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Preface

The Federal Ministry of the Interior of Austria warmly welcomes all participants to the course programme on Health and Migration at Makerere University in Kampala!

Thank you for your interest and enthusiasm to participate in this unique, forward-looking initiative, which was developed in close cooperation with the Center for Health and Migration. The course focusses on transferring medical know-how and sharing migration-related information. On the one hand, it will provide for further training for employees in the health and social sector, and contribute to the development of the health system. On the other hand, it will provide a more balanced, facts-based picture of migration prospects.

We hope to thereby meaningfully contribute to your personal development and to strengthen the resilience of your local communities.

Director General Peter Webinger
Directorate-General for Migration
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1 Programme

Programme

March 1, 2021	Opening Session	
4pm-5pm	Moderation: Ursula Trummer (project director, Center for Health and	
	Migration)	
	Greeting notes:	
	Director General Mag. Peter Webinger, Austrian Federal	
	Ministry of the Interior	
	Prof Julius Kikooma, Deputy Principal College of Humanities	
	and Social Sciences, Makerere University	
	Prof. Eddy Walakira, Head of Department, Social Work and	
	Social Administration, Makerere University	
	Prof. Charles Hui, Chair of the MHADRI Steering Committee	
	Ms. Michela Martini, Regional Migration Health Specialist for	
	East and Horn of Africa at IOM - UN Migration	
	Presentation of the programme and the facilitators:	
	Sonja Novak-Zezula (Center for Health and Migration) and	
	Paul Bukuluki (Makerere University, School of Social Sciences),	
	(Course Coordinators)	
	Chat with participants	

Date and time (Eastern Africa Time)	Session	Facilitator(s)
March 2, 2021		
9.30am-10am	Welcome Organisational Tasks	Sonja Novak-Zezula Paul Bukuluki
10am-1pm	Foundations of migration and migration health	Davide Mosca

2pm-5pm	Theories/Research in migration and migration health	Kol Wickramage
March 4, 2021		
10am-1pm	From global to African perspectives to advance the migration health agenda	Michela Martini
2pm-5pm	Regional, and local contexts for migration/South-South migration	Ronald Kalyango Chiara Lucchini
March 9, 2021		
10am-1pm + 2pm-5pm	Right to health for migrants	Paola Pace
March 11, 2021		
10am-1pm + 2pm-5pm	South-North migration: the case of Europe, esp. Austria: legal regulations regarding migration and policies towards irregular migration	Sonja Novak-Zezula Ursula Trummer Livinus Nwoha
March 16, 2021		
10am-1pm	Migration decisions and motivations	Sonja Novak-Zezula Ursula Trummer

2pm-5pm	Social protection of migrants in the context of right to health and of family dynamics and left-behind children and elderlies	Paul Bukuluki
March 18, 2021		
10am-1pm	Medical anthropology, pandemics, and inequities	Ruth Kutalek
2pm-5pm	COVID-19 impact in the context of migration: the Africa perspective South Sudan case study	Michela Martini Adebabai Teshome
March 23, 2021		
10am-1pm	Migration health and communicable diseases	Jo Vearey
2pm-5pm	Communicable diseases in specific settings, e.g. refugee settlements	Jo Vearey IOM expert (tbc)
March 25, 2021		
10am-1pm	Gender issues in migration, including the role of women and families	Ronald Kalyango

2pm-5pm	Sexual and reproductive health of forced migrants	Hadijah Mwenyango
March 30, 2021		
10am-1pm	Migration health, communicable diseases and wider factors impacting on diagnosis and care	Dominik Zenner
2pm-5pm	Mental health and psychosocial support	James Mugisha
April 01, 2021		
10am-1pm + 2pm-3pm	Migration and health in humanitarian and complex emergency settings	Roy Mayega
3pm-4pm	Closing session Feedback	Sonja Novak-Zezula Paul Bukuluki

Organisers

Center for Health and Migration (Trummer & Novak-Zezula OG) c-hm.com

The Center for Health and Migration (CHM) of the Trummer & Novak-Zezula OG (SME founded in 1996) is a private research, education and counselling institute based in Vienna, Austria. CHM is working with partners from academia as well as policy development from local to global level with the aim to contribute to evidence-informed migration health policies and practices. CHM is

acknowledged education institute by the OeAD, Austria's central organisation

for mobility and cooperation programmes in education, science and research.

Makerere University, Department of Social Work and Social Administration,

School of Social Sciences

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Established in 1922, Makerere University is one of the oldest and most pres-

tigious universities in Africa. The School of Social Sciences at the College of

Humanities and Social Sciences (CHUSS) has a strong focus on sociology,

anthropology, political science, social work, economics, and gender studies.

Ongoing advocacy efforts are made to integrate migration studies to the

curricula of courses provided at CHUSS and other schools such as Law as

well as Public Health.

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2 Facilitators Profiles

Adebabai Teshome, is Medical Doctor with master in public health and a PHD student at EUCLID University. He has more than 18 years public health and management experience in different countries including Ethiopia, South Sudan, Nigeria, India, Uzbekistan, Myanmar and Bangladesh. Over time, he has progressively grown from field level medical doctor to Medical Director and Country Director Positions for International reputed NGO's in different countries. He has designed and coordinated multiple health emergency responses including health system strengthening projects, vertical HIV/TB projects, and large-scale emergency health projects to diseases outbreaks, mass population movements, heavy metal poisoning and other natural and manmade disasters. Currently, he works for IOM South Sudan at a capacity of program coordinator for the Migration Health Unit. In his last three years with IOM South Sudan, he organized more than 18 health rapid response team deployments per year and expanded the emergency primary health care support to IDPs and conflict affected host communities in South Sudan. He is also known for his quick design and deployment of the Migration health unit team to set up point of entry screening points when South Sudan was put at risk of EVD and COVID importation from the affected neighbouring countries.



Adebabai Teshome



Bukuluki Paul

Bukuluki Paul, is an Associate Professor at Makerere University, Department of Social Work and Social Administration. He is a social worker and medical anthropologist with more than 15 years of experience in implementation research in the fields of gender, social norms, sexual, reproductive health and rights, violence against women and girls, child protection and social protection in development and humanitarian settings particularly in Africa. He is coordinating efforts to establish the Centre for Migration Governance and Health at the School of Social Sciences, Makerere University.

Kalyango Ronald Sebba, he is a lecturer in the School of Women and Gender Studies and the Department of Social Work and Social Administration, Makerere University, Uganda. He teaches courses on women in Conflict and post conflict situations; forced migration; refugee livelihoods and household economy; Migration Health, Gender Based Violence, and co teaches Refugee Law. Currently he is a co-coordinator on a Certificate course- Migration Health run by the Department of Social Work and Social Administration. He has coordinated two collaborative programs between Makerere University and the University of Oldenburg, Germany that is Implementing Migration Studies (IMMIS) and European Masters in Migration and Inter Cultural Relations (EMMIR). He also served as Senior Education and Training Officer for the Refugee Law Project in Kampala between 2000-2002 where he established a training program on Human Rights and Refugee Law. He has worked as a national consultant for several organisations such as the Research and Evidence Facility (REF) School of Oriental and African Studies, UK; Uganda Bureau of Statistics, FAO, UNFPA, WHO, American Refugee Committee, Regional Centre for Quality of Health Care and Fredrich Ebert Foundation among others.



Kalyango Ronald Sebba



Kutalek Ruth

Kutalek Ruth, is a Medical Anthropologist and Associate Professor at the Department of Social- and Preventive Medicine, Center for Public Health, Medical University of Vienna. Her research currently focuses on anthropological perspectives of infectious diseases, especially community perspectives on Ebola, Lassa fever, and measles, including the involvement of health workers in epidemics. She has also done work on vaccine hesitancy, migration of health workers and access to health care for migrants; as well as environment, health and vulnerabilities; medical ethics and ethnopharmacology. She has conducted research in several countries in West and East Africa and supported the WHO in missions in Liberia and Sierra Leone (Ebola) and in Nigeria (Lassa fever). Dr. Kutalek is also engaged in the development of curricula in various settings, specifically in introducing aspects of diversity, culture & health in the curriculum for undergraduate medical studies. Dr. Kutalek is principal investigator of the EU funded SoNAR-Global (meduniwien.ac.at/ sonar), a project which mobilizes social sciences against infectious threats.

Lucchini Chiara, Regional Coordinator (DTM), IOM Regional Office for East and Horn of Africa. Chiara Lucchini Gilera is IOM's Regional Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM) coordinator for the East and Horn of Africa. Based in Nairobi, she oversees the DTM portfolio in South Sudan, Ethiopia, Somalia, Djibouti, Uganda and Burundi working within the IOM Regional Data Hub. A graduate of Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS), Chiara has worked on emergency and transition programming in Haiti, Central African Republic, Senegal and Myanmar as well as on satellite navigation systems for the European Commission in Brussels.



Lucchini Chiara



Martini Michela

Martini Michela, She started her post-graduated career as scientist, PhD fellow, in USA as principal investigator of researches in the field of anticancer and HIV. Leaving her career as scientist, she worked in a community-based organization focusing on vulnerable groups (displaced, sex workers, LGBT, people living with HIV, young people in post-conflict areas). Through a collaboration which lasted 3 years with the Italian Institute of Public Health she moved to public health which progressively has become her major interested. She entered in the UN system in 2000 working progressively as programme manager, regional coordinator and senior adviser to Member States. She has been assigned to Southern Eastern Europe, Middle East and Africa and worked for the regional offices of IOM, ILO and WHO. During her career she had developed consolidated skills in migration health diplomacy, advocacy for policy changes and highlevel technical leadership to member states in addition to health emergency response. Authors of publications and contributions to high-level international events.

Mayega Roy William, the Deputy Chief of Party of the Resilient Africa Network. He is also a Lecturer. in the Department of Epidemiology at Makerere University School of Public Health, and Program Coordinator for the Strengthening Leadership for Disaster Resilience Program (SLDRP). He holds a Bachelor's Degree in Medicine and Surgery and a Master's Degree in Public Health from Makerere University. He holds a PhD in Medical Science from Karolinska Institute, Sweden. As Deputy Chief of Party, he is head of programs and operations at RAN (a network of 20 universities in Africa, led by Makerere University). He is a facilitator for the Public Health in Complex Emergencies short course at Makerere and is also the Program Director for the Master's Degree in Health Informatics. He has over 20 years of experience in Public Health related work, including 7 years of work at primary care levels.



Mayega Roy William



Mosca Davide T.

Mosca Davide T., He is a medical doctor with more than thirty-five years' experience in global health, humanitarian response, emergencies, and migrant health. A former Director of Migration Health at the International Organization for Migration (IOM) - the UN Migration Agency – he has worked 24 years in Africa and the Middle East first as a surgeon and emergency specialist, shifting later to public health. Dr. Mosca was one of the Commissioners of The UCL-Lancet Commission on Migration and Health, he is a Consultant to WHO, and has founded the advocacy network Realizing Health SDGs for Migrants, Displaced and Communities. Prof. Mosca is contract professor with various Universities, an Honorary Associate Professor at the UCL Institute of Global Health, and an affiliate with the Center for Humanitarian Health, John Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health.

Mugisha James, Kyambogo University, Kampala Uganda/Butabika National Referral and Teaching Hospital. He holds a PhD in mental health (Suicidology). He serves as a Senior Lecturer and Mental Health Systems Research and Development Specialist. He has written extensively on culture and mental health and health systems development in low-income settings. He has undertaken novel research projects aimed at increasing access to mental health care in low- income settings including conflict-stricken areas.



Mugisha James



Mwenyango Hadijah

Mwenyango Hadijah, She is an Assistant Lecturer in Social Work and Social Administration (SWSA) Makerere University, Uganda. She has previously offered leadership in the coordination of the Undergraduate SWSA Programme. She is a member of the Global Refugee Health Research Network (GRHRN) based at the University of Edinburgh UK and an Associate Member at the Centre for Health and Social Economic Improvement (CHASE-i's) Uganda. She also chairs the Ugandan Board of Directors for the Children of Ssuubi (NGO). Her teaching and research experience from Uganda and abroad includes Social Work, Forced Migration and Refugees, Health and Human Rights.

Novak-Zezula Sonja, Ph.D in Sociology, Mag.rer. soc.oec. in Sociology and Communication Sciences, is Managing Director of the Center for Health and Migration (www.c-hm.com) and Executive Partner of Trummer & Novak-Zezula OG. Her research focus is on health and migration with a special focus on vulnerable migrant groups and quality development of health services and public health systems. She has a long-standing experience as project manager responsible for operative realization and implementation in transnational and national projects. Sonja is coordinating the "Migration Governance and Health in Uganda and Austria" project and acts as co-course coordinator of the Online Course "Health and Migration". She lectures at various universities and universities for applied studies as well as in vocational training organisations and also works as a mediator in organizational settings and with intercultural teams.



Novak-Zezula Sonja



Nwoha Livinus

Nwoha Livinus. Dr. Nwoha is the founder and Managing Director of Ikemba (since 2007) an NGO., based in Graz, Austria. Ikemba is a communitybased organization with the focus on integration of migrants and to promote a peaceful existence among different groups in the Austrian society. Our methods are built on Empowerment (as help for self-help) and OUTREACH (low threshold) approaches for marginalized children, women and men with migration backgrounds and other vulnerable groups in the society. Our services are divided into five major categories: Promotion of health competences, special support for children and families on social issues, capacity building in education, culture and languages. Development cooperation projects with youth organizations and communities in south-east Nigeria to prevent illegal migration and human trafficking to Europe through awareness-raising, capacity building and infrastructure.

Pace Paola, With the UN Organization for Migration (IOM) for over 15 years, she is currently the Deputy Chief of Mission of IOM Tunisia and the manager of regional projects. Paola has previous experience with the UN International Law Commission, two law firms plus an NGO. Based in Africa and Europe, Paola has provided technical assistance to governments and organizations on four continents. She has also supported globally lawyers to litigate immigration cases on the right to health of migrants. Paola is the author of several publications about migration, health and human rights, and on media and migration. She earned degrees in Law from the University of Padua, Italy, which was established in 1222, and in Public Health from the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine in the UK. She is a Member of the International Institute of Humanitarian Law in Sanremo, Italy, and she has applied for a PHD.



Pace Paola



Trummer Ursula

Trummer Ursula, Ph.D Sociology, MSc Organisational Development and Counselling, Mag.rer.soc.oec. Political Science, is Head of the Center for Health and Migration and Executive Partner of Trummer & Novak-Zezula OG. Her research focus is on the interfaces of Public Health and Health Promotion. Migration, and socio-economic determinants of health. She has built up her expertise in developing and conducting interdisciplinary projects on health, migration, and social inclusion over more than 20 years. She lectures at different Austrian universities and acts as independent expert to the European Commission, DG SANTE and DG Research, as well as to the Innovation and Networks Executive Agency (INEA). She is active member of the European Public Health Association (eupha) and the Global Migration Health and Development Research Initiative (MHADRI).

Vearey Jo, African Centre for Migration & Society, Wits University, Johannesburg. She is an Associate Professor and Director. She has a background in public health and her interdisciplinary research focuses on the intersections between migration and health. She coordinates the Migration and Health Project Southern Africa (MaHP). Jo also directs the African Research Universities Alliance (ARUA) Centre of Excellence in Migration and Mobility – hosted by the ACMS - and is Vice-Chair of the global Migration, Health, and Development Research Initiative (MHADRI). With a commitment to social justice, Jo's research explores ways to generate and communicate knowledge to improve responses to migration, health and wellbeing in the southern African region. Fundamental to her research practice is participation in policy processes at international and local levels.



Vearey Jo



Wickramage Kolitha (Kol)

Wickramage Kolitha (Kol), Dr., IOM's Global Health Research and Epidemiology, Head. The unit responsible for providing technical guidance on advancing research and evidence generation across IOM's three health programmatic areas: health assessments of migrants and refugees (medical examinations and pre-migration health interventions); health assistance for crisis-affected populations; and technical cooperation on migration health with Governments, UN, academic partners. Kol' scholarship has focussed mainly on exploring research questions/themes at the nexus of human mobility and health in low-to-middle income country context LMICS, and have highlighted the need to meaningfully engage policy makers, researchers and migrants in driving evidence informed health policy and programs at national/sub-national levels (klick here to see the book).

Zenner Dominik, the Queen Mary University of London. He is a Senior Clinical Lecturer in Infectious Disease Epidemiology. He has a background in migration health and is also a General Practitioner in East London. Before coming to QMUL, he worked as Senior Migration Health Advisor for the Regional Office for the EEA, the EU and NATO of the International Organization for Migration, where he was responsible for the development, co-ordination, and supervision of migration health program activities, strategies and priority setting in the EU and EEA area in coordination with national, regional and international partners, agencies and organisations. He also worked as consultant epidemiologist and head of TB screening in the national TB section in Public Health England, UK. His work has informed national and international policy, including ECDC and WHO guidelines.



Zenner Dominik

3 Participants Profiles

Abu Baker Omar Ibrahim Adam, PGD Student at the Department of Sociology and social Anthropology. University of Khartoum Associate social worker. He volunteered with national and international organizations in the field of child protection and psychological support for missing care children.



Abu Baker Omar Ibrahim Adam



Acadribo Geoffrey

Acadribo Geoffrey, Public Health worker; Public Health Officer. Focus of work: To build excellent public relations, actively network, develop and manage relationships with stakeholders, participate in district level advocacy and share professional experience locally and nationally while developing skills for public health promotion.

Acidri Joel, Refugee Law Project, Kiryandongo field office. Counselling Assistant. Focus of work: Provide counselling and psychosocial support to clients including direct administration of specialized therapy; provide direct psychosocial support during detention monitoring; consult with other therapies and related professional and paraprofessional staff; work with various refugee groups in providing individual, family, couple and group therapy.



Acidri Joel



Aculokin Joseph Emmanuel

Aculokin Joseph Emmanuel, Church of Uganda Kisiizi hospital, medical officer. Focus of work: Health care provision, health education and caring for the needy.

Aijuka Carolyne, Norwegian Refugee Council-NRC (Isingiro Field Office-Nakivale settlement). Child Protection and Safe Guarding Coordinator. She serves as Human Rights advocate, Community Based Protection and Gender advocate in Child protection; SGBV response and prevention, Complaint and Feedback management, protection mainstreaming as well as Gender and Disability Inclusion. She is looking forward to doing more work in capacity building for Institutional strengthening, Economic empowerment for both refugee settlements and Local Government settings.



Aijuka Carolyne



Among Gladys Marion

Among Gladys Marion, Soroti Regional Referral Hospital; Intern's President. She is a General Practitioner, currently working with The AIDs Support Organization which focuses on contributing to the process of preventing HIV infection, restoring hope and improving the quality of life of persons, families and communities affected by HIV. She works as a project coordinator and community outreach facilitator. She also works to counsel and provides medical care to the HIV patients.

Avola Peace Christine, African Centre for Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture Victims (ACTV). Social work coordinator. She is poised to contribute to the promotion and protection of Human Rights and psychosocial well-being. Through her work, she has promoted the act of "giving back" among survivors of torture through peer support work, group work and livelihoods programs. Her focus now is on mental health and psychosocial support to survivors of torture and other violence among the refugee communities and the host (Nationals).



Avola Peace Christine



Ayebare Christine

Ayebare Christine, Uganda Project Managers. Environment Assistant. She works in the settlement of Nakivale as an environmental focal person. Her job entails meeting refugees on daily basis advocating for environmental health and protection. Some of the ways of protecting the environment include tree planting, wetland demarcations, giving support to nursery bed attendants, compiling reports on environmental degradation

Bagabo Alex, Applied Research Bureau Ltd, Kampala, Uganda. He is a Research Officer. His focus of work is academic, program management, research, monitoring and evaluation of development and humanitarian programs especially in the areas of social protection, sexual and reproductive health, maternal and child health, gender/Gender Based Violence, child protection/Violence against Children, governance, oil and gas, migration health, peace building and reconciliation.



Bagabo Alex



Baker Isabirye

Baker Isabirye, African Center for Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture Victims (ACTV). She serves as a Counselling Psychologist. She defines herself as a human rights defender for the vulnerable groups especially children, women, men, positive living persons and those with disabilities. Bwiite Lydia, Social Protection and Accountability, Platform for Labour Action. Manager Rights. She is a Human Rights Developmental lawyer. She is a member of the National Task Force on Trafficking in Person: Coalition Against Trafficking in Person in Uganda; member of the National Coordination Committee which is part of National Institutional Frame work for Alliance 8.7 in Uganda. Her focus of work is on managing, designing, coordinating, and overseeing the implementation of programmes including a programme on promoting safe and productive labour migration for women and youths in Uganda.



Bwiite Lydia



Chibikwa Iddy Safari

Chibikwa Iddy Safari, Urban Refugees, Kampala, Uganda. He serves as a Program Officer Information sharing. His major duties are as follows: Provision of direct aid to community; participation in data collection and compilation from beneficiary surveys about COVID-19 information; initiation the design and implementation of digital communication strategy (Social media); support Project Translator in information, initiate the design and implementation of digital communication strategy; provision of program updates on a consistent basis to UR about strategy, adjustments, and progress.

Daramoi Oketta Emmanuel, International Rescue Committee, Department of Health and Women's Protection and Empowerment (GBV)-South West. He is WPE Prevention Officer. His area of work focuses on Community health services most especially in Mental Health and Psychosocial Support, Health and Gender Based Violence prevention and Response approaches to community and survivors, respectively.



Daramoi Oketta Emmanuel



Egwalu Robert

Egwalu Robert, Refugee Law Project which is an outreach project of School of Law Makerere University, Uganda. He is an Education Coordinator. He also serves as part-time Lecturer with the College of Education at Makerere University. Focus of work: to empower forced migrants with knowledge and skills so that they demand and advocate for their rights in a country of asylum. Programs like English for adults are meant to build their capacities in English speaking skills so that they can speak for themselves without fear at any forum.

Eyul Patrick, Infectious Diseases Research Collaboration (IDRC). He serves as a Consultant with the IDRC on the Centre for Aids Research (CFAR) study exploring HIV care of highly mobile HIV-positive youth living in Kenya and Uganda. His expertise in research crosses the disciplines of HIV, population studies, immunization, maternal and child health, community health workers program, sociology and healthcare governance.



Eyul Patrick



Fisher Jjuuko John

Fisher Jjuuko John, Refugee Law Project. Project Assistant. Refugee Law Project is a community outreach project of School of Law - Makerere University. As an organization, we are a center for justice that offers a range of free service to empower refugees, deportees, asylum seekers and internally displaced persons (IDPs) regardless of the diversity under the 5 thematic programs. In the Dutch funded project, we do offer medical rehabilitation for persons with War-related harms through a methodology called Screening- Refer-Support-Document (SRSD) in the 3 Refugee Settlements of Kiryandongo, Adjumani and Lamwo plus the IDPs.

Garang James Gai, Refugee Law Project Under the School of Law, Makerere University, Adjumani Field Office. English for Adult Facilitator. Focus of work: to empower refugees and host communities to know how to read and write and express themselves with confidence, provides medical rehabilitation, legal advice, aides, counselling and guidance to the refugees and host communities.



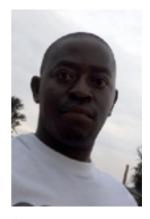
Garang James Gai



Gathkuath Peter Chuol

Gathkuath Peter Chuol, Refugee Law Project. He works as community interpreter/peer counselor /paralegal under a Program call Gender and sexuality aiming to address war related Harms to Refugees from South Sudan with support from the kingdom of the Netherlands.

Griven Barongo, Refugee Law Project. He is a community English for Adult Facilitator. The position involves facilitating English as second language to adult refugees in Nakivale Refugee Settlement located in Isingiro district. The aim of this is empower refugees to speak for themselves in situation threatening their life since English is an official language in Uganda. Alternatively, he involved in community mobilization and sensitization about human rights (Refugee Right) as well as psycho-education.



Griven Barongo



Hersi Ahmed Ali

Hersi Ahmed Ali, he is coping with disability and serves as a Director of Somali Disabilities and Human Right, in Uganda. His focus of work is on health and human rights of migrants.

Ibrahim Adam Yusuf, Mount Kenya University. He is a student of Master of Public Health. Work experience: worked with Hadaf Collage of Health Sceince and Technology as a Lecturer.



Ibrahim Adam Yusuf



Kababboopi Lilian

Kababboopi Lilian, African Women and Youth Action for Development (AWYAD). She is a Gender and Protection officer. Focus of work: AWYAD is an indigenous NGO that is operating in Kyaka Il refugee settlement where I am implementing the General Food Assistance project (GFA) that focuses on gender and protection, nutrition, energy and environment. The GFA project provides food/ cash assistance to people of concern every month therefore gender and protection interventions were integrated and mainstreamed on GFA to ensure all people are served without any form of discrimination and not subjected to any harm as they realize their dignity and rights. Some components under GFA include awareness rising, male engagements, dialogues etc.

Karugonjo Douglas Ronald Nguuza, United Nations World Food Programme, Ethiopia. He is a Programme Policy Consultant. His work experience in the fields of Quality Management, Health, Food Security, Nutrition, and Service delivery in both Private and Governmental organizations.



Karugonjo Douglas Ronald Nguuza



Katumba James

Katumba James, Ojambo & Ojambo Advocates, a law firm in Uganda. He is a Legal Associate. He also works part time as a researcher and policy maker with Uganda Law Reform Commission.

Kigoye Alex, African Centre for Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture Victims (ACTV). He is a graduate Nurse and Program Manager at ACTV. His focus of work is provision of rehabilitation services to survivors of torture and other forms of violence, and advocating for prevention of torture and improved rehabilitation services for survivors.



Kigoye Alex



Kisakye Jackline

Kisakye Jackline, Cornerstone Development Africa and Shine Reusable Pads. Project manager, Youth Corps Learning Center; founder and production manager shine reusable pads. Focus of work: At Youth Corps Learning Center she manages the day-to-day activities of a vocational training institute with a uniqueness in character development, servant leadership and mentoring while at shine reusable pads we focus on proper menstrual hygiene of young vulnerable women in Nakasongola district while producing and giving them reusable sanitary towels.

Kisaakye Peter, 1) Research Unit, Agincourt, University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa [research fellow]; 2) Public Policy Institute, Kampala, Uganda [a senior lecturer]; 3) School of Statistics, Makerere University [assistant lecturer]; 4) Department of Population Studies at Makerere University [a lecturer]. He currently works on developing an integrated framework for addressing population, health and environment for Uganda's refugee and host communities (Makerere University).



Kisaakye Peter



Lobolia Gerald Tikol

Lobolia Gerald Tikol, is a MCHN Manager at MercyCorps-Uganda and MPH student at Makerere School of Public Health. He's a Public Health Practitioner with over 8 years of management and technical experience in Public Service and International Development. He has been fully engaged in organizing and managing two complex programs on Food Security and Nutrition in Karamoja. His specialization includes Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn, Child health and Nutrition, and has demonstrated expertise in managing community health and nutrition programmes, providing clear guidance and leadership to teams ensuring that project goals and deliverables are fully met.

Mrase Wilbard Abraham, Berega Institute of Health Sciences own by Diocese of Morogoro, Anglican Church of Tanzania. Focus of work: he is a head of health training institute that train nurses, midwives, clinicians and pharmaceutical technicians at ordinary diploma level.



Mrase Wilbard Abraham



Mucunguzi Jackson

Mucunguzi Jackson, He is a superintendent of police. He is a senior police officer deployed in training Directorate aiming at adding value to competences of all police officers. Focus of work is in curriculum and force doctrine development. He believes in diversity of knowledge if we are to solve contemporary issues that affect the security of life and property in the 21st century.

Mukwaya Grace, Platform for Labour Action (PLA). An Executive Director. Platform for labour action is a national civil society organization founded in 2000 to advocate for the promotion and protection of the rights of vulnerable and marginalized workers in Uganda. It is a fully licensed legal aid service provided by the Law Council. PLA operates in three regions of Uganda namely; central, Eastern- and Northern Regions. PLA targets exploited children and those at risk of exploitation, women and youth in the informal sector, low-income earners and poor persons.



Mukwaya Grace



Nalweyiso Clare

Nalweyiso Clare, Welthungerhilfe. She is an independent international consultant. Focus of work: Prevention, detection and management of acute malnutrition among women and children in emergency settings (refugee and IDP camps and migratory communities); Promotion of recommended infant and young child feeding practices in emergency settings; Conducting operational research (mainly community surveys) aimed at assessing health and nutrition program indicators; Developing Social Behavior Change and Communication (SBCC) materials aimed at facilitating the adoption of recommended maternal child health and nutrition practices; Community mobilisation and sensitisation on the uptake of essential health services such as vaccination, ante and post-natal care, family planning among others.

Nammanda Mary Jackline, Africa Medical and Behavioral Sciences Organization (AMBSO). Study Supervisor. Focus of work: Social work and Quality control assurance in Research. She is a professional social worker and a counselor in mental health and psycho-socio health related challenges which field she has occupied for the past 2 years. Recently, she has revolved into Behavioral research as a quality assurance officer and programmer. Jackline wishes to use the Health and Migration training to continue striving for her dream as a professional Public health specialist responding to health-related migration and emigrational challenges across the region and the whole continent.



Nammanda Mary Jackline



Ngogo Henry

Ngogo Henry, CCBRT disability hospital. He is an optometrist. Focus of work: refracting patients and prescribing glasses, performing different eye examination procedures and helping ophthalmologists in management of pre- and post-operative patients.

Nowamukama Miria, Makerere University, School of Public Health. She is a Research Ethics Administrator. Work focus mainly on human rights and protection vulnerable populations such as children, pregnant women, refugees, prisoners, people with disabilities etc from any form of exploitation. Ensuring social justice in health care system and ethical conduct of public health research and surveillance. The research ethics committee particularly aims at ensuring and maintaining ethical standards of practice in research to preserve research participants' rights and welfare. This guarantees maximum protection of communities through ensuring equity & equality.



Nowamukama Miria



Obwor Atum Pius

Obwor Atum Pius, AMA Foundation Operations in Uganda, volunteer Programme Manager-Health. Having joined the United Nations System as a consultant in August 2014, where he served as Programme Assistant-Health for the Partnerships on Health and Mobility for East and Southern Africa Programme (PHAMESA), at UN Migration Agency. Prior to joining the United Nations, he served as Prevention Specialist with Northern Uganda Malaria and Tuberculosis Programme (NUMAT) and Programme/Capacity Building Manager of Lango Samaritan Initiative Organization in Uganda. He also worked with Joint Clinical Research Center, Children of the Nations International and Marie-Stopes International Uganda in various capacities in Programme Development & Implementation, Grant Making and Resource Mobilizations, Managing Organizational Growth and change.

Odokonyero Joel Innocent, Refugee Law Project, Makerere University School of Law. He serves as a Senior Research and Advocacy Officer. He supports coordination of planning and implementation of Supporting Justice through Formal, Informal & Transitional Mechanisms (SJTM) project activities and project reporting. He engages a lot in advocacy with vulnerable categories; children, women and youths as well as forced migrants in our different programmes areas.



Odokonyero Joel Innocent



Odong Oyella Lena

Odong Oyella Lena, Alight. She is a Community Psychologist and her current Position is Psychosocial Counselor. Her focus is to support the vulnerable individuals and community to realize their full potentials without interruptions from environmental challenges, social crisis and distresses through individual counseling, group therapy, health education, psychosocial support and empowering them to embrace self-reliance and independence.

Okettayot Alfred, African Centre for Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture Victims (ACTV). He currently serves as a Program Manager. His key responsibility is to contribute effectively to the strategic direction of the organisation through participation in strategy planning meetings and developing strategic documents and play oversight logistics, administration, human resources and finances and develop the capacities of staff and other stakeholders which are directly involve with the implementation of the programs.



Okettayot Alfred



Omony Benjamin

Omony Benjamin, Community Development Worker, Social Worker. Focus of work: To gear all my attention at enhancing my capacity to work with the migrant communities such as the refugees; grasp a broader understanding of their human rights, health, social protection and gender issues in local, regional and global context.

Opoka Aleng Joan, Refugee Law Project. She is Counselling Assistant. Focus of work: Mental health and psychosocial support. She is a Community Psychologist with strong background and practical experience in Community Rehabilitation. She also works as a counsellor with specific interest in child and youth participation. During my time in service, I have worked with different categories of people ranging from survivors of sexual violence and abuse to people with mental health concerns derived from domestic conflicts and political insurgencies both within Uganda and in the Refugee settlements and this has helped the clients to regain hope and functionality, create a sense of identity, boost resilience and create a social peaceful co-existence between the perpetrators and the survivors in the communities.



Opoka Aleng Joan



Oyella Dorine

Oyella Dorine, Refugee Law Project in Kampala, Sexual Gender Based Violence and Persecution (SGBV/P) Assistant. Area of work is provision of psychosocial support, counselling, referrals and advice on sexual and gender related cases to refugee survivors and victims of conflict related sexual violence and torture. This involves identifying and profiling of SGBV/P victims and survivors for inclusive medical and psychosocial support.

Siliver Maniraguha, Uganda Red Cross Society, Bundibugyo Branch. He is interim Surveillance officer – Corona Virus (COVID 19). Focus of work: responding to community calls reporting suspected persons; making an assessment and referrals to treatment for reported COVID 19 suspects; sensitizing the community members on the causes, symptoms and prevention for COVID 19 and the risk it presents; and other related activities. He also volunteered in Ebola Risk communication and social mobilization project.



Siliver Maniraguha



Tembo Rachael

Tembo Rachael, International Organisation for Migration. She is a monitoring and evaluation Officer. Focus of work: Monitoring and evaluating a regional SRHR - HIV project implemented in 6 countries, in the Southern African Region. The project aims to improve the SRHR-HIV outcomes of young people, including migrants and sex workers. The position entails leading on M&E aspects from inception phase to project closeout.

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Thowaiba Elsadig Mohamed Ali



Tino Opio Jennifer

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Yowela Joseph Mwamba