

SMILE WOMEN & CHILDREN FOUNDATION

charity agency



about us

MISSION

To facilitate enabling environment for the most vulnerable women and children to get easy access to social and legal justice

VISION

Seeing a better society where the vulnerable person access their basic human needs at ease and contribute their quota to development agender

LEGAL ENTITY

Duly registered with Corporate Affairs Commission (CAC) Abuja with CAC/IT No 58881

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Transforms adversity into hope,
providing shelter, education, and
empowerment to vulnerable families.

**Every woman and child deserves to
smile**

BACKGROUND

Smile Women and Children Foundation is a Nigerian incorporated Not For Profit (NGO) or charity organization with main offices in Abuja. Smile Women and Children Foundation was incorporated on January 10, 2013 with Corporate Affairs Commission number CAC/IT/NO-58881. Among the founding trustees are Awa Majad Al-Karim, Mrs. Zuwaira Doreen Osazuwa Yusuf and Chief Nkem Obiakor.



Aims and Objectives

- To cater to women who have lost their loved ones
- To cater to members who are separated from their husbands, children and loved ones
- To unite members who are separated from their family back to their original happy homes
- To cater to members who are less privileged.

Observations

Is the organization an "Association" or a "Foundation"? The incorporated name is Smile Women and Children Foundation but then the organization is referred to as an association throughout the constitution. An association is an organization "grouping people" with a common purpose while a charitable foundation is an organization funded by donations and is NOT a grouping of people with common purpose.

The Aims and Objectives of Smile Women and Children Foundation suggest it as an association as prime beneficiaries of its outreach are its "members". A foundation on the other hand, because of tax purposes or conflict of interest issues in most jurisdictions, cannot cater to members as purpose of its existence. With the exception of Objective 1 in the constitution that could be a foundation objective, the other 3 objectives (#2 to 4) are membership based and cannot pass the conflict of interest test for a foundation in most places.



THE JOURNEY SO FAR

Part of what the organization has done

These includes but not limited to:

- Supervision of activities of access to the basic health care service to rural communities in Nasarawa state and part of FCT, the breast cancer awareness screened 480 woman, 25 were positive in Auchi, Edo state. This was carried out by the volunteers of the organization as pictorial evidence attached.
- Distributing educational materials at IDP camp, Durumi, Abuja in conjunction with Buharian culture, pictures attached.
- Feeding of the needier at Durumi and Kabusa communities in Abuja environs.

The ongoing activities in Jigawa state include:

- A baby boy was found in the bush in Gujugu market wrapped in colanut paper on August 14, 2016. Presently, the boy is under the care of our coordinator in Jigawa plus three all in care of our volunteers.
- The first baby boy was found in nearby area of Dutse, Jigawa.
- The second in Bamanina village in Brinin Kudu L.G.A. Jigawa state
- The Third who is now one year living with Mrs. Saratu Iliya Gimba - our state coordinator was found in Gujungu.
- The fourth one Naseer was found in Birnin Kudu behind School of Nursing.

THE WORKS/ ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED



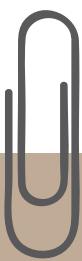
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- Community needs assessment to ascertain the position of women and girls vis-à-vis the human assets and liabilities in a given community.
- Awareness campaign on the child abuse actualization of Act regarding that.
- Social advocacy to the constituted authorities at the three tiers of government i.e Federal, State and Local governments and provide legal service to address some issues of social injustice against women and girl child.

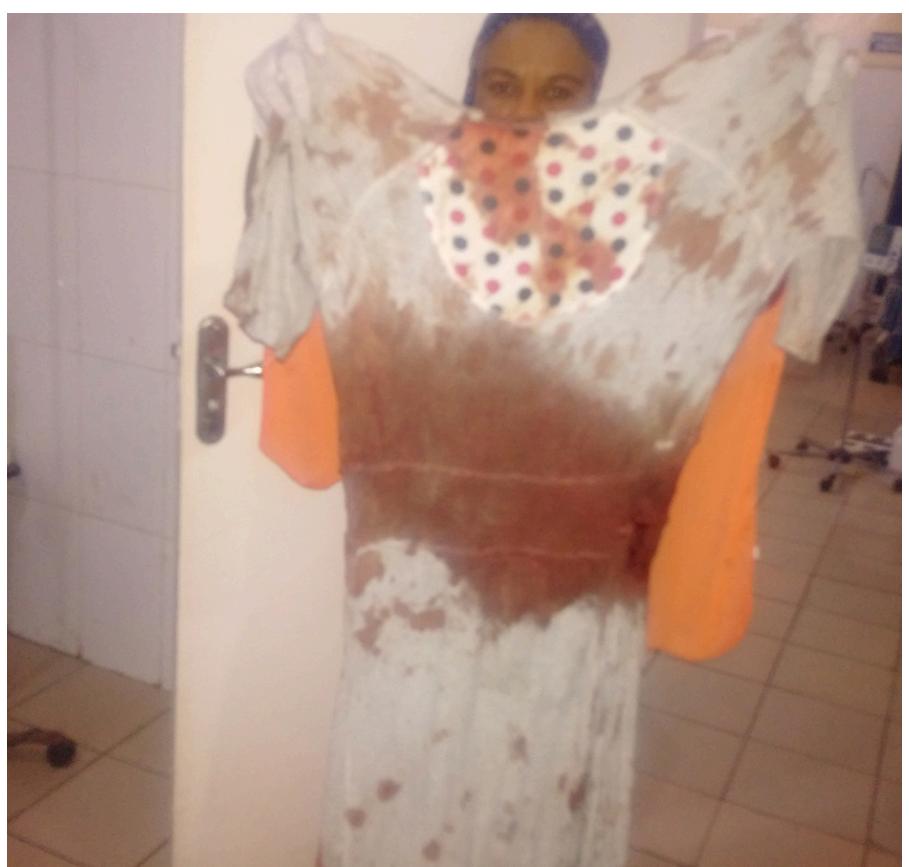
N/B. All these require synergy and collaboration among major stakeholders, formal sector inclusive. It is becoming more imperative to look inward rather than depending on the international development partner's Fund. We are living with the problem, it is our problem. Let us start helping ourselves before we cry out for external assistance.

Afterall, there are provisions for some of these developmental issues, especially community development, and social well being of VOC (i.e Orphan and Vulnerable Children). We are ever ready, willing and able to compliment the ongoing effort of the formal sectors. However, there is every need to fund few activities and achieve more using the available volunteers at our disposal. Later we can us that as our justification for funding support from our IDPs (international Development Partners).

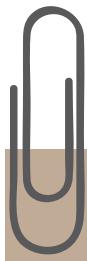
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1. Case of a house help who was abused by her mistress



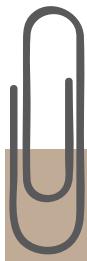
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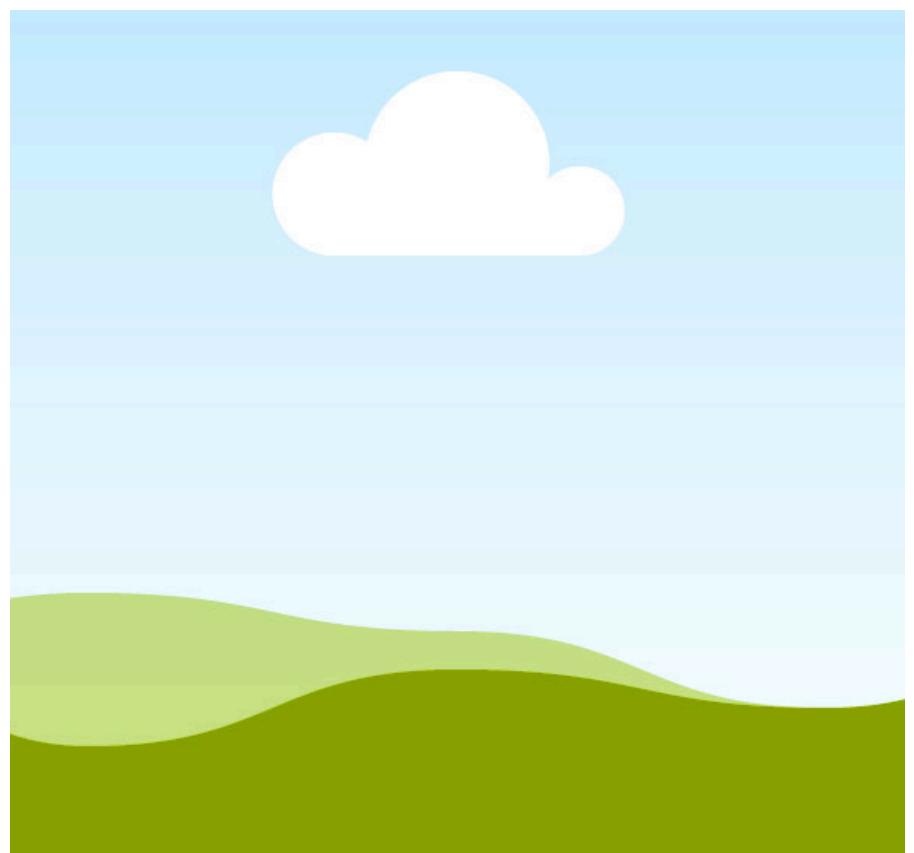
2. Case of a lady
who was attacked
with Acid by her
boyfriend



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3. Case of a girl whose buttocks was burnt on stove by her madam



SWAC Supervied the provision of health care services to rural communities in nasarawa satate





Catered meals for homeless people.

* OPEN * DONATION

We open donations for homeless people out there.
We need support to build a centre.

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