

2009 annual medical work camps with outreach mobile clinics

The 2009 annual medical work camps with outreach mobile clinics will take place in Kitale north-western Kenya, and surrounding villages towns including Khachonge from 10th to 18th August, 2009.

The project this year will be coordinated under the Global Health Partnership (GHP) NGO which comprises of Ordinary Women International (OWI) from USA, Optimal Health International AIDS Network (OHIAN) based in USA, Revival Power Outreach (RPO) from Switzerland, Life Line Ministry from USA and the AEMRN members.

The GHP member organisations bonded together by the strong vision of helping to improve the quality of life for people living in low-income countries developed a unique form of medical work camps with mobile outreach clinics for hard to reach population in rural areas. The objectives and expected outcomes are geared towards us healthcare providers and other stakeholders, physically going down to these communities, living with them, sharing and exchanging information, engage in primary health care by reinforcing health education and health promotion messages whilst addressing their specific clinical needs.

We will at the same time undertake research in the communities through surveys etc., aimed at assessing other particular needs for intervention afterwards hence complementing the efforts of the local health authorities including the Kenyan Ministry of Health.

The AEMRN Consultant in Kenya Dr. Geoffrey Kasembeli and team based at the Kitale District Hospital in Kitale north-western Kenya together with Dr. C. Barasa and team from the Kisumu District Hospital in Kisumu Kenya are in active preparations for the arrival of the international team to run the mobile outreach clinics.

Also for the first time this year we will try to have an Elluminate web conference during the course of the mobile clinics so that we can send our voices and share experiences with you directly from the field.

Members of AEMRN and on this forum including myself have already registered to come down to Kitale Kenya and we still have places on a first come first served basis.

Please intending participants kindly send an email to AEMRN secretariat at contact@aemrnetwork.ch or cseuessie@aemrnetwork.ch.

We look forward to welcoming you all in Kitale Kenya.
KARIBU!!!!

Cheers,

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