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THE ACTIVITY REPORT OF THE SYMPOSIUM AND MINI-MEDICAL OUTREACH PROGRAM ORGANIZED FOR STUDENTS OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA GIRLS SECONDARY SCHOOL, KADUNA ON THE 25TH NOVEMBER 2023

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 This program was held at Our Lady of Fatima Girls Secondary School, Sabon Tasha, Kaduna as part of reaching out to the community. Dr. Tsavnande having finished from the school in 2007.

1.2 The one-day event started at 11.00am and ended at 3.30pm at the school Assembly Hall.

2.0 THE SYMPOSIUM

2.1 The guest lecturer, Dr. Ojowu Ojobo Yakubu, Senior Registrar with Ahmadu Bello University Teaching Hospital, Zaria, took the students through various careers available in the medical sciences.

2.2 The lecture further dwelled on breast self-examination to detect the onset of breast cancer. Using a power point presentation, she explained the early warning signs and ways to detect early onset of breast cancer. A video clip was played which demonstrated the procedure for the breast self-examination followed with a question and answer session.

3.0 THE MINI-MEDICAL OUTREACH

3.1 The Medical Outreach coordinator, Dr. Taiwo Kamaroudeen Hassan coordinated the mini outreach program.

3.2 The medical team for the outreach comprised of 11 Medical personnel, this included 2 Medical Doctors, 7 Nurses, and 2 Laboratory Science Technologists, their names are detailed below;

Doctors:

- a. Dr. Ojowu Ojobo Yakubu
- b. Dr. Taiwo Kamaroudeen Hassan

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Sir Thaddeus Tsavnande (Chairman), Chief David C. Agera (Secretary), Mrs. Mercy Tsavnande (Member), Mr. Eric Torkuma Tsavnande (Member), Mr. Nelson Sughter Tsavnande (Member), Chief Sebastine Hon. SAN (Member), Barr. Anthony Iroagalachi (Member), Sir Mike Aule (Member), Pastor NsanOjongTiku (Member), Dr. Taiwo, Hassan Kamaroudeen (Member), Engr. Ado Ahmed Garba (Member)

Laboratory Scientists:

- a. Ajala Abdullahi
- b. Gladys Jonathan

Nurses:

- a. Josiah Yakubu
- b. Anne Auta
- c. Bangs Joshua
- d. Martha James
- e. Rosemary Kali
- f. Grace Kpilakaa
- g. Grace Lazarus

3.3 The Chairman Board of Trustees (BOT), Sir Thaddeus Tsavnande in his address, gave a brief background and explained the reasons the Foundation has organized the symposium and the mini medical outreach at the school. He said late Dr Patience Selumun Tsavnade was a student of the school and graduated in 2007. It was to further fulfil the desire of late Dr Tsavnande to give back to her alma mater that the occasion took place. He hoped that the students would benefit from the lecture as well as enhancing their medical wellbeing.

3.4 The Chairman BOT led the Vice Principal of the school and BOT members and staff round all the service stations.

3.5 The team was impressed with the orderly arrangement of the set-up, process and procedure. He on behalf of the management thanked the medical team, staff and students for the good set up and conduct respectively.

3.6 The DJ provided background music to the delight of all. This also kept the students in a good and cheerful mood throughout the program. The musical interlude added colour to the event.

4.0 OUTREACH PROGRAM

4.1 The outreach program was set up with three stations namely; the Vital signs, the Laboratory tests and Doctors' examination and drug administration. The medical team worked hard and complimented each other. There were over 220 people made up of students and staff of the school who benefited from the outreach.

5.0 DRUGS AND EQUIPMENT

The drugs and equipment used for the outreach were purchased with the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty-Seven Thousand, Eight-Hundred and Fifty Naira (N257,850.00) only. The two pharmacy shops where the drugs were purchased also donated some additional drugs to the Foundation for the program. See the details in the appendix attached.

6.0 LOGISTICS

Diesel for Standby Power Supply (20L)	-	N23,000.00
Decoration of Auditorium Hall	-	N10,000.00
Refreshments Food and drinks)	-	N92,000.00
Printing Certificates of Participation	-	N10,000.00
Soft Copies of Photographs	-	N20,000.00
Printing of Flyers	-	N15,000.00
Printing of Banners	-	N15,000.00
Purchase of Duracell batteries	-	N 5,000.00
Public Address System/DJ	-	N20,000.00
Total	-	N210,000.00

7.0 Honorarium

The following honorarium was presented;

The guest lecturer	40,000.00
The medical outreach coordinator	20,000.00
Lab Technologists (2)	30,000.00
Nurses (7)	35,000.00
Total	N125,000.00

8.0 GIFTS TO STUDENTS

Sanitary napkins were presented to the students and staff of the school as a gift for participation. The total cost is Two Hundred and Twenty-Five Thousand Naira (N225,000.00) only.

9.0 UNCONSUMED DRUGS

There was a small quantity of unconsumed drugs, mainly the anti-malaria drugs which were given out to some persons in need.

10.0 SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURE

Purchase of drugs	-	N257,850.00
Logistics	-	N210,000.00
Honorarium	-	N125,000.00
Gifts to Students/Staff	-	N225,000.00
Total	-	N817,850.00

11.0 GLOBAL SUMMARY

Budgeted Amount	-	N688,000.00
Expended Amount	-	N817,850.00
Total amount Advanced	-	N750,000.00
Total Shortfall	-	N 67,850.00

The budget for the program was approved in August 2023, but was eventually implemented in November 2023. Please note that the removal of fuel subsidy and the foreign exchange fluctuation caused inflation in the market making the cost of items to escalate. That explains the price increase and the short fall of Sixty-Seven Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Naira (N67,850.00) only which is to be refunded to the Committee.

12.0 VOTE OF THANKS

The Vice Principal Mrs Elizabeth Stephen Auta gave a vote of thanks on behalf of the Principal, staff and students of the school as the Principal was indisposed. She appreciated the kind gesture of the Dr. Patience Selumun Tsavnande Foundation and said they look forward to a similar event in subsequent years.

13.0 ASSESSMENT

The symposium and mini medical outreach was a success. The Foundation planned to attend to a student population of 250 and staff members. This was achieved, all the students were in attendance including the day students. All the staff members attended the symposium and also received medical attention just like the students.

The students were presented with refreshments and a gift of a sanitary napkin. A former student who was a classmate of late Dr Patience Selumun Tsavnande in person of Doris Bala also gave a testimony of their life as students of Our Lady of Fatima Girls Secondary School between the years 2001 to 2007.

This was a great encouragement to the students.

13.0 Closing

Rev. Tiku Nsan, a member of the Board of Trustees offered the closing prayers at 3.45pm.



Sir Thaddeus Tsavnande KSM
Chairman BOT



Chief D. C. Agera
Executive Secretary.