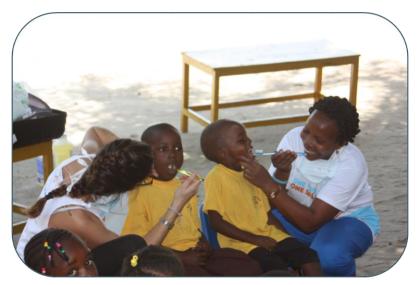


# OWOS ACTIVITY REPORT QUARTERS 1&2 2015



BRUSHING TECHNIQUES TAUGHT AS PART OF ORAL HYGINE AWARENESS KEREGE, FEBRUARY 2015

JANUARY TO JUNE 2015



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#### **ACTIVITIES**

#### KidzCare Camp, Kerege

In February One World One Smile (OWOS) traveled to Kerege, 40km north of Dar es Salaam, to the KidzCare children's home. KidzCare is a non-profit organization that provides underprivileged children and orphans in Tanzania with housing and education. KidzCare also ensures the overall nutritional and medical wellbeing of their beneficiaries.



OWOS partnered with KidzCare to provide dental treatment to



children at the KidzCare run school in Kerege. Not only were children living at the KidzCare home present, but children from the entire village were invited to attend and receive treatment. During the visit the OWOS team performed extractions and provided preventive and restorative treatments as necessary. During the visit 46 children were examined. 23 of these children were

found to have oral health issues requiring further attention. These additional treatments were provided onsite during the visit. In addition to providing treatments OWOS volunteers also taught oral hygiene awareness such as proper tooth brushing techniques. The OWOS team is planning to return to Kerege and visit these patients for follow up and further treatments in November 2015.



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#### **Dar Smile Music Festival**

In March 2015 OWOS launched a fundraising campaign for a Mobile Dental Clinic (MDC) by organizing the first Dar Smile Music Festival (DSMF). The festival was held from 4 to 7 March 2015 in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania.



The DSMF 2015 brought a premier classical

music experience to Dar es Salaam. The festival consisted of four evenings of performances by a group of professional musicians from The Katarina Gurska School in Madrid, Spain. The Katarina Gurska School is renowned for its musical instruction. The School sent a group of six instrumentalists to Dar es Salaam for DSMF 2015 including: Cecilia



Bercovich (viola), Vicente Alberola (clarinet), Bruno Vlahek (piano), Lucia Otero (cello), Georgy Vasilenko (violin), and Sergey Teslya (violin).

The DSMF 2015 performances were each themed around a national or regional style of European music. The four performances included a French themed evening – hosted by master of ceremonies Tanzanian jazz singer Sauda Simba – a Slavic themed evening, a German evening, and the festival concluded with an invitation only

Spanish evening at the Spanish Ambassador's residence.





### **Fundraising**

#### **DSMF 2015 Fundraising Results**

Through ticket sales and the generous donations of festival attendees, partners, and sponsors OWOS raised \$18,160 (USD) from the DSMF 2015.

#### **DSMF 2015 Financal Overview (USD)**



The funds raised during the DSMF 2015 have gone into an account that will be contributed to by future donations and fundraising events. We are also actively exploring other funding and grant making opportunities to accelerate our progress toward achieving the MDC. In addition to fundraising via the DSMF OWOS is planning another fundraiser in September 2015 to raise funds for the MDC.





## Quarters 1 & 2 Planning

#### **Mobile Dental Clinic**

OWOS is in the process of fundraising and building a Mobile Dental Clinic (MDC). The objective of the MDC is to bring oral health care to communities where it is needed most and to increase the accessibility of dental health services and awareness of dental health across Tanzania.

The MDC will serve multiple populations across broad geographic areas, many of which have no access whatsoever to dental health care. Services provided on board the MDC will include preventative and restorative care including: exams, x-rays, fillings, emergency examination and, eventually, surgeries and palliative care.



The necessity of dental care in Tanzania is particularly heightened due to the prevalence of diseases such as HIV/AIDS and diabetes. Poor oral health is a major risk factor for individuals with such diseases. For example, when an individual is HIV positive the immune system is depleted. A dental infection will drain the remnant reserves of the patient's immune system patients will have a reduced ability to heal wounds and prevent further infection. Such major health concerns occur every day in Tanzania where information on dental care is lacking. The MDC will not only provide care for individuals suffering from deteriorated oral health as the result of other medical conditions, but also will promote oral hygiene awareness and serve to educate individuals and communities on proper hygiene regimes to prevent decay and infection. The impact that oral health can have on overall lifespan should not be underestimated. Thus, increasing oral health awareness and accessibility to treatment is our top priority.

Toward this goal the OWOS team is currently in the process of procuring materials for the body of the MDC as well as the dental equipment for the interior of the vehicle. Below is a table of components that will go into





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the MDC. Once these materials are secured construction on the MDC will begin.

#### **MDC Components**

CATEGORY	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	COST	CATEGORY COST
MDC Assembly	Vehicle Cost	Estimated based on cost of Toyota chassis plus assembly of body and cab.	\$76,151	Vehicle Cost
				\$76,151
Dental Equipment	Dental Equipment	Autoclave (\$5,000) Dental Chair (x2 \$100) Instruments (\$5,000) Generator (\$1,500) Motor (x2 \$ 5,000 each) Panoramic X-ray (\$20,000 Computer (\$1000)	\$40,700	Dental Equipment
	Dental Equipment Shipping	Airfreight and Insurance (based on 2013 cost of importing like dental equipment).	\$2,000	\$42,862
		Customs Price (based on 2013 cost of importing like dental equipment) 323,671 TZS.	\$162	
Running Costs	Dental Consumables	Est. annual cost for consumables such as needles, blades, sutures, anesthetic ect.	\$8,000	Running Costs
	Vehicle Insurance	Vehicle insurance annual premium and Contents insurance annual premium:	\$5,000	\$32,656
	Maintenance	Estimated amount for maintenance in a year	\$3,500	
	Estimated Fuel Consumption	Annual cost estimated based on 8 trips per year Regional Camps (est. 500km return) 2,000km per year. Distance Camps (est. 2000km return) 8000km per year. Total estimated distance per year is 10,000km.  Fuel consumption is estimated at 35 liters per 100km based on Scania vehicle specifications.  Cost of fuel assumed at 2,100 TZS per liter.  10,000 km/100km= 100x35l= 3,500l x 2,100TZS= 7,350,000TZS  (2,250 TZS to 1 USD exchange rate used)	\$3,267	
	Security &	Estimated per year	\$8,000	
	Driver Lodging	20,000 TZS per volunteer per day for 5 volunteers for		
	Allowance	40 days per year.	\$3,111	
	Food Allowance	20,000 TZS per volunteer per day for 5 volunteers for 40 days per year.	\$1,778	



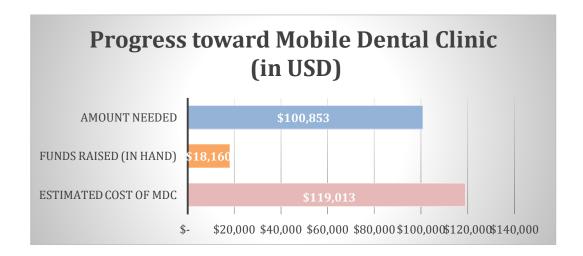








Currently, the total estimated cost of the MDC is \$119,031 (USD). This estimate is the compilation of a \$76,151 estimate for vehicle manufacturing and assembly, plus a \$42,862 estimate for dental equipment cost.



#### **Outreach Camp September 2015**

Beyond planning for the MDC, OWOS is planning to organize a dental camp in Dar es Salaam at Coco Beach on September 2015, it will be the first time for the team to organize a camp in Dar es Salaam City. OWOS will provide dental services to the community around Msasani area. Oral health awareness will also be taught by OWOS volunteers.







#### **Team Updates**

**Program Assistant** 

#### Additions to the OWOS team

Sophia is the most recent addition to the OWOS team in Dar es Salaam. Originally from Kilimanjaro Sophia lived in Kilombero before earning her Bachelor of Arts degree in Community and Development from Ardhi University in 2014. Prior to joining OWOS Sophia worked with IDC Ltd, a boutique international consulting firm, on an IFC compliant resettlement action plan. In this role

Sophia served as a community liaison spending the majority of her time in project impacted communities. She conducted focus group discussions and coordinated livelihoods development programs and vocational training courses to best prepare communities for seamless livelihood transitions. As Program Assistant with OWOS Sophia is active in designing and implementing outreach programs, including dental camps and the future work of the MDC, fundraising and ensuring local knowledge is at the core of OWOS's work.