

Executive Summary

Uchembere Wabwino maternity Clinic offers a range of quality and affordable sexual reproductive health services including maternal and new-born health related services to people surrounding Mzuzu city and beyond. The clinic was opened on 22nd August, 2019; after a successful inspection and eventual accreditation by the Nurses and Midwives' Council of Malawi, Medical council of Malawi, Pharmacy, medicines and poison board. The clinic is responding and actively addressing the greater need for sexual reproductive health related services in Mzuzu city. The problem has been in existence ever since and bringing such services to the community is a big milestone for both the community and the clinic as service providers. Currently we have managed to save a population of 5600 people within our catchment area.

Currently, the business is in a growth stage and so operations are already underway. Basically, patients or clients with sexual reproductive health related issues including maternal and neonatal care visit the clinic to receive treatment and other associated services for betterment of their lives and sometimes we visit them to their homes upon request and we find some clients during community outreach programs. The clinic provides outpatient services, antenatal care, labour and delivery services, postnatal care, post abortal care services, under-five clinic and family planning methods to people in the community.

Mission statement

To provide a safe place for delivery for women; empower young people through sexual reproductive health education and counselling and improve access to information and family planning services

Vision statement

Uchembere Wabwino maternity's envisioned to provide equal access to safe and appropriate sexual reproductive health services to women across Malawi regardless of where they live.

Our purpose

We exist to help reduce the number of women and their new born from dying or injured during child birth

Our Core values

The core values listed below are the guiding principles which UCHE has committed itself to in the process of implementing its strategic plan in particular and delivery of services in general.

Team work

Integrity

Professionalism

Respect

Compassion

Services provided

The clinic provides outpatient services, antenatal care, labour and delivery services, postnatal care services, post abortal care services, HIV Testing and Counselling, STI management, Cervical cancer screening, rapid laboratory diagnostic test, under-five clinic, growth monitoring and immunizations to under 2years old, nutrition assessment to under-five children, covid 19 vaccination, family planning methods, pre conception counselling and sexual reproductive health education to people in the community.

With a growing population and still having a lot of people yet to be reached, it challenges the clinic to come up with a business plan so that it can have a strategic direction and grow into a big and reputable organization.

Customers

Our target population are clients who are currently served by public hospitals but are seeking affordable quality sexual reproductive health services but can equally not afford the high cost of well-established private hospitals.

Target population of females age range 15-49years (single, married or divorced); under-five children 0-5years old.

90% of our clients are females age range 18-35years according to our data source from 2020

Social impact

Health improvement: so far, we have conducted safe deliveries to 80 women and provided immunizations to 4203 under 1-year old infants since inception within our catchment area. Screened 56 women for cervical cancer in our community. Treatment of sexually transmitted infections among youths and distribution of 200 male condoms.

We are giving covid 19 vaccine (AstraZeneca) to people within the community and in our outreach areas so far 250 people have been vaccinated.

Community development: we have created an easy access to quality sexual reproductive health to our community. So far, we have managed to save a population of 5600 with different problems. Providing basic first aid training to nursery school teachers.

Sexual reproductive health education

We have managed to give health education concerning sexual reproductive health to 200 youths within our catchment area age range 15years – 25years and we also interact with them through radio programs.

Employment generation: currently we have managed to employ 14 permanent people and 2 are working under part time.

Current projects running

- Covid 19 vaccination
- Cervical cancer Screening
- Basic first Aid training to Nursery school teachers
- Sexual reproductive Health Education to Youths
- Theater renovation
- Laboratory renovation
- Menstrual Hygiene methods and Education

Challenges

We are looking for 2 Ambulances for mobile clinic and one for Emergencies

Motor Bikes for our Health surveillance assistance

Resuscitaire /Radiant Warmers