

TURKANA COUNTY GOVERNMENT



MINISTRY OF WATER SERVICES

23rd October, 2024

RE: ACKNOWLEDGEMENT CONCEPT NOTE FOR SANANDA FOUNDATION

In alignment with the Turkana County Government Governor's nine-point agenda, which emphasizes Water, Food Security, Health Services, Education & Child Protection, and the importance of collaboration and strategic partnerships, Sananda Foundation has played a pivotal role in the realization and achievement of these critical objectives.

Since its inception in Turkana in 2004, Sananda Foundation has successfully implemented the following projects:

WATER:

- Drilled boreholes/wells at Kakimat Village (Kerio Ward – Turkana Central), Kaloboi Village (Turkwel Ward – Loima), Kasepalem/Nakamane (Turkwel Ward – Loima), Lomilo/Lobei (Lobei/Kotaruk Ward – Loima), and Nameyana Village (Turkwel Ward – Loima).
- The Turkana County Government prioritizes water provision as a primary need, requiring concerted efforts and support from development partners like Sananda Foundation. We appeal for any assistance that can facilitate the drilling of additional boreholes/wells to serve vulnerable communities.

HEALTH:

- Provided medical outreach support to the Kakuma Mission Mobile Clinic.
- Facilitated a Spanish nurses exchange program at the former Lodwar District Hospital.



- Continued support to Kataboi Mission Hospital in partnership with the Franciscan Sisters of Immaculate (FSI), with plans to upgrade Kataboi Dispensary to Level 3.

EDUCATION:

- Constructed ECDE (Early Childhood Development Education) units/centers in Nameyana and Napeililim.
- Supported these ECDE units/centers with food supplies, writing materials, and stipends for teachers and staff.

COLLABORATION & STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP:

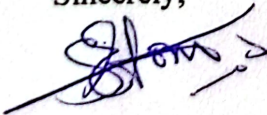
- Sananda Foundation has successfully implemented projects in Turkana County through collaboration with the Government, the Missionary Community of St. Paul the Apostle (MCSPA), and the Franciscan Sisters of Immaculate (FSI).

The accomplishments of these projects have resulted in:

- Access to clean water and sanitation for rural communities, significantly reducing waterborne diseases. More than 20,000 community members benefit directly from the boreholes drilled by Sananda Foundation.
- Improved retention and transition rates for children in the ECDEs constructed by Sananda Foundation.
- Increased accessibility to medical outreach services in health facilities supported by Sananda Foundation.

Thank you for your continued support and collaboration.

Sincerely,



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