



ORGANIZATION PROFILE

ORGANIZATION OVER VIEW

Delight Rwanda is a women and youth-led non-profit organization established in 2017 registered in Rwanda Governance Board with legal personality number 667/RGB/NGO/LP/10/2020, With purpose of improving the well-being of Rwandan citizens through empowering them and encourage behavior change. All our efforts are directed towards the amelioration of the contemporary social problems such as poverty, unemployment, rural-urban migration, the socio-economic inequalities, climatic shocks including intense rainfall, floods and droughts pose a substantial threat to rural livelihoods, increase the spread of vector-borne diseases, air-borne and water-borne diseases, impacting on animal and human health, and could negatively affect crop yields, impacting food security and export earnings.

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MISSION STATEMENT

Our Vision: Inspire a bright and resilient generation for sustainable development.

Our Mission: To Unlock capabilities of vulnerable community through practical action and behavior change communication to support and accelerate goals of sustainable economic development.

AREA OF FOCUS

Focus: Women and Girls empowerment, Social-Economic Development, Human Rights, Environment and Climate change.

Special attention

- Youth Empowerment
- Women Empowerment
- Child protection and Democracy
- Agriculture and Livestock
- Community Physical Infrastructures
- Emergency Response and Preparedness

OVER ALL OBJECTIVES

The overall development objective of (Delight Rwanda) is enhanced ability in the target communities to tackle their own economic, social and environmental problems for sustainable community development.

1. To enable the community in development of local level institutions and assist them in undertaking community-based welfare and development interventions.
2. To Provide advocacy to juvenile victims of sexual abuse, exploitation and trafficking, especially street children in conflict with law and children in forced labor, vulnerable to sexual abuse
3. Promote Gender equality.
4. To devise and organize for women and children particularly to their rights to acquire educations and improve their health and earnings.

5. To ensure full participation of local level grassroots organizations in decision making process including problem identification, planning, management, implementation, monitoring, and evaluation aimed at sustainability
6. To facilitate easy access to credit and motivate communities for group saving leading towards small enterprise development and income generating activities aimed at economic empowerment.
7. To fight against drug abuse and launching programmes aimed at rehabilitation of drug addicts
8. To establish a resource center aimed at facilitating target communities and local level institutions through information, education and behavior change communication.
9. Assisting communities in disaster prediction and mitigation through various relief and rehabilitation programmes.
10. To develop effective linkages with government line agencies, nongovernment organizations, and donor agencies working for community development.
11. Human resource development and training aimed at skill enhancement and knowledge up gradation in order to ensure better implementation of participatory rural development programmes by community partners.
12. Implementation of women welfare and development programmes aimed at socio-economic empowerment of women through their participation in all developmental programmes.
13. Raising awareness of environmental issues through advocacy, networking, public interest litigation and education.
14. Organizing issue-specific and objective-oriented campaigns building social pressure to influence decision-making at national and international levels in favor of deprived, marginalized and vulnerable segments of the community.
15. To support institutions and individuals in the protection of environment and respond to climate change and its impacts.
16. To transform agriculture and livestock into high productivity sector that boost peasants' livelihood.

Organizational capacity

Our team has developed the experience through working with local and international partners in different projects such as Women access to Finance Project; TURIKUMWE project (We are together) to prevent Unwanted pregnancy; Girls 'Education and Child's right promotion through the Children's Angle project, WICECEKA project, fighting against human trafficking in Rwanda

Professional Strength

- Highly qualified, experienced and devoted professionals and board members and staff;
- Adaptability to cope up and meet the requirements of diverse socio-cultural environment.
- Overwhelming support of local people.
- Acceptance as a representative of common people of the area.
- Extensive network to undertake initiatives at grassroots;
- Availability of state-of-the-art modern equipment and tools;
- Strong partnerships for undertaking innovative initiatives;

Our Philosophy

Sustainable rural development is a dynamic process posing various needs at different phases of time. These can be dealt with continuous interventions based on designed frameworks that incorporate the requirements projected by the communities and with the help of the communities by strategizing for public-private partnership

Strategy

A sustainable strategy is devised to achieve the maximum, a need based and right based approach initiated ascertains the problem with fully community involvement and mobilizing all indigenous, local and international financing. The program goals are materialized with a helping hand from members donor agencies, Philanthropists.

Delight Rwanda follows the following strategy in implementation of its programmes and projects.

Community/Social mobilization:

Delight Rwanda while implementing its programme/projects as a first step undertakes community mobilization so that to raise awareness in community on health and hygiene, importance of education in modern day affairs, gender related issues, socio-economic development and social protection. For this purpose, Delight Rwanda management holds meetings with the community members, conducts training/capacity building sessions, radio Drama with name *UMUSINGI* has been established and also launched campaigns.

Advocacy:

Delight Rwanda advocacy is achieving better results in the field of social/rural/community development and climate change, Delight Rwanda also believe in advocacy and therefore, the management has always strongly advocated for the issues. For achieving this objective, Delight Rwanda through its strong advocacy as approached the line ministries of Government of Rwanda, NGOs, CBOs, Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), members of the community, notables and Delight Rwanda has always promoted the right based approach and supported the dialogue as an important tool for achieving the above-mentioned objectives.

Service delivery:

Delight Rwanda is staunch believer in a very strong and efficient service delivery in the fields of socioeconomic development, education, Economic governance and human rights. For this purpose, Delight Rwanda management has always delivered services in the communities in a transparent manner taking care of quantity and quality. It is only because of this very reason that the Delight Rwanda interventions have always helped in meeting the community needs and achieving the desired objectives.

Net Working:

Delight Rwanda has always promoted the networking with other NGOs, CBOs, CSOs, media groups and concerned stakeholders for achieving the goal of sustainable development. Networking with other organizations has always proved very productive by playing as medium between the service providers and those at the receiving end. Networking basically provides opportunity for looking at the issues from different angles i.e. from local, national and finally at regional level. At every level the perspective of issue changes, which then helps in comprehending the issue.

Scope of Work

Delight Rwanda has strong linkages with major NGOs and funding agencies working in Rwanda. It has undertaken initiatives through collaboration with local CBOs and activists. Delight Rwanda enjoys a rich experience of working in the diverse socio-cultural environment of Rwanda and an extensive networking with the District & Provincial Governments, civil society institutions, and media.

Organizational Values

- Honesty
- Respect for individual
- Integrity
- Participation in communal activities
- Transparency in all transactions
- Accountability to all the actions/deeds performed by an individual
- Creativity
- Cost efficiency
- Gender sensitivity

Values guiding our work

- **True:** Ensuring transparency at all levels of our work
- **Proficiency:** Providing creative expertise and strong commitment
- **Solidarity:** Within our NGO and with the people we aim to support
- **Justice:** Within our NGO as well as in society
- **Integrity:** To act according to the values we wish to promote
- **Flexibility:** Showing our willingness to change and learn

Partners

- Rwanda Education board, University of Rwanda, Callis foundation UK, Rwanda governance board
- Novo foundation, Duterimbere ONG, IHO Rwanda.

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