

Name of Activity: Intergenerational Dialogue to understand issues of girls in sports.			
Date: May 26, 2017		Location: Kyadondo Rugby Club - Lugogo	
Staff member in-charge: Edwin Muramuzi		Total Number of participants: 63 People (2 male, 61Female) including 62 (2M, 60F) new participants	
Introduction: The intergenerational dialogue to understand issues affecting girls in sports (rugby) so that appropriate topics would be chosen for subsequent dialogues involving the same girls.			
Key highlights/ Content of activity			
Profile of participants at the time the dialogue started			
		Number of Participants (n=40)	%
School Status	<i>In school</i>	19	48
	<i>Out of school</i>	26	65
Who do you stay with?	<i>Both Parents</i>	10	25
	<i>Alone</i>	10	25
	<i>Spouse</i>	4	10
	<i>Single Parent</i>	13	33
	<i>Relative/Friend</i>	8	20
Age group	<i>16 - 18 years</i>	9	23
	<i>19 - 24 years</i>	22	55
	<i>25 years +</i>	14	35
Occupation	<i>Student</i>	19	48
	<i>Have no job</i>	11	28
	<i>Small business</i>	4	10
	<i>Job</i>	4	10

17 girls (43%) out of the 40 girls that were present at the start of the dialogue were single parents.

Girls discussed their challenges in four groups and the following issues were presented:

- Lack of school fees for those that dropped out of school and would like to go back to school.
- Lack of basic needs including sanitary pads and scholastic materials.
- Inappropriate medical care for STIs and post-abortion period.
- Failure to get family planning commodities and also manage the side-effects of family

planning.

- Addictions to narcotic drugs like marijuana.
- Unemployment
- Getting married or being in relationships due to poverty.
- Inability to take care of own children for the case of child mothers.
- Bursary opportunities that only favor boys.
- Segregation and stigmatization of child/young mothers during sports activities and within communities.
- Limited support from parents for sports.
- Use of demeaning language by coaches.