The Sponsoring Districts

D. 9120 (NIGERIA); 1820, 1860, 1870 & 1950 (GERMANY); 1920 (AUSTRIA)

The Project is between the Rotary District 9120 Nigeria and Rotary Districts 1820, 1860, 1870, and 1950 Germany and also Rotary District 1920 Austria
Fistula is mainly seen in young women
States: Kano & Kaduna

Country: Nigeria

Target Group: Five (5) Million Women

5,000,000 child bearable women aged 11 to 45 years
Activities

The Following Six Activities show our work plan...

6. Sustainability by State Government Through State Assembly Legislation
Let Us Begin...!

...Will this queue some day come to an end?
We believe with your support it will.

This is because **obstetric fistula** is entirely preventable and fistula can be successfully repaired and rehabilitated so that all VVF wards will one day close down.
Obstetric fistula has all disappeared in Europe and America where the first dedicated hospital was opened nearly a hundred and fifty years ago.
Let me illustrate the enormity of VVF problem.
According to a study of United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and Engenderhealth in 2003, it shows that only 2000 fistula repairs are made all over Nigeria every year and with 1,000,000 women having fistula, it means it will take 500 years before the existing fistula patients can be fully repaired, while the problem is even compounded by the fact that 5000 new cases are added every year.
We now use this opportunity to call on other rotary clubs or districts, WHO, UNFPA, Engenderhealth, and other Humanitarian Organisations to partner with us in any of the six activities which has been separated into a matching grant, to be able to contain in a wholistic form the fistula monster.
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