



GLOBAL ALLIANCE FOR A HEALTHY SOCIETY

*Supporting Marginalized Groups In Kenya To Improve Their
Livelihoods And Standards Of Living*

WHO ARE WE?

GAHSO is a youth-led NGO founded in 2016 to facilitate all-round empowerment of vulnerable and marginalized communities in Kenya.



ABOUT US

The Global Alliance for Healthy Society (GAHSO) is a youth-led NGO founded in 2016 to facilitate all-round empowerment of vulnerable and marginalized communities in Kenya. We are based in Siaya south western Kenya. Our main objective is to support vulnerable and marginalized communities , in particular the youth ,persons with disabilities, women and people injecting drugs in Kenya.

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Besides, programmatic work, GAHSO is also committed to promoting and advocating for social, legal, cultural, and economic inclusivity particularly for the marginalized population in the society.

Currently, GAHSO has a five-member board of directors elected through an annual general meeting (AGM) and it is primarily responsible for;

- Policy framework development;
- Performing ultimate governance authority or the organization; and
- Fundraising on behalf of the organization.

GAHSO also has an Advisory Board (AB) made up of skilled and specialized individuals who use their expert knowledge to augment the board. Therefore, the AB is responsible for providing technical guidance to the board; and is the key figure of GAHSO in matters relating to public relations. We envision an equitable society where marginalized and vulnerable individuals meet their needs.

Our ICT team has developed digital platforms for promoting and providing high-quality and comprehensive sexual reproductive health rights (sexuality) education and training programs for young people. As well as for the provision of a multi-faceted HIV/AIDS targeting programming for the general population as well as the sexual minority groups in the society.



OUR VALUES



OUR VISION 01

GAHSO envisions an equitable society where marginalized vulnerable individuals realize their human rights.

OUR MISSION 02

Our mission is to promote equity by socially empowering the society through evidence-based programs and initiatives that foster learning, access to better health care and sustainably environments.



OUR VALUES 03

Our Core Values are encapsulated by the acronym ACTREP

- A**ccountability
- C**ollaboration
- T**ransparency
- R**espect for human dignity
- E**quality and inclusivity for all
- P**ositive partnerships & Professionalism

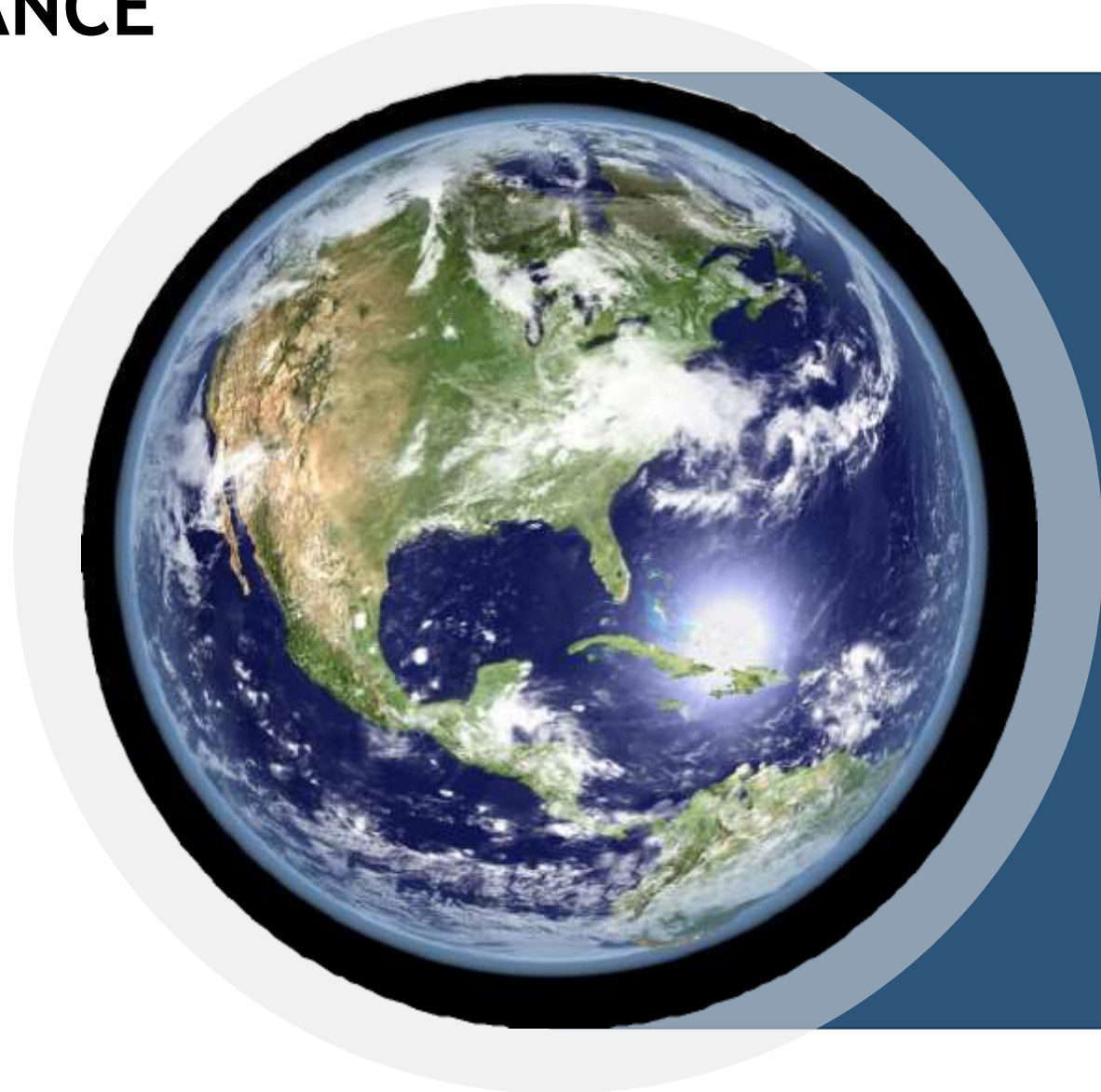
LEADERSHIP & GOVERNANCE

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OUR OBJECTIVES

The Organization has the following main object:

GAHSO supports vulnerable and marginalized communities, in particular, the youth, persons with disabilities and women in Kenya in the following sectors:

- Health - public health services (including hygiene, epidemiology, and disease prevention).
- Education.
- Sustainable livelihoods (including climate-smart agriculture).
- Empowerment of the vulnerable and marginalized.

Specific Objectives.

1. To stimulate and enhance access to quality health care for improved efficiency in economic activities by consorting with other service providing bodies.
2. To build the capacity of beneficiaries to adopt new technologies and approaches to agribusiness for transference knowledge and skills for improved and sustainable agribusiness production and economic empowerment.



OUR OBJECTIVES

Specific Objectives Continued....

3. To reduce illiteracy through promotion and provision of quality education services to people with disabilities, orphans and vulnerable school going children
4. Build the capacity of youth to actively engage in leadership, good governance and sustainable livelihoods.
5. To support and deliver water and sanitation services for improved health through supply and building of safe water and sanitation facilities.
6. To build the capacity of target groups to advocate for good governance and accountability and ensure participation of marginalized population on issues that affect their lives at county and national levels.
7. Provide rehabilitative care for the elderly, people with disabilities and drug users.
8. To promote use of information, communication and technology in order to enhance transfer and dissemination of knowledge and skills.
9. Integrate gender equality and adaptation to climate change in all programming and activities.



OUR FOCUS AREA

Sector	Program	Activities	Cross cutting issues
Livelihoods	Community Capacity Enhancement Program (CCEP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training on climate-smart technologies • Agro-business development • Water programs not specifically tied to agriculture • Forest, water, land, habitat, protection • Promotion of energy-saving devices (e.g., solar cookers, lighting, bio-digesters) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gender equality • Anti-corruption, transparency, and accountability promotion • Civil education, voter registration, voter rights, democracy • Peace-building & conflict-reduction • social justice and equity • Use of ICT • Human rights advocacy
Education	Adolescent Girls & Young Women (AGYW) Program Smart Young Men (SYM) Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support construction of school infrastructure • Sponsorship programs for education fees • Technology-in-school programs • Adult education programs • Provision of technical education for those interested in the inner workings of a profession; and vocational skills training for non-traditional enterprise development (videography, ICT). 	
Health	Adolescent Girls & Young Women (AGYW) Program Smart Young Men (SYM) Program Community Capacity Enhancement Program (CCEP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support for maintenance or construction of health facilities • HIV-related programs, including education, counseling, medical • Malaria, TB, NCD programs • Community oriented primary care (COPC) training for doctors, nurses, community health volunteers 	
Marginalized Populations	Community Capacity Enhancement Program (CCEP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support for women's groups • Support for Key populations • Children's programs outside schools (street children's programs) • Programs targeting adolescents (age 10 to 19) and youth (young adults between the age of 20 and 25) • Support for the disabled • Support for the elderly • Community capacity enhancement through training on facilitating community conversations (CC) sessions for adults and Study Circles for children and youth. 	

OUR PROCESSES



Identification of a need in the society. This forms the first step to us identifying which projects to take on and merit based on the urgency of need.



2. STARTUP PROJECTS

Coordination with the relevant organisations & stakeholders.

Putting together the project team ready for the execution.

Identification of sources of funding.



3. MARKETING STRATEGY

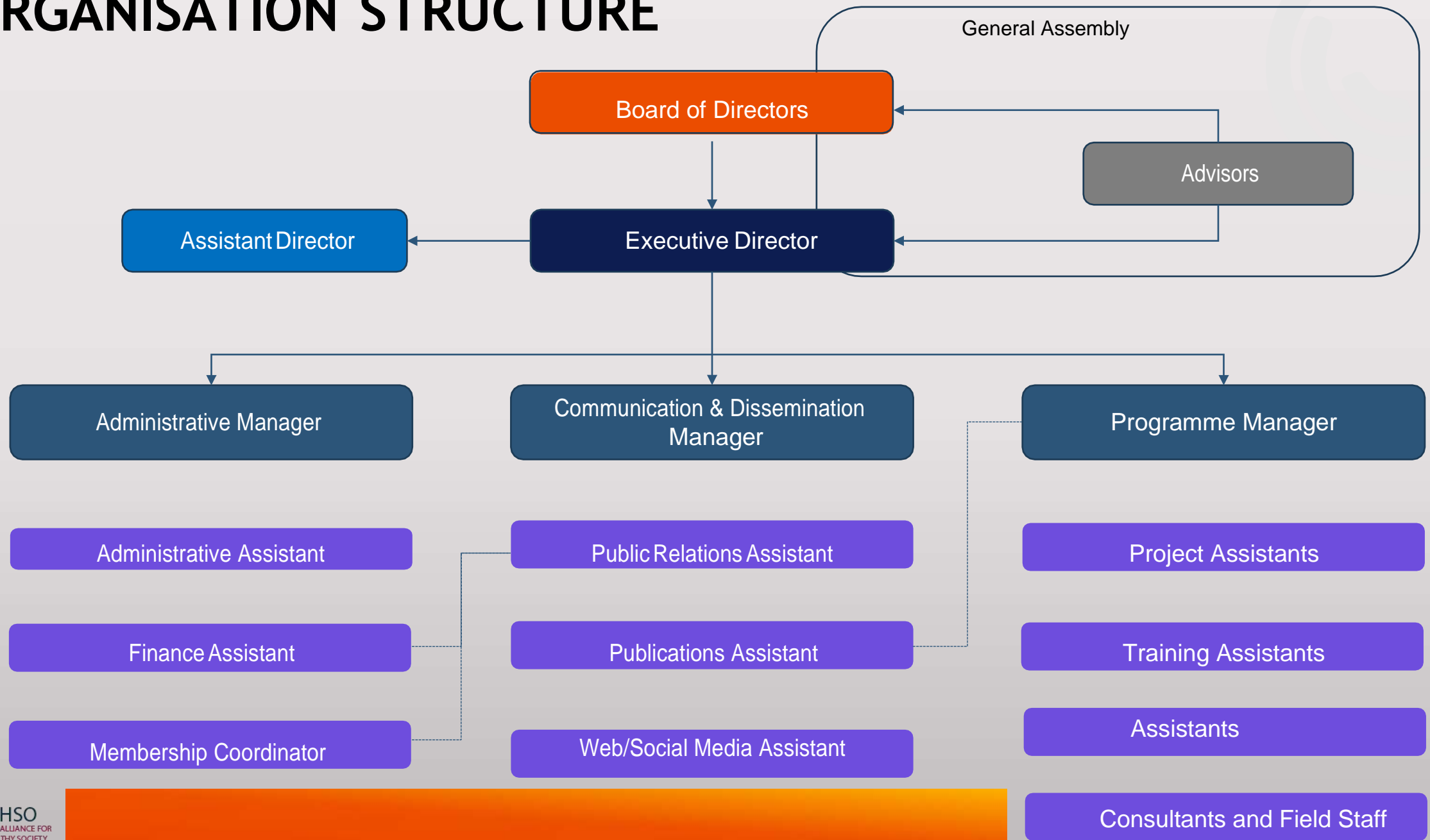
Marketing team come up with strategy on how the initiatives are to be marketed to ensure maximum reception and benefit of the society.



4. CREATIVE CAMPAIGNS

Creative campaigns to ensure that the initiatives created are sustainable and are adapted by the benefiting community such that they continue its implementation long after the project is over.

ORGANISATION STRUCTURE



ADVISORY TEAM



MARTIJN KNOTTNERUS

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HOW CAN YOU HELP?

HELP US MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE SOCIETY!!

Do you wish to be part of Global Alliance? Well you can do so by either volunteering to help in our project executions and outreaches, sponsoring the programs and donating to the cause.

You can donate by either bank transfer, M-Pesa, Debit/Credit Card payment or through our PayPal account info@gahso.org

Your donation to Global Alliance for A Healthy Society, will go to assist the realisation of our programs aimed at bettering the society.

BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS:

Account Name: GLOBAL ALLIANCE FOR A HEALTHY SOCIETY
Bank Name: EQUITY BANK (KENYA) LIMITED
Account Number: 1260279793335
Branch: Angawa Avenue Kisumu
Branch Code: 68126
Swift Code: EQBLKENAXXX

M-PESA

You can also send your donation and support through our M-PESA Pay Bill Number:

Pay Bill Number: 247247

Account Number: 204650

M-PESA Payment Procedure:

- Select 'Pay Bill' from your M-PESA menu
- Enter the 'Gahso Business Number' – 247247
- Enter the 'Gahso Account Number' – 204650
- Enter the amount you wish to donate.
- Enter your M-PESA PIN.
- Confirm that all the details are correct and press OK





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THANK YOU

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