

Project Update - December 2018

- ▶ **Education Support Programs: Super Girls**
 - ▶ In December, Super Girls focused on healthy eating, which included a field trip to a nearby supermarket. The girls had a small budget to spend and got to decide what nutritious snack to spend it on. The activity was followed by vibrant discussion that illustrated how the girls are learning about the value of money and independent decision making. We continue to discuss these concepts in follow-up sessions.
- ▶ **Technical Training for Women and Girls**
 - ▶ ICDL students are continuing their studies, and in December they studied Microsoft Powerpoint. We've been happy with their proficiency, and the instructor is impressed with how quickly they have caught onto the topics.
 - ▶ The most recently completed ICDL session was very successful, and participants who have completed that session are now enrolling in coding courses--our computer program's second stage. CRP has brought on a new coding instructor and curriculum design for the course is underway.
- ▶ **Women's Economic Empowerment Program**
 - ▶ Skincare was the area of focus for the 30 women participating in the 2 Beauty School classes currently being offered. The women's feedback says that they appreciated learning how to give facials using inexpensive ingredients that can be found at the local market, such as honey, bananas, and rose water.
- ▶ **Women's Empowerment 101 and GBV Awareness and Advocacy**
 - ▶ A new session of our Women's Empowerment 101 Course for women began this month, led by new trainers from the Training of Trainers in November. Interest among women in the community for this course is very high. For the men it has been slower, so the men's GBV Awareness Course will begin in January.
- ▶ **Leadership in Action**
 - ▶ This month, the 18 women and men in the Leadership in Action program finished a 5-day advocacy training which taught them how to advocate and take action for issues they see in their community. Next month, they will begin to design advocacy projects and have chosen violence against women and the dangers of the internet as the issues to focus on.
- ▶ **Project Finances (through December)**

