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ANNUAL REPORT 2021



From the **CEO**



Rural Nurture Initiative remains at the forefront of facilitating inclusive and sustainable rural development in Nigeria. We are steadfastly committed to our vision of an Africa where rurality does not equate poverty, and rural dwellers have adequate access to basic facilities that make for sustainable living and fulfilled potentials.

Our interventions are fashioned towards promoting the actualization of the Sustainable Development Goals, with a focus on SDGs 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, and 17 (no poverty; zero hunger; good health and wellbeing; quality education; clean water and sanitation; partnership for the goals) in rural Nigeria. Some notable impacts recorded over time includes helping many rural primary pupils get back to school, providing food baskets to end hunger, giving relief materials to ameliorate poverty, executing medical outreaches to improve rural health, and during the COVID-19 pandemic, providing food palliatives and potable water facility to ensure water access and better hygiene in rural Nigeria. We are proud of our achievements, which have also earned us awards/recognitions like the Union Bank's Enabling NGOs for Success Grant (2019), the Union Rise Challenge (2020) and the Sustainable Impact Awards (2020).

Although this year, 2021, happened to be a not-so financially buoyant one, we however, were able to stage two outreaches; the Oral Health Outreach (Oyo State) and the Kick-Out-Malaria Campaign (Ondo State) in June and November, 2021, respectively. Our intentionality about forging strategic partnerships led to collaborations with reputable organisations like Colgate Nigeria, the Nigeria Red Cross, among others; which was pivotal to the milestones we achieved this year. Consequently, as we enter the New Year, we are optimistic about spreading our impact and implementing sustainable projects under our programmes, viz; Rural Agro-Support Scheme (RAS), Health4Rural Programme and Rural Social Assistance Programme (RuSAP).

Finally, a popular saying goes thus "the people perish without a vision"; conversely, it is also worthy of note that a vision perishes without the right people. Hence, we are profoundly grateful to all our donors, supporters, partners, advisors, administrative team and esteemed volunteers for the pivotal roles played in helping us change the poor rural narrative in Nigeria. We cannot overemphasize how much your loyal support and generosity means to us.

We are assured of your continued support in the year 2022, as we stay rooted in achieving our vision, mission and objectives at RNI.

DAMILOLA OLAJUBUTU
(nee Iyiola)
Founder/CEO

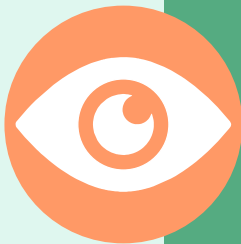


ABOUT US



WHO WE ARE

Rural Nurture Initiative (RNI) is a non-governmental organisation providing social protection to facilitate inclusive and sustainable rural development in Nigeria and the rest of Africa.



OUR VISION

We envisage an Africa where rurality does not equate poverty, and rural dwellers have adequate access to basic facilities that make for sustainable living and fulfilled potentials.



OUR MISSION

Our mission is to deploy best practices to facilitate inclusive and sustainable rural development through innovative and eclectic approaches, focused on agriculture, health, and poverty alleviation in Nigeria and the rest of Africa.



ABOUT US



OUR OBJECTIVES ARE TO

- a. work towards actualizing the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) with emphasis on SDGs 1, 2, 3, 4, 6 and 17.
- b. employ innovative and eclectic approaches to tackle developmental problems by implementing programmes centered on agriculture, health, and poverty alleviation in rural areas.
- c. provide social safety nets for the poor and vulnerable in rural communities, while bringing such communities into developmental limelight
- d. project the felt needs of rural communities to the general public for necessary intervention
- e. create a platform for urban dwellers to support the underprivileged in rural communities
- f. create incentives for business owners to perform their Corporate Social Responsibilities
- g. promote innovative ways of engaging African youths to contribute to Africa's sustainable development through active volunteerism.



OUR INTERVENTIONS

RURAL AGRO-SUPPORT SCHEME (RAS)



We are promoting food security and agricultural resilience through technological empowerment, input support, and advisory services for rural farmers.

Learn more: www.rnionline.org/ras

Email: ras@rnionline.org

Follow on Facebook and Instagram: @ras.nigeria

HEALTH4RURAL PROGRAMME



We are promoting access to healthcare for rural households through advocacy, community health sensitization, and free medical care.

Learn more: www.rnionline.org/health4rural

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RURAL SOCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMME (RuSAP)



We are addressing rural poverty and hunger through relief supplies, livelihood empowerment, and educational support.

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OUR ACHIEVEMENTS

AWARDS / RECOGNITION



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1. UNION BANK ENABLING NGOS FOR SUCCESS GRANT (2019)
 2. UNION RISE CHALLENGE (2020)
 3. SUSTAINABLE IMPACT AWARDS (2020)

MEDIA FEATURE

PRINT MEDIA

1. Oyo State Community & Social Development Agency (OYCSDA)'s 2020 Compedium
2. Hope Newspaper (2020)

ONLINE NEWS & BOOK

1. spearsbook.com (2020)
2. vanguardngr.com (2020)
3. oyoaffairs.net (2020)
4. oyoinsider.com (2020)
5. newslineng.com.ng (2020)
6. campusreporter.ng (2020)

2021 OVERVIEW



Rural Agro-Support Scheme

Projects Implemented: 0



Health4Rural Programme

Projects Implemented: 2

1. Oral Health Care Outreach
2. Kick-Out-Malaria Campaign



Rural Social Assistance Programme

Projects Implemented: 0



VOLUNTEERS' HANGOUT



ANNUAL AWARDS

2021 PROJECTS

ORAL HEALTH OUTREACH



Olorunsogo Community, Oluyole LGA, Oyo State



Saturday, June 26, 2021



- Free Dental check up/consultation
- Oral Hygiene Sensitization
- Free Oral Health Kit Distribution



Partner: Colgate Nigeria



2021 PROJECTS

KICK-OUT-MALARIA CAMPAIGN



Abusoro Community, Ondo East LGA, Ondo State



Saturday, November 6, 2021



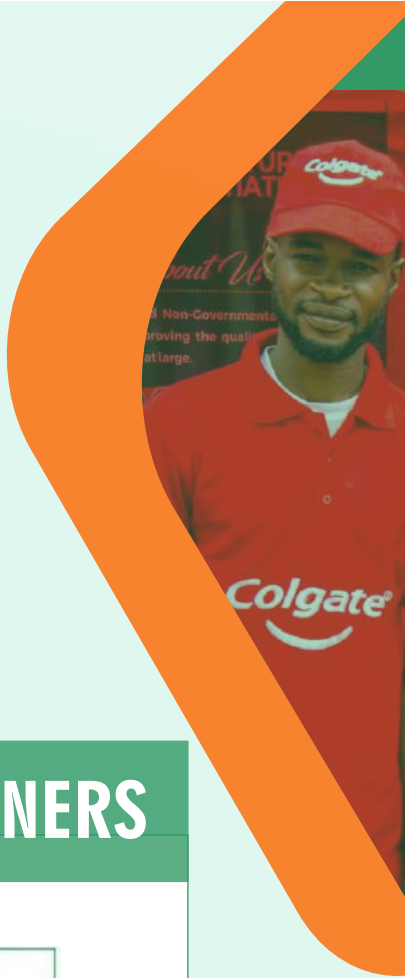
- Free Malaria test and medication
- Distribution of Insecticide Treated Mosquito Nets (ITNs)
- Basic Vital Signs Assessment



Partners: Nigerian Red Cross, Plogging Nigeria (ACE, Ondo) Christian Medical & Dental Student Association (UNIMEDTH)



2021 PROJECTS



PROJECT PARTNERS



CMDA Nigeria-students, UNIMEDTH



PROJECT SPONSORS




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2021 PROJECTS

VOLUNTEERS' HANGOUT

 Ibadan, Oyo State, Nigeria

 Saturday, December 6, 2021




We annually set time apart to have fun, relax, unwind and bond, after each productive year. Our volunteers' hangout aims to promote good social relationship among our volunteers. It usually features games, dance, meet-a-friend, food and drinks, photography, alongside activity appraisal for the year.

Social Impact and a Great Social Life, We Are Promoting A Healthy Balance!



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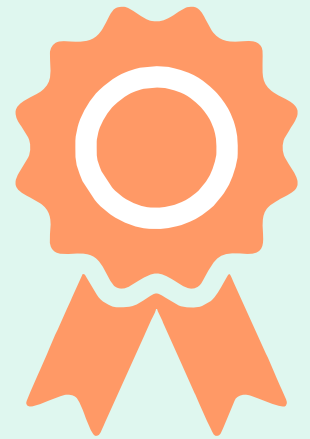
 Ibadan, Oyo State, Nigeria

 Saturday, December 6, 2021



Award categories:

- The Exemplary Leadership Award
- The Philanthropist of the Year Award
- Most Outstanding Administrative Member
- Team Leader of the year, Volunteer of the Year
- Most Efficient Administrative Member
- RNI Ambassador of the year, Team Players of the year
- Certificate of service, Certificate of appreciation



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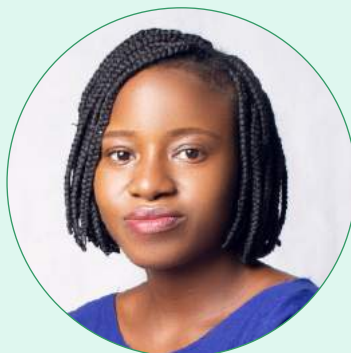
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FINANCIALS

Thanks to the generosity of many in making 2021 another impactful year for us at RNI. Through your financial support, we were able to serve more rural communities and touch more lives.

Our total revenue was NGN 679,647.96 (\$1,645.64) while our total expenditure was NGN 566,725.52 (\$1,372.22). In addition to this, our in-kind/material donation was estimated at NGN 55,000 (\$132.21), giving an overall annual revenue of **NGN 734,647.96** (\$1,778.81) and expenditure of **NGN 621,725.52** (\$1,505.39). Hence, our closing balance for the year 2021 was **NGN 112,922.44** (\$273.42). [Download full financial report \(January-December, 2021\)](#).

We remain proud of our prudence, financial efficiency and accountability as we work to maximize the value of every financial and material resource at our disposal.

It's a promising new year with better prospects, which necessitates the need for more financial/material resources to enable us spread our impact, implement sustainable projects, acquire some essential equipment and achieve our set goals for the year.

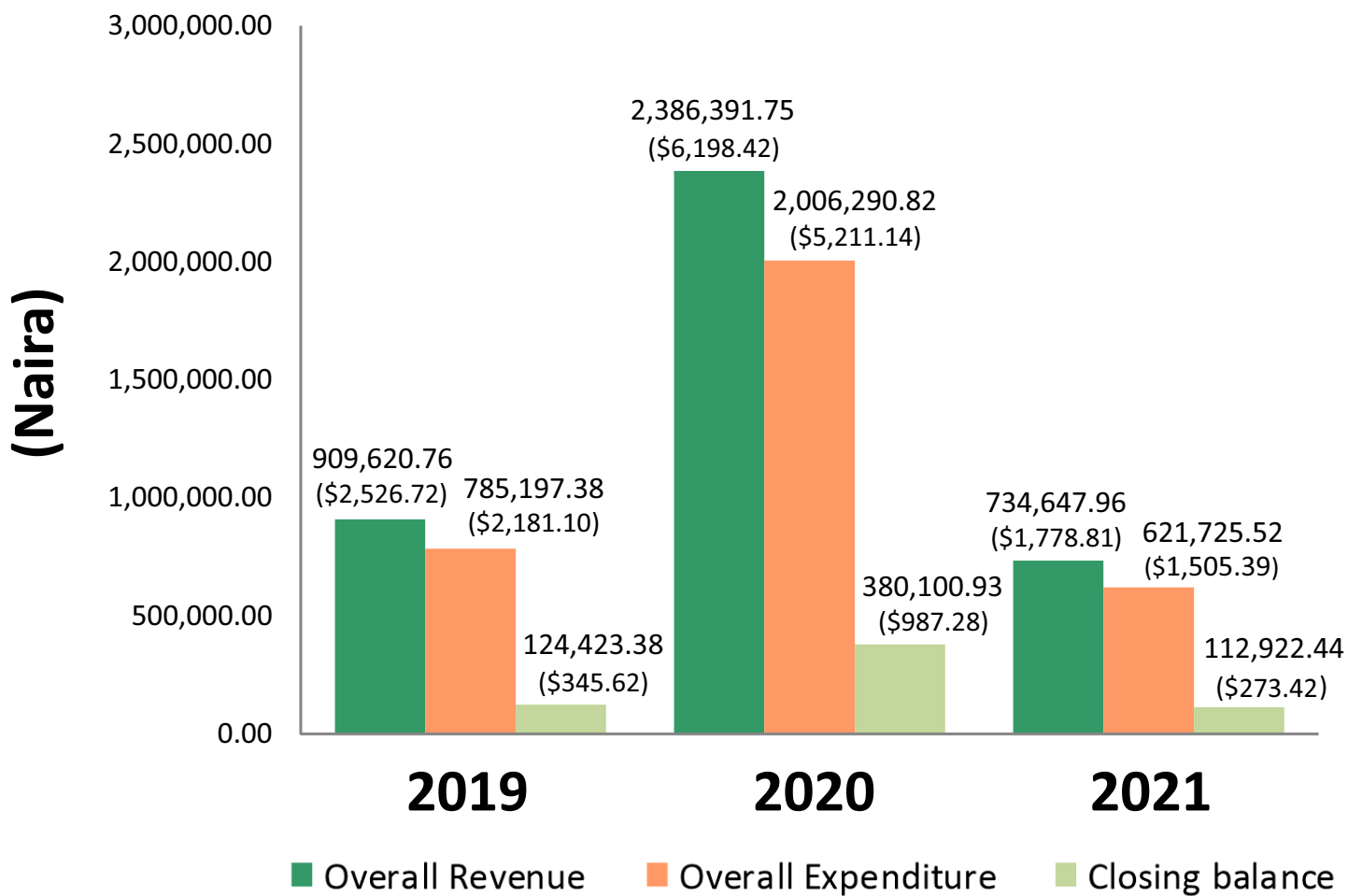
Support us! And know that we are efficient and accountable stewards of the resources generously entrusted to us.

Thank you for your continued support!



FINANCIALS

Year 2019 - 2021



Exchange Rate

2019: 1 USD = 360 NGN
2020: 1 USD = 385 NGN
2021: 1 USD = 413 NGN



SUPPORT 
OUR WORK!



Your support inspires us and your donation helps us to touch more lives. Together, let's make more sustainable impact in 2022 and beyond!

Kindly  make a donation



ACCOUNT NAME: Rural Nurture Initiative

NAIRA ACCOUNTS

0129334654 | Union Bank

6060405291 | Fidelity Bank

0642010871 | Guaranty Trust Bank

DOMICILIARY ACCOUNT

0653422139 | Guaranty Trust Bank

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