

### NCA/JDF NOVEMBER GBV PROJECT REPORT

DATE (When)	1st – 30th NOVEMBER 2018
LOCATION (Where)	MMC ( Wulari and Bolori) KONDUGA (Ngomari)
ORGANISATIONS (Who)	NCA/JDF
SUMMARY (What)	<p>The activities for the month of November on the GBV project in the communities we are working in Bolori, Wulari and Ngomari are as follows;</p> <p>Sensitization to community leaders and VSLA women on discussion group series. The goal of the DGS is to lead participants through the process in which they can reflect on their experiences, attitudes and behaviors that condone violence and to create conditions for women to be safe within their homes. The DGS training kicked off on the 7<sup>th</sup> of Nov with Wulari group 1 , the time for their training is every Friday at 10am, Wulari group 2 holds its training every Wednesday 10am, Bolori group 1 Thursday 9am, Bolori 2 Friday 10am, Ngomari Monday 11am. This training is expected to run for four weeks</p> <p>Distribution of soap kits collected from NCA to the women and girls accessing the safe spaces. A total number of 665 soap kits were distributed to them. Bolori safe space was given 410 and Ngomari safe space 225.</p> <p>The women and girls accessing the safe space at Bolori community have started learning baking, this kicked off on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> of November with 104 women and girls learning the skill and that of Ngomari kicked off on the 26<sup>th</sup> of November with 52 women and girls learning the skill</p> <p>In commemoration of the 16 days of Activism against gender based violence which is an international campaign to challenge violence against women and girls. This campaign runs from the 25<sup>th</sup> to the 10<sup>th</sup> of December every year. JDF conducted a secondary school sensitization to create awareness on what gender based violence is, the types and consequences and then it was narrowed down to school related GBV, its forms and consequences and then it was wrapped up with the theme of 16 days of activism breaking the silence to end GBV. Students were encouraged to speak up if there is any violence. This sensitization took place on 22<sup>nd</sup> of November at Borno Women’s league secondary school at Damboa road Maiduguri. A total of 207 students comprising of 100 girls and 107 boys were sensitized. Branded note books and pens were given to the students.</p>

	<p>Recorded radio jingles in English, Kanuri and Hausa are being aired on BRTV to create awareness of gender based violence to the general public. This will be aired all through the 16 days of activism.</p> <p>The launch for the 16 days of Activism against gender based violence held on the 27<sup>th</sup> of November at State hotel Maiduguri. Four Beneficiaries from each of the implementation communities were at the livelihood bazaar to display some of the products from the skills they have learnt.</p> <p>A panel discussion held on the 29<sup>th</sup> of November at BRTV by 6-7pm with two panelists for a radio discussion in English language to create awareness and talk about GBV.</p>
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**CONCLUSION:**

The other activities for the 16 days of activism will be reported in the month of December.

**CHALLENGES**

The skill for bar soap and Vaseline making and knitting is yet to commence

**Photo Gallery**



Sensitization of secondary school students at Borno Women’s League School



A cross section of students showing off their branded notebooks and pens at Borno Women's League secondary school



Baking skill acquisition ongoing at Bolori safe space





A VSLA member presenting her group's work during DGS session



A cross section of women doing a group work during their DGS session



A facilitator training the members of VSLA and their spouses/intimate partners during a DGS session



A cross section of men participating in group work during a DGS session



**Some end products from the Baking skill acquisition class**



**Mixing of ingredients during the Baking Skill acquisition class**