

Basic information

Project Title	Sexual Reproductive Health Project for Risky and Vulnerable Youth
Implementing Organisation	Trinity Project
Proposed Project Location	Bubi (ward 15 & 22) and Umguza (ward 3 & 5)
Participants, Beneficiaries, Stakeholders	Young Women, Mentors
Total grant Requested	\$500-00
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INTRODUCTION

The project seeks to contribute to the reduction of SRH challenges which are facing young girls and boys in Zimbabwe through directly engaging the Christian churches and other local leaders. According to information gathered in the baseline survey by National Reproductive Health Behaviour Change Communication Strategy (NRHBCCS 2017), adolescent women and men growing up in Zimbabwe face SRH challenges that range from early sexual debuts, abuse, limited access to SRH services (Youth Friendly Corners), teenage pregnancies and high prevalence of HIV, STIs and AIDS. Studies has proven that SRH challenges have been on the increase in Zimbabwe because adolescence possess little to no information on policies and services that supports their SRH. Compounding the situation is the limited psychosocial care and support to the young & sexually abused and young people in difficult circumstances as well as the lack of comprehensive knowledge on SRHR among young people leading to poor peer to peer advice which sustains the situation It is from this background that the organisation seeks to empower young people to make responsible decisions about their SRH, and be supported appropriately by their communities' structures which include the churches and other local authorities. The project is funded by CEDAR and it has a total budget of \$10 000 for the entire year.

GOAL OF THE PROJECT

To contribute to the improvement of wellbeing of adolescents through accessing adequate SRH information and services.

PROGRAMME OUTCOME

To develop young women and young men by making them vibrant, confident and self-assured with the ability to add value to their communities and society

AREA OF IMPLEMENTATION

Matabeleland North (Bubi district ward 15& 22) & Bulawayo Province (Mzilikazi district.)

BREAKDOWN OF THE \$500.00

From the \$500.00 that will be given to the organisation, \$184.00 will purchase sanitary wear for 75 girls in Bubi district who are members of the Girls clubs . Other members from Bulawayo district will benefit from the CEDAR project. One sanitary wear cost \$0.99 in the local supermarkets hence a total of \$190. 00 will go a long way. (*Greens supermarket quotation*)

\$216 will go towards the training of the 18 Mentors drawn from Bubi and Bulawayo districts on Sexual and Reproductive Health issues who will be capacitated to be guiding and assisting girls to make informed decisions, help them grow and point them to the right direction and walk with them in making informed decisions on SRH issues. A standardised manual will be used to train the Mentors on SRH issues and then they will form clubs in their respective areas. (*Sista 2Sista manual.*) The organisation proposes that you assist with funds so that the training can be five days instead of four. Funds needed for a single day amounts to \$216.00 (refreshments \$126, Venue Hire \$20, bus fares for participants \$30, Allowances for 2 trainers \$40) hence the organisation request for \$216.00 to cater for a full day training.

\$100 will be given to two girls who are double orphans and not going to school and are in custody of great grandparents aged 76 and 80years. The money will be used to purchase school uniforms and books. The girls are based in Bulawayo.

SUMMARY OF THE BREAKDOWN

Item	Unit price	Quantity	Total (USD)
Sanitary pads	0.99	185	184
Refreshments	7 per person	18 (people)	126
Venue	20	1 day	20
Allowances	20	2 trainers	40
Bus fare	2	15 people	30
Uniform and books	50	2 people	100
Total			500

