



2023 JAMAICA IMPACT REPORT

Empowering Lives,
Building Sustainable Futures



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Definitions

1. Positive change at ANIDA means that children, women, and communities have been empowered with better health, valuable skills, and quality education. This helps them take control of their economic futures, make their own decisions, and shape their lives.

2. Community leaders are essential to our engagement and development efforts. With influence rooted in their political roles or traditional standing, they offer us deep insights into the unique challenges their communities face. By collaborating with these leaders, we build community support and make well-informed decisions that benefit the people they represent.

3. Community engagement and Collaboration at ANIDA mean better involvement from the community, fostering trust and partnership. This approach ensures that our impact reaches more people, with the community owning the projects and guaranteeing their sustainability.

Acronym

ANIDA – **All Nations International Development Agency**

SHS - **Senior High School**

ANU – **All Nations University**

WDC – **Women Development Center**

BECE - **Basic Education Certificate Examination**

HFT – **Hope for Tomorrow Program**



LETTER FROM OUR PRESIDENT AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Dear ANIDA Family,

As we reflect on the transformative impact of our work in 2023, we are filled with pride and gratitude. Our journey has been illuminated by countless stories of hope and resilience, each one a testament to our shared commitment to creating a compassionate and understanding world.

This year, we took a significant step by expanding our reach to a new continent. In the Philippines, we discovered a pressing need for clean water in a village called a Purok. Picture the villagers gathering water from a nearby river, often contaminated and unsafe for consumption. Listening to the heartfelt pleas of local leaders, we initiated a vital water project. By working closely with the community, local leaders, and the local government, we are not just providing clean water; we are bringing hope, health, and a brighter future to countless families. This endeavor, born from community engagement and collaboration, aims to eradicate the scourge of unsanitary water, which has long been a major cause of illness.

Our commitment to improving healthcare access was further demonstrated through our first medical mission in Liberia. Imagine a school property in Ganta transformed into a bustling temporary clinic. People traveled up to two hours, their journeys beginning in the pre-dawn darkness, to reach this site. The air buzzed with anticipation as families, some of whom had camped overnight, waited to receive medical care. Our team, including one pharmacist from the US and local doctors, worked tirelessly. All medications were purchased locally to support the community and ensure their effectiveness. Over the four-day span of the program, we served over 920 Liberians. By 2 AM on the final day, all available tickets were completely out, showcasing the immense need and our dedication to addressing urgent healthcare needs.

The transformative power of education and empowerment is vividly illustrated in the lives of our beneficiaries. Take Sappheh Philip Kwaku, for example. Philip joined our Hope for Tomorrow program as a child in elementary school. After excelling in his studies through secondary school, he earned an ANIDA scholarship to study at university. Today, he is employed with us, completing his National Service. Philip's journey from a young student to a dedicated team member exemplifies the profound impact of our programs.

As we move forward, let us carry the spirit of hope and resilience that defines ANIDA. Our programs are creating leaders across continents. It starts with children confidently taking action in their classes, knowing they will be supported. Women are venturing out and starting their own businesses after completing classes at the Women Development Center. Farmers are working at community farms, earning enough to support their families. Students are becoming the first in their families to earn a university degree. The impact you are making is changing lives and alleviating poverty in a sustainable way.

We extend our heartfelt appreciation to all of you, our ANIDA family, for your unwavering support and dedication to our cause. Together, we are truly changing the world for the better, one person and one community at a time. Whether you are staff, volunteers, donors, or beneficiaries, your role is essential and invaluable. Each of you is a cherished part of the ANIDA family, and we could not achieve our mission without you.

Thank you.



Samuel, sharing a joyful moment with Baby Jane, a top student in her school and one of the sponsored children in the Philippines.

WHO WE ARE

For the past 26 years, ANIDA, founded on Christian values of genuine care and compassion, has significantly impacted communities facing both absolute and relative poverty. Each year, dedicated donors and volunteers join us to bring smiles to those in need. We use best practices and innovative methods to collaborate with these communities, nurture leaders, and establish systems for sustainable development.

We recognize that poverty is a complex issue requiring a comprehensive approach. We believe poverty is not just a lack of resources but also a mindset. To address this, we focus on education, health, and sustainable income initiatives.

Education: We ensure children receive a proper education, equipping them with the knowledge and skills to break the cycle of poverty.

Health: We prioritize health because, even with education, one cannot escape poverty without good health. Thus, health is a critical component of our efforts.

Sustainable Income: We provide training and opportunities, especially for women, to acquire skills that generate sustainable income. This empowerment enables them to support themselves and their families long-term.

Finally, we believe that once individuals rise out of poverty, they should be equipped with leadership skills to help others and sustain the positive impact within their communities.



Top Left: ANIDA staff member Nikola poses with student after they receive their food hamper. **Bottom Left:** A group of friends share a laugh together at school, showcasing the joy of learning. **Right:** ANIDA staff deliver food hampers to our partner schools, bringing support directly to the community.

VISION, MISSION, AND CORE VALUES STATEMENTS



Our Vision Statement

A community empowered to bring transformation to the nations.



Our Mission Statement

Our mission as a Christian global development organization is to collaborate with communities to increase the standard of living of children, women, and families through access to education, health, and sustainable income.

*With over 26 years of experience, ANIDA has successfully empowered children, women, and communities through our education, health, and sustainable income programs. Working alongside dedicated donors and volunteers, we have positively impacted over 1 million people worldwide and are ready to extend our reach even further.

Our Core Values



Servant Leadership: Servant Leadership is fundamental to our approach, infusing every action we take. It's about more than humility; it's about a proactive commitment to serve. Our leaders are on a continuous growth journey, driven by the desire to help others and enhance their ability to be effective servants and leaders.



Integrity: Integrity is our guiding principle, shaping our daily habits and reflecting our deepest values. We are dedicated to living our truth, embracing honesty and fairness in all we do. This commitment to integrity challenges us to constantly evaluate and align our thoughts and actions with ethical standards.



Faith: Guided by the values of Christ, we are compelled to help others, driving our commitment to serve all people without regard to religion, race, or gender. This inspiration shapes our approach, encouraging resilience, mindfulness, compassion, and peace as we assist each individual in finding their purpose.



Community: We believe in the power of community, built on a shared sense of purpose and passion. Our communities are circles of trust and growth, nurturing leadership potential and offering everyone a sense of belonging. In our communities, every member finds a place to call home and thrive.



Diversity: Diversity is our gateway to viewing the world in all its variety. It drives innovative thinking, which is crucial for solving complex problems. Working within a diverse team opens ourselves to new perspectives, leading to more effective and practical solutions.

EMPOWERMENT JOURNEY

Experience the transformative power of impact with ANIDA's empowerment journey. Your unique contribution paves the way for thriving communities, bringing them one step closer to a sustainable future. Our empowerment journey is a holistic approach that encompasses the following key stages:

Invitation and Community Recognition

We warmly invite communities in need, recognizing their strengths and potential and setting the stage for a collaborative partnership built on mutual respect and understanding.

Collaborative Planning

We believe in the power of your collaboration. Together, we develop a comprehensive plan addressing community members' specific needs and priorities, ensuring our efforts are targeted and impactful.

Long-term Engagement and Impact

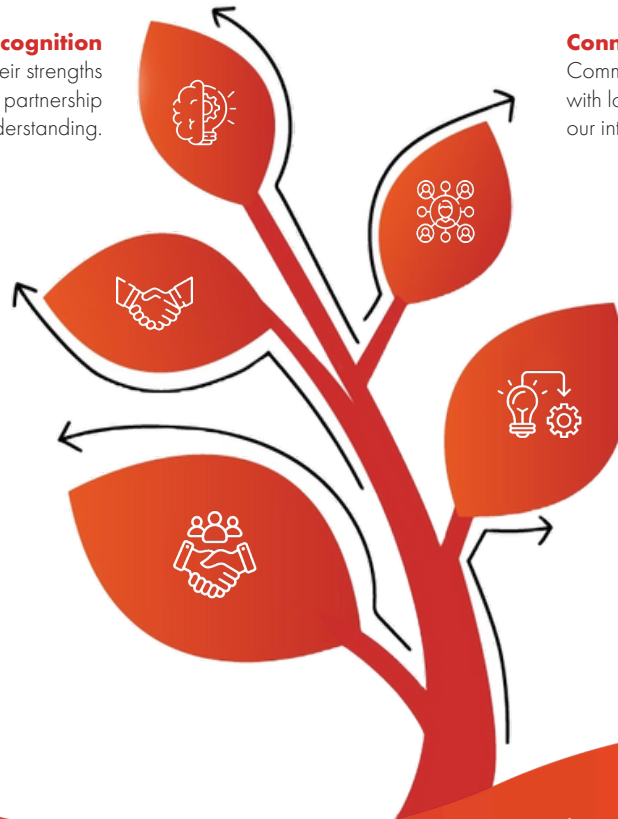
Sustainable change takes time. We are committed to long-term community engagement, ongoing support, and monitoring. We measure our impact through specific impact measurement methods, ensuring our efforts are effective and lasting.

Connecting with Community Leaders

Community leaders play a crucial role in driving change. We work closely with local leaders to gain insights into the community's dynamics and ensure our interventions are culturally sensitive and contextually relevant.

Program Implementation

After laying the groundwork, we implement our programs, leveraging the collective efforts of community members, volunteers, and partners. Our past successful projects, such as Women Development Centre, demonstrate our commitment to positive change.



BACKGROUND

Reflecting on our journey, ANIDA proudly highlights our global influence through significant milestones that have profoundly impacted communities worldwide. Our diverse initiatives reflect a deep commitment to education, health, economic empowerment, and community development.

The Hope for Tomorrow program is a cornerstone in transforming the educational landscape, offering young minds the tools and guidance necessary to assume leadership roles and innovate solutions for their future, thus molding a generation equipped to elevate their communities.

These initiatives are more than programs—they are lifelines to the communities they serve, underlining ANIDA's unwavering commitment to fostering enduring change. With the ongoing support of our partners, we continue to propel forward, paving the way for a sustainable and prosperous future for all.



JAMAICA

Jamaica, a vibrant Caribbean nation with a population of 2.9 million, is known for its cultural diversity and natural beauty. ANIDA's unique initiatives in Jamaica, such as the Hope for Tomorrow program, focus on education, health, and economic development. ANIDA's commitment to empowering communities and effecting enduring, positive change in Jamaica sets it apart from other organizations.

Region

Latin America & Caribbean

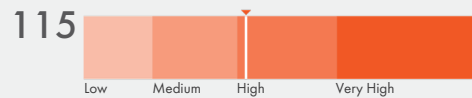
Capital City

Kingston

Population

2.9 MILLION

Jamaica's HDI Rank



HDI value (2022) Human development Classification

0.706 High

Communities we are currently serving

Goshen and Portmore

Education

ANIDA's flagship program, Hope for Tomorrow (HFT), has been a resounding success. This program allows 151 children to receive a high-quality education, helping to end the cycle of poverty and enabling them to chase their aspirations. With a sponsorship rate of 98%, ANIDA ensures that every child in the program receives the support they need to succeed.



Caption: Captured photos of students in our partnership school, Goshen Primary

Community Support

ANIDA is committed to supporting communities through initiatives like food packages, back-to-school support, and parent workshops. These programs provide immediate assistance and empower families to create a better future for themselves and their children. ANIDA values the power of collaboration and collaborates closely with schools, businesses, and community organizations to maximize its impact. Our partnerships with institutions like Ascot Primary School, Tiny Tots, and Morrison Variety Store are not just about reaching more children and families in need but also about creating a sense of shared responsibility and value in our work.



Caption: A photo of a family's gratitude as they receive their food hamper

CHILD SPONSORSHIP AT A GLANCE



Country:
Jamaica



Total Registered
Children: **210**



% of Total Children
Across All Countries:
32.06%



Total
Sponsored
Children: **151**



New
Sponsored
Children: **2**



Caption: Three friends posing at school, reflecting the testament to the power of education



Percentage Increase:
1.34%



Children Waiting for Sponsorship:
59



FUTURE DIRECTIONS

ANIDA's strategic plans entail expanding existing programs to serve underprivileged communities better, primarily focusing on successful initiatives such as the Farmland Project in Liberia and the Hope for Tomorrow program in the Philippines. Diversifying funding sources is crucial to ensure sustainability and resilience against funding fluctuations. ANIDA is actively considering partnerships to fortify its financial stability. These alliances go beyond financial arrangements and reflect the importance we place on collaboration and the pivotal role our stakeholders play in our achievements.

The organization is firmly committed to sustainability, explicitly promoting environmentally sustainable agricultural practices, ensuring the long-term viability of health initiatives, and fostering inclusive and sustainable economic development. Leveraging technology and innovation will be a crucial strategy to enhance program effectiveness, including using digital platforms for educational purposes and implementing advanced farming technologies. Community empowerment remains a top priority, with a steadfast commitment to involving communities in project design and implementation. Partnerships and collaboration are paramount in achieving our goals; while monitoring and evaluation will be essential to ensure that programs realize their intended impact. Overall, ANIDA is unwavering in its dedication to sustainable development, community empowerment, and innovation aimed at positively impacting communities worldwide.

GLOBAL ALLIANCE

Celebrating our partners around the world who collaborate for community transformation. We thank our partnerships with institutions like Ascot Primary School, Tiny Tots and Morrison Variety Store for supporting our community programs in Jamaica.

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