

MEDICAL IMPACT COMMEMORATE WOLRD CONDOM DAY

Medical Impact Sierra Leone MISL joins the world to commemorate the International World Condom Day on Tuesday the 13th February,2024.

Considering the negative impact of mixed sexual behaviors of youth in Sierra Leone, MISL organized meeting with participants drawn from three neighboring Senior Secondary schools (SSS) students whom majority reside in Slum communities.

Marking the commemoration, the following were discussed:

- Brief background of MISL done by the Executive Manager Mr. Alieu Badara Sesay
- Background knowledge about international Condom Day which task was executed by Mr. Adikalie Kamara MISL Project Manager I
- The impact of Condom use/precaution for safe use was done in length inferring to the positive effect of engaging in condom use practice.
- Questions and answers –Participants were given the opportunity to ask quite a number of questions with enthusiasm and excitement which doubts were extensively exhausted with clarity.
- Vote of thanks done by Madam Mariama Fullah Bangura MISL Social Communication Officer. She expressed thanks and appreciation to the creator for his mercy and extend the same to the teachers and students for their patience and participation.

The programme came to an end following light food and drinks refreshment and transport refund.



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Participating Students with placards printed “Safer sex by condom use”



Facilitators preliminary discussions amidst commencement of the International Condom Day Campaign Program 13th Feb.2024

Responses from MISL Team Facilitators to questions, participants' views, comments and contributions.



Participants view and perceptions about International Condom Day Celebrations in Sierra Leone. The traditional, cultural and modern activities peculiar in celebrating it.

Presentations on the positive impact on students engaged in safe sex through the use of condom, discussions and feedback on questions and answers.



Front View of Host School snapshot of Sample Students that participated in the campaign for safe sex and behavioural use of condoms

MEDICAL IMPACT SIERRA LEONE TRAINED SEWEIMA HEALTH FACILITY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE AND LOCAL AUTHORITY ON PANDEMIC PREPAREDNESS AND PREVENTION RESPONSE (PPPR)

Date: Sunday 18th Feb, 2024.

Medical Impact Sierra Leone MISL in collaboration with Faith Action Plan (FAPO) has given three courses on Health Facility Management at the Seweima MCHP, Bompeh Chiefdom, Moyamba District.

The training of Seweima FMC and Local Authority which sessions will Capacitate and strengthen participants in carrying their duties by acquiring leadership skills and knowledge that ensure high performance standards in executing exclusively the roles and responsibilities of each category of participants, namely the In-Charges of Health Facilities, the FMC, and the Local Authorities.

The training achieved the following objectives:

- ✓ Demonstrate understanding of the important of influence, power and authority
- ✓ Identify and discuss key leadership competences and skills appropriate for FMC and local Authorities
- ✓ Describe the general strategies in leadership
- ✓ Examine different aspects of a leader as a change agent

Training on Facilities Management, participants were able to:

- Outline the purpose of Seweima MCHA Facility Management Committee (SFMC)
- Describe the contribution of FMC, CHW and other community stakeholders to both the curative and non-curative activities of the MCHP, and identified problems or challenges at the health facility as providers and the community as users of health services.

A deliberations centered on the topics in question was exhausted. Questions and doubts were clarified, followed by suggestions and resolutions.

Next session of the field Work encompasses:

1. Exhibition of sample malaria Test on all participants and others who rushed to the health facility.
2. Blood Pressure BP readings was done on only those that opted and
3. Presentation of essential drugs and other health related commodities.

The workshop came to an end successfully with vote of thanks from the chairlady Seweima FMC Mrs. Aminata Abu Conteh. Participants and other community people both young and old were refreshed with food and drinks.



Experts medical volunteers of MISL are on curative health care services, stems from malaria testing of all categories of people; deworming, and Blood Pressure Readings. Drugs and other related Health Commodities displayed as donations for Seweima Maternal Child Health Post(MCHP).



Presentation of gifts and donations to Health Facilitate Management Nurses, FMC members, and Local Authorities.



Registration of Participants as they usher in the tent of meeting prior commencement of the workshop





Assembly of MISL and FAPO Members and Participants of the training on “Building Capacity to enhance broad coverage on Health Care Delivery Services in Moyamba District.



Free Blood Pressure BP readings on the Aged and referral for free dispensary



Medical Experts volunteers on departure to their Chiefdom Work Stations



Medical Impact MISL Executive arrival from the city covering an average of 25km to Sewiema FMC Training Program, Bompeh Chiefdom