money to invest in other income generating activities. Some are able to pay for their own education by doing small income generating activities

### **From a drop out student to engaged farmer- Success story from Rakai district**

Ssaali Aloysius aged 25 from Matengeto Village, Katovu Parish, Kakuto Sub County in Rakai District. He is a youth farmer one of the members of Katovu-Mayanja Agali-awamu Youth Group which is registered both at Sub County and at the District level with the District Community Based Services Department in Rakai.



With the support of CIDI under the CAPCA youth Project, Aloysius has been built his capacity in horticulture and non- traditional crops farming through participating in numerous trainings focusing on Agronomic practices, Group dynamics, Farming as a business, Agro Produce Marketing strategies and information flow system among others organized by the Organization, provision of technical advice from the organization's Extension workers and organizing exposure visits to prominent progressive farmers. This has seen Aloysius progressing from small farm holder to semi commercialized farmer and his major dream is to become an international exporter of horticultural crops.

*"..... two years back i have been growing passion fruits, I would plant around 50-80 plants, tomatoes half a tin 100 g, when I was trained by CIDI in farming as a business, I started saving the proceeds from my small passion fruit plantation which I have recently re-invested.....last year I opened up another land (01 acre) where I currently own a big passion fruit plantation of 500 plants on an acre.....I thank so much the CIDI Extension staff who keep on checking and advise me on the best practices on a regular basis " ,*

# Advocacy & Good Governance

## Achievements

Advocacy and good governance has become an important topic in CIDI's programs. Empowering citizens to identify their individual and community needs and address them to the responsible authorities shall contribute to the improvements of public services and the citizen participation in general.



Meeting with advocacy group in a parish in Kampala for CIDI's advocacy focus is to support the citizens amplifying for accountable and transparent WASH, agriculture, health or social services in the communities. These efforts have increased the engagement between citizens and the duty bearers in planning, budgeting and delivering sustainable services. In year 2014 CIDI's advocacy activities was mainly related to projects with a focus in Water, Sanitation & Hygiene in Kampala's divisions.

## Projects like:

- **Improving equitable access for urban poor to WASH in the division of Kampala City including Kawempe** (*funded by Comic Relief through Water Aid*)
- **Decent Living-Improving the lives of people living in slums in Kampala through improved housing, water & sanitation** (*funded by Water Aid Sweden & KCCA*)
- **Citizens Action for Water, Sanitation & Hygiene** (*funded by Danish Peoples Aid*)
- **Teso-Karamoja Social Service Accountability project** (*funded by DGF*)

## Methods and approaches in use:

Obtain the goals and objectives we are using a multiplicity of approaches and methods ranging from community capacity enhancement in advocacy and lobbying, planning and budgeting formulation process and monitoring, organizing dialogue meeting between citizens and duty bearers, conducting consumer perception surveys, generating citizens report cards as important community enhancement tools.

In addition CIDI facilitated theatre (music, dance & drama), radio talk shows and jingles for sensitization and mobilization of community members to inform them about their rights and responsibilities, as well as providing a platform for engagement with the duty bearers. We are enabling networks with relevant stakeholders like civil society organizations and government entities and establishing vibrant community advocacy structures at parish, division and district level.



## **Achievements in advocacy in numbers for 2014:**

- **34 trainings & workshops** in advocacy have been conducted
- **21 trainings in Lobbying and Good Governance,**
- **13 advocacy training** in WASH related issues
- **891 people were reached** ( 398 female and 394 male)
- **9 radio talks** were conducted in advocacy issues
- **4 drama, dance and music** events were performed

### **Decent Living –A project for improving the lives of people living in slums in Kampala through WASH and Advocacy interventions**

This CIDI project was running for 3 years from 2013 up to March 2016 in partnership SSA: USH-NET supported by We-effect and WaterAid. It was implemented in Lubaga Division Urban Council (Mutundwe and Busega Wards) and Makindye Division Urban Council (Ggaba and Kibuye



1 Wards) . The project aimed to improve improve living conditions for 53, 570 poor and underserved people through improving access to adequate Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) and housing by 2016, ultimately contributing to a dignified life for people living in the slums of Kampala City.

During the implementation period an increasing equitable access to safe water and adequate sanitation could be achieved with the continuation and completion of works on the four sanitation facilities. Dialogues were conducted aimed at informing key stakeholders of the progress of the project as well as provide space for the communities to engage the key stakeholders on issues that affect them. Selected members from the advocacy committee have been engaged in the Kampala WASH Advocacy Forum and continued to have their capacity strengthened. The communities and the local leaders have been participating in the follow-ups on issues identified in their communities with the relevant decision makers.

Over the time, the main activities have focused at improving participation and strengthening of the coordination role of KCCA and other WASH actors, strengthening capacity of the communities and their organizations to engage and demand for improved WASH service delivery as well as increasing equitable access to safe water and adequate sanitation.

**Mayor Lubaga Division,” Sanitation in Kampala is in very bad shape, we do not pit latrines in town, I am glad CIDI has piloted this toilet I saw some where.”**

## **Strengthen capacity of poor and marginalized in Teso and Karamoja Region and improve better service delivery**

CIDI has implemented a 2 year project code named Teso – Karamoja Social Service Accountability Project (TEKASSAP) with funding from the Democratic Governance Facility in 5 Districts and 10 Sub Counties within 47 parishes in Karamoja region (Amuria, Katakwi, Napak, Moroto and Nakapiripirit. The project area is com-



pared to the rest of Uganda disadvantage with missing road networks, weak communication network like internet and insufficient health and education facilities.

The goal of the project was to improve accountability, responsiveness and effectiveness of Government and Service providers to Social Services delivery in Teso and Karamoja regions. The project aimed to enhance the capacity of selected Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) to advocate and hold accountable Government and other service providers for better service delivery. And to strengthen the capacity of the poor and marginalized communities to lobby, monitor and advocate for better service delivery by both Government and other service providers. In implementing this project CIDI worked with local partner CSOs from the Teso – Karamoja region.

CIDI has seen tremendous progress made towards realization of the key outcomes. Increasingly the target group (women, men ,youth , PWDS, PLWHIV among others) demand for their rights and entitlements from the Teso – Karamoja. The community has stepped up monitoring of service delivery across the sectors of health, education, WASH and roads by utilizing the monitoring tools developed by CIDI.

The level of responsiveness from the duty bearers has greatly improved, display of budget releases is made in sub counties where it was not happening before like in Rupa, Moruita and Nadunget in Karamoja. During this period, CIDI has stepped up efforts to work with the media by establishing a network of journalists from Teso – Karamoja region and went ahead to establish a face book page for the Teso - Karamoja Social Accountability Platform where accountability cases are posted to generate debate and tap into the elite section of people from this region inclusive the leadership at different levels.

## Success story in Advocacy

### Ekking a living out of waste- form an advocacy project in Kampala

Uganda is facing rapid urbanization of 5.1% per annum, leading to overcrowding and the development of slums and informal settlements with poor waste management practices. It is estimated that the community of Bwaise II in Kampala



las Kawempe division II generates an estimated 31.432 tons of garbage daily. The average per capita solid waste generation rate is 1.284-kg/per person/per day with a high organic content and bulky density.

CIDI with support from WSUP through Water Aid in Uganda deemed it fit to make an intervention. Focus was around mobilizing the communities and training them in collection, sorting, marketing and basic records keeping. To ensure that all the community members of Bwaise II were reached out, CIDI worked with the key community local leaders to mobilize the people from all the eight zones to participate in the meetings. The same group assisted in mobilizing for a place to serve as a collection centre. The mobilization was done through meetings with the local leaders, landlords and the tenants. The local announcers through use of megaphones and project radio programmes were also used to mobilize residents and communicating resolutions from the meetings. This concerted effort helped in getting people to participate, particularly the ones who had interest.

The KCCA Public Health Directorate supported the trainings working closely with the Director and Division Medical Officer. The categories comprised of the individual and group scrap collectors with a bias in metal scrap. The project interested them into collecting plastics. The two trainings attracted participation of over 40 people who were willing to take on the concept. This came after clearly understanding the immense profits that could accrue to them after making computations, the venture was lucrative.

After going through the preliminary stages, CIDI introduced the idea of establishing a collection centre to be constructed by coca cola. Over 30 households embarked on collection of plastics. The metal scrap collectors integrated collection of plastics in their work. The collectors were linked to the KCCA - Solid Waste Management Department.

# Health & HIV Prevention

## Achievements

CIDI's intervention in health related issues are focusing on HIV prevention, improvement of health services and advocacy trainings for beneficiaries. In year 2014 we have implemented a health project in Rakai district, in collaboration with a consortium of 4 partners (CIDI, Kitovu Mobile, FADSI and HIPA), granted by CSF- Civil Society Fund. CIDI has taken the lead of the consortium.



Project beneficiaries are lining up for HIV testing and counseling service in Rakai district.

The project title: **“Reduction of New HIV Infections through Enhanced Community Engagement in Combination HIV Prevention”** The combination prevention project was implemented in the sub counties of Kalisizo Rural, Kalisizo Town Council, Kirumba and Lwankoni.

The project aims to address HIV prevention through combination prevention interventions in schools by promoting abstinence, encouraging faithfulness among married people, promoting condom use among most at risk and vulnerable populations including women and young girls. The project also simultaneously delivers Behavioral and structural interventions and secondarily promotes biomedical interventions through strengthened referrals and networks with other service providers. 83,269 male and female were targeted as beneficiaries in the project.



Peer educators in Rakai receiving bicycles from CIDI to mobiles and sensitise the population in their area in health & HIV issues.

## Achievements in Health 2014

- **74278 Number of condoms** distributed by the service outlets
- **320 Condoms** distributed among pregnant mothers, lactating mothers and their partners
- **526 Number of People counseled for HIV**
- **480 mothers** have been reached with PMTCT (\*Prevention of Mother to child transmission) in the previous quarters
- **600 Number of Couples** reached with HIV prevention messages
- **4,730 were reached with BCC** (Behavioral Change communication) messages,

### Success story in Health

Mr. Musoke Joseph 35 years and Mrs. Mary Musoke 29 (Not their real names) from Kalagala village, Kalagala Parish and Kalisizo Town Council have been married for 7 years and blessed with 5 children, three boys and 2 girls. The Couple has been living in total fear of being HIV Positive, lack of trust and violence for the last two years after the death Mr. Musoke's extra marital partner died under unclear circumstances. The whole village had been gossiping about the couple, in addition when Mrs. Mary Musoke gave birth to their fifth born at home without any antenatal care, she lost lots of weight and due to ignorance this confirmed to the couple that they were HIV positive. During the Couple week, where model couples moved from home to home sensitizing their fellow couples on issues of: Sexual Reproductive Health, HIV counseling and testing (HCT), Living with Positive, Prevention with Positive, Safe Male Circumcision (SMC), Elimination of mother to child transmission of HIV (EMTCT) and Domestic violence, they happened to visit the home of Mr. Musoke, it was fortunate that they met the couple home. After the sensitization, the couple was very impressed and considered knowing their HIV Status by having HIV testing together. They tested during the couple week and got their result together. After testing HIV Negative, Mr. Musoke was quoted saying "Thank God I am HIV Negative, at last I am out of fear, I will always be faithful to be wife .They are now a happy couple and have joined the group of Model couples in Kalagala Village



Sensitization of couples through health advocacy intervention in Rakai

group of Model couples in Kalagala Village

# Training Center for Gardening & Landscaping– vocational training for the youth

## Achievements

CIDI projects implemented in Kampala is the Training Center for Gardening and Landscaping (TCGL) founded in partnership with Misereor. It was aimed at reducing unemployment and poverty among urban youth by providing them with skills and knowledge in order to ease the integration of youth into the labor market. The Vocational training center has been in existence for a period of four and a half years now. For the first two years (2010 – 2011), was the pilot phase of the project.



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The proposed phase is to consolidate the gains of the previous phases. The target group of the project is un- or underemployed Ugandans with a focus on youth. The minimum requirement is that they are able to read and write English. Female youth will have special consideration. Another target group is practitioners in the respective trades who want to improve their position in the labor market by acquiring officially recognized certificates. In the next 03 years, the project will directly target 120 students and 60 practitioners who need to acquire specific skills.

## Achievements in numbers 2014

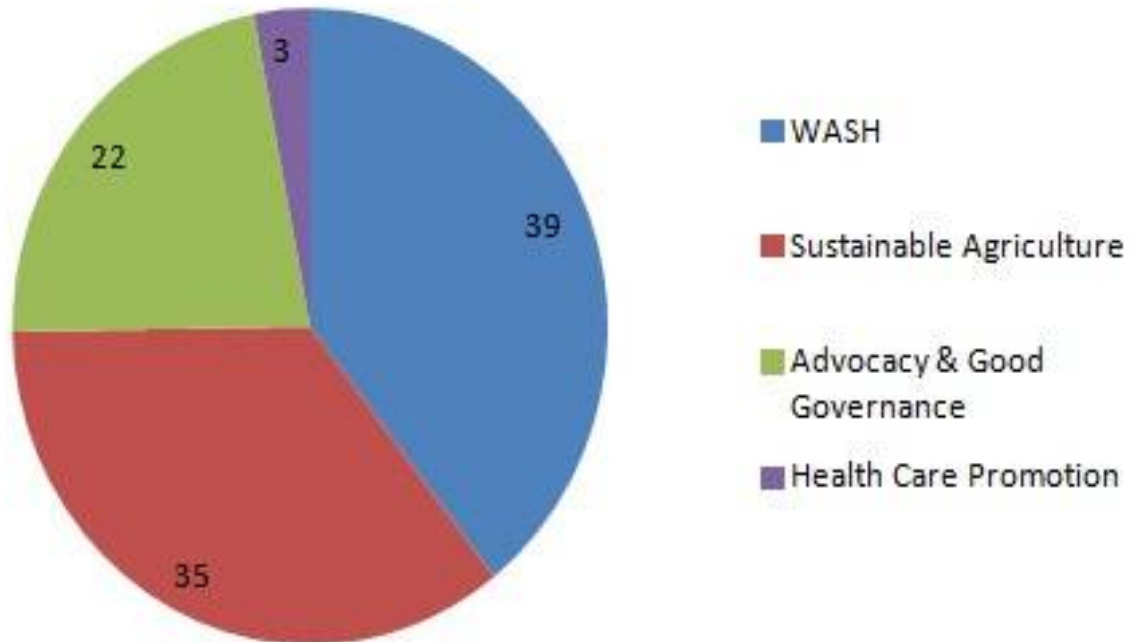
- **66 students** have been graduated so far and another 40 are continuing students.
- **27 students in short** courses organized by the school in conjunction with the Ministry of Education and Sports / Directorate of Industrial Training (DIT)
- **Up to now 80% of the students have found employment** in gardening and landscaping, of which and 11 % are self-employed
- **An alumni association** has been formed consisting of all graduate students and this will assist much in their co-ordination, linkage and support while in the world of work.
- **Approximately 2500 plants of different** species will be sold at end of year 2015



<b>Donor funding 2014</b>				
<b>Project name/ Donor</b>	<b>Wayter, Sanitation &amp; Hygiene</b>	<b>Sustainable Agriculture</b>	<b>Advocacy &amp; Good Governance</b>	<b>Health Care Promotion</b>
Karamoja Social Service Accountability Project (TEKASSAP)/ DGF			659164938	
Sustainable Agriculture Support in Amuria District	154203213			
Youth against conflict, Rakai		162026000		
Skills, Income, and Livelihoods in Karamoja Project		17795520		
Improving access to WASH for the urban poor			126980077	
Decent Living			310507909	
CITIZEN ACTION on WASH			103189145	
Soroti Integrated Development Project SIDP		154203213		
Combination HIV prevention project Rakai				190110007
Draught Mititation Napak/ Misereor Germany	467339404			
Kayunga and Mukono Social accountability project/GAAP			44464790	
IDF Conference			220000	
Kawempe Urban Poor Sanitation Improvement Project KUPSIP	1190915800			
Kampala Urban Water sanitation and environmental project ( KUWASEM)	63367409			
School- WASH	292962939			
School of Gardening Kampala		1620260000		
<b>Total per department</b>	<b>2168788765</b>	<b>1954284733</b>	<b>1244526859</b>	<b>190110007</b>
<b>% per department</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>3%</b>

## Donor funding for different thematic area's

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### Highlights in organizational development

- Conducted 2 project performance review to track progress and learn from best practices
- Improved the management information system and increased number of data entry's
- Published 2 newsletters for improving visibility and 4 booklets about project interventions
- Review of the current advocacy strategy with all CIDI staff members to agree upon our strategic goals
- All projects have been monitored regularly through reports and monitoring visits
- Documentation of all constructed facilities have started
- Cidi has started to work on a communication policy and a strategy for implementation
- CIDI was supported by a technical adviser from Horizont3000 to improve our M&E and documentation





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