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Overview

The Islamic Women's Initiative Network (iWIN) is a registered non-profit, faith-based charitable organisation dedicated to empowering disadvantaged women, young people, and vulnerable families across Zimbabwe. Guided by the values of compassion, integrity, service, and humanity, iWIN implements sustainable community development initiatives that improve livelihoods, provide humanitarian assistance, and promote self-reliance.

Established and managed by a team of committed women, iWIN works with communities, donors, and partners to provide practical support to vulnerable households through a range of social welfare and empowerment programmes.

Self Sufficiency Project

A group of 37 women were supported through the establishment of greenhouses and a poultry project in Stapleford, Mt Hampden. iWIN managed the project during its initial four years before successfully transferring ownership to the beneficiaries, empowering them to operate it independently. iWIN continues to provide support by assisting with the marketing and sale of their produce.



Shelter Project

Subject to the availability of funding, iWIN assists vulnerable families living in makeshift shelters by constructing and installing two-room wooden cabins with roofing, flooring, and fitted windows, providing them with dignified accommodation.



BEFORE



AFTER

Food distributions

Frail Care Project

Established in July 2013, the Frail Care Project provides monthly household food hampers to vulnerable elderly people who care for their families. The programme was introduced in response to the increasing financial hardship experienced by many households and currently supports approximately 150 beneficiaries with essential groceries and household items.



Other Food Distribution programs

Subject to the availability of funding, iWIN provides food hampers to vulnerable communities and collaborates with partner organisations to support feeding programmes for children and elderly people, helping to ensure access to nutritious daily meals.

Other projects

- **Education Fund** – Provides bursaries to students who are unable to pursue tertiary education due to financial constraints.
- **Orphan Support** – Provides food, clothing, and bedding to selected orphanages when funding permits.
- **Clothing Distribution** – Distributes clothing to vulnerable families throughout the year.
- **Disaster Relief** – Provides emergency humanitarian assistance during natural disasters and other crises.
- **Medical Fund** – Assists children requiring prescription medication and other essential medical support.
- **Medical Equipment Assistance** – Loans medical equipment such as hospital beds and commodes to families caring for sick relatives at home.
- **Family Assistance Programme**- iWIN administers a family assistance programme that provides financial support to vulnerable households struggling to meet their basic living expenses. Assistance is provided to eligible families to help cover essential needs such as food, rent, utilities, education, and other necessities.
- **Funeral Assistance** - iWIN provides practical bereavement support to members of the local community by making chairs, tables, cutlery, and crockery available for funeral gatherings within its service area.

*The logo is attached as a separate file.