

Emerging Good Practices of the Community Based Models in Uganda and Zambia. Paper No. 12

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The documentation of emerging good practices of the community based models in Uganda and Zambia is an initiative of the ILO-IPEC HIV Project. The purpose of the initiatives is to facilitate lesson learning and replication of practices that have been developed from the implementation of the community based interventions in Uganda and Zambia.

Every aspect of project implementation presented challenges and opportunities from conceptualisation through delivery and from selection of target beneficiaries without causing HIV/AIDS related stigma to dealing with challenges of opportunistic infections. The project successfully integrated HIV/AIDS affected boys and girls into schools and vocational training courses as well as implementing life changing interventions and income generating activities for affected families was truly satisfying.

The ILO-IPEC is pleased to share with you these emerging good practices for your use and wider dissemination.

The target audience

The emerging good practices will find use among Governmental and non governmental organisations involved in combating the worst forms of child labour, particularly those that relate to HIV/AIDS affected families. While they were developed based on specific experiences from project implementation selected districts in Uganda and Zambia, other districts in the two countries as well as many other Sub-Saharan African countries will find them quite relevant and useful.