

Rwenzori Rural Health Services



Mission: To contribute towards raising the living standards of the rural communities by extending health care services near to the people.

Vision: To have every house hold having all the health amenities, acceptable health records and reduced morbidity and mortality rates in the community.

HISTORY

Rwenzori Rural Health Services is a Community Based Organization (CBO) with offices in Kasese municipality and projects in Rukooki Sub County. It started in 2005 and is dedicated to providing health care services to people in the rural areas.

PROGRAMS

- Health Centre establishment: Health Centre and laboratory construction is in Rukooki Sub County. The community in the area provided the land where the Centre is being constructed and the construction up to the roofing level was funded by NASS a Dutch organization
- Construction of rain water harvesting water tanks: This is implemented in Kigoro parish, Rukooki Sub County. Under this program, the organization has constructed rain water harvesting tanks in the community. These tanks were constructed in people's homes and the project was funded by Belgium Development Cooperation. A total of 32 rain harvesting tanks were constructed in 32 homes in this community

CHALLENGES

Lack of funds to complete construction of the health Centre and also to buy drugs to start operation.
High demand for the water tanks in this community by families which did not get and also in the neighboring community.



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