



MOMS & INFANTS
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ANNUAL REPORT

MICN IN **2024**

About Us



Moms and Infant Care Network (MICN) is a registered non-profit organization dedicated and committed to improve the health and well being of mothers, children and families. We provide comprehensive care support services for pregnant women and their families, striving to create a healthy happy community.

Mission

The mission of Moms and Infant Care Network is to foster an equitable environment that protects, improves and promotes optimal health and well-being for mothers, children and families.



Care

We partner with hospitals, clinics and medical personnel to provide high quality health services to underserved women, children and adolescents with an emphasis on equity, accessibility, compassion, and respect for our patients lived experiences.



Education

We provide opportunities to learn, teach, grow, and collaborate across professional disciplines and life backgrounds for women, children and adolescents volunteers in an inclusive educational environment.



Outreach

We extend our work beyond the walls to foster deep community partnerships and provide supportive health services that address social determinants of health in our community and to address disparities and social determinants of health.



Our Year In Numbers



2,310

IMPACT



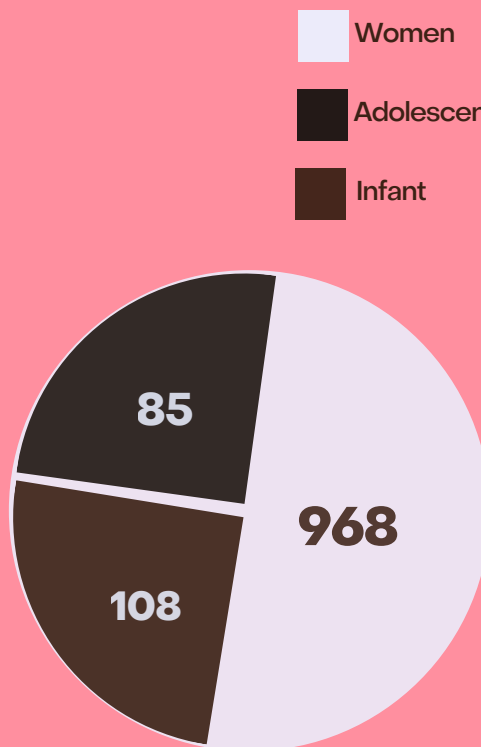
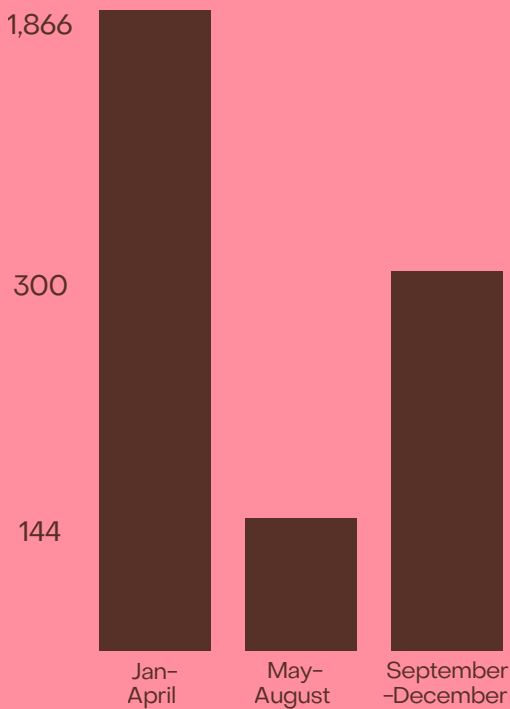
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2,773

DISTRIBUTION



N1,400,000

QUEEN SCHOLARSHIP
COHORT



N400,000

DONATION

2024 Highlights



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Maternal/Infant Health Education Symposium

At Mom Civic center, airport road, Warri, Delta state, on March 22nd, we hosted an education symposium for the sole purpose of educating women about the state of maternal and child health, stigma and myth surrounding childbirth in Nigeria. During the event, we addressed a lot of stigmas and misconceptions around cesarean section birth, males involvement in pregnancy, exclusive breastfeeding, family planning, and postpartum depression.

During the event, we distributed free items which includes 108 infant formula (NAN), 72 baby food (My boy), 10 baby beds/cribs, 150 pampers (pack of 34), 20 baby carriers, 300 sanitary pads (pack of 24) and 15 BP machines.



Adolescent Health Event



On the 16th of March, we conducted an adolescent health event in Okerenkoko. During the event, 40 adolescents were educated on growth, development and menstrual hygiene.

On July 2nd and 3rd, 2024, MICN hosted its inaugural West Africa Adolescent Health Awareness event in Benin and Togo, drawing an audience of 144 adolescents. The event made a meaningful impact, particularly on adolescent girls and women, as we provided crucial education on topics like reproductive health, menstrual hygiene, and STD prevention. We distributed 144 sanitary pads to the girls present, supporting their health and well-being.





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Medical Care Event



On 28th of March, we hosted a medical care event in Opuweidebubor, where we recorded 206 attendants. Free vital signs check was carried out and we discovered 26 patients had high blood pressure. We also gave free dental care to the participants.



On March 16th, we hosted a medical care event in Okerenkoko town, Delta State which had 800 attendees. During the course of this event, 112 people had eye checkups (including children, men and women). 32 patients registered for possible cataract extraction. 115 patients received dental checkups and 6 patients had their tooth removed while several others got theirs cleaned. We also discovered 20 patients who were hypertensive and 30 children who had measles. Some under five children were found to be malnourished and others have had no immunization at all which means they have never been vaccinated. This calls sensitization on health related issues like family planning, immunizations and nutrition.

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Breast Cancer Awareness Event



On October 18, 2024, MICN hosted a health education program at Ekpan General Hospital in Warri, Delta State. The event aimed to raise awareness about breast cancer, promote early detection, and raise funds for breast cancer research and support services across Nigeria. The program included health education seminars, breast self-examination workshops, and the provision of healthcare services such as blood pressure screenings, BMI assessments, tuberculosis testing and family planning services. Additionally, we facilitated medical consultations for 146 women, addressing a range of health concerns.

During the Breast Cancer Awareness Event, we distributed a total of 1,954 maternity health supplies to 300 women. These supplies included 38 packs of maternity pads, 112 packs of sanitary pads, 124 packs of wipes, 144 packs of small diapers, and 16 large packs of diapers (each containing 96 diapers).



Highlights



We detected one of the patient has breast cancer and a post-treatment evaluation is being followed up on the case.

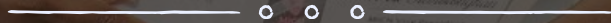


We discovered Isabella had an open heart surgery for Truncus Artriosus which was attended to at Babcock University Teaching Hospital. We donated four hundred thousand naira (N400,000) for the surgery.



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QUEEN SCHOLARSHIP COHORT



On January this year, we announced the opening of the Queen scholarship application. After we had screened the applications using our criterias, we choose the winners to be awarded. It was during the course the MICN launching conference event held on March 22nd that we awarded the 7 female students who won the scholarship. With this, we aim to empower and educate women in the health field through mentorship and professional development.



The Awardees



My name is Eseoghene Emmanuella Obi-Egbedi. A 2nd-year student of the Department of Dental Surgery at the University of Ibadan. I currently have a CGPA of 3.0 on a 4-point grade. The Queen's Scholarship has been of great help in covering the high cost of books. It has also eliminated the worries that could arise from insufficient funding. I strongly believe that with the financial support and mentorship from MICN.



My name is Testimony Oghenesuvwe Otuya. A 200-level student majoring in Medical Laboratory Science at the University of Benin (UNIBEN). The Queen's scholarship has contributed to my academic success tremendously, I was able to pay my tuition fees, register courses and get the needed materials and books for my study. It is indeed an honor to be a beneficiary of the Queens scholarship.



My name is Oyayefa Ayomiposi. A 300-level pharmacy student at the University of Ibadan. With this scholarship, I plan to actively participate in extracurricular activities that align with my passion for public health advocacy and keeping abreast of developments in the healthcare system. I am immensely grateful to the founder of this organization and all those who have partnered to make this scholarship possible.



My name is Truth Dekawei. A 100-level student majoring in Community Health Extension at Delta State School of Health and Technology (DELSCOTECH). I have excelled in my health practitioner program, earning high grades and gaining valuable clinical experience. I enjoy volunteering at health fairs and participating in health advocacy / medical missions. The Queen's scholarship has propelled me to focus more on my studies and has been instrumental in my success providing financial support and mentorship. Enabled me to gain practical experience and develop culturally sensitive health education materials.



My name is Decency Ebruphiyo Usobotie. A 200-level student with a 3.7 CGPA. I major in Nursing Science at Bayelsa Medical University. I aim to maintain academic excellence for the rest of my schooling. Noted for excelling in a subject in secondary school, I aspire to be a compassionate nurse, providing care to others, and graduating with distinction. The Queen's scholarship has been a vital pillar, alleviating financial pressures for fees and books, enabling me to focus on my university goals. Grateful for the support, I am dedicated to making a positive impact in healthcare and academics.



My name is Ruth Oghenevwogaga Edidjana. I am from Ethiope West LGA, Delta State; a 200-level student majoring in Midwifery at College of Nursing Science Sapele. My future career is to become a Certified Nurse Midwife and a successful entrepreneur in my field. Queen's Scholarship has been a vital part of my success lately in relieving me of the mental and emotional stress of running around in source of funds for purchasing textbooks and paying of posting fees. It is indeed a rare privilege to be a benefactor of this Scholarship scheme, it is my prayer that the good Lord continues to bless and strengthen the founders of this great vision.



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#UNGA79 SUMMIT

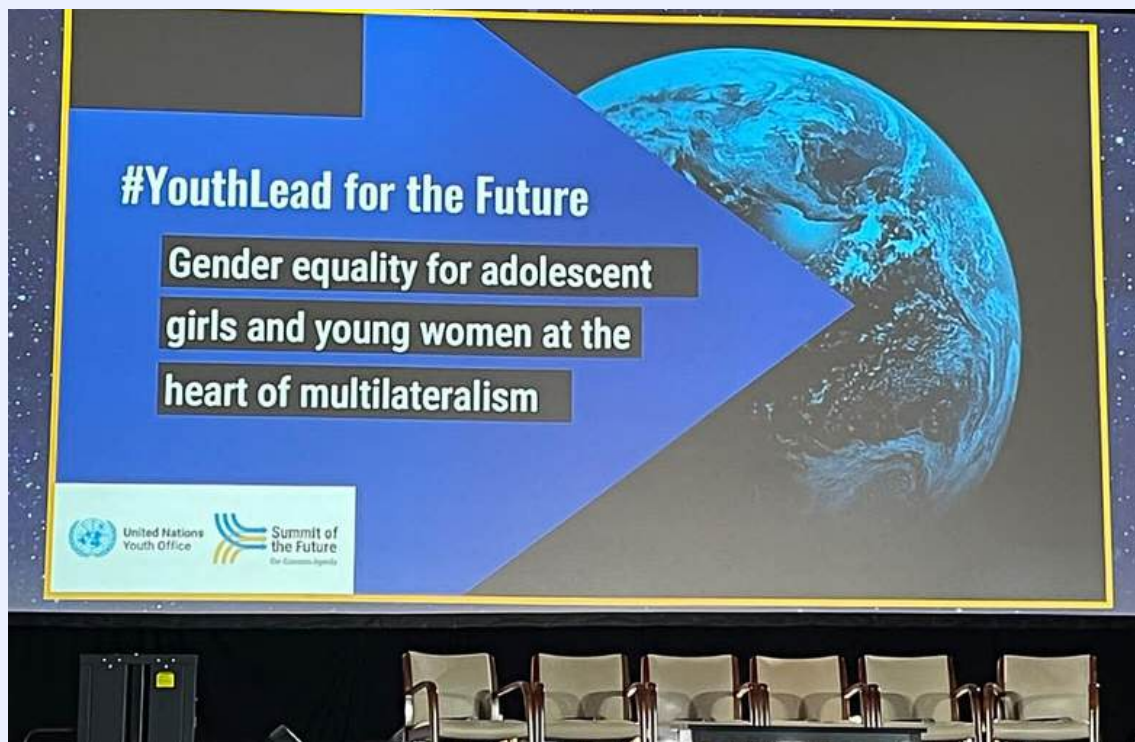


ACHIEVING GENDER EQUALITY, RIGHTS AND
EMPOWERMENT FOR ALL WOMEN AND GIRLS

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+30

SUMMIT OF THE FUTURE

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In September 2024, we represented the 79th United Nations General Assembly (UNGA79) in advancing the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), with a specific focus on "Good Health and Wellbeing." Our efforts were centered on reducing global maternal and infant mortality rates by promoting sustainable community engagement and improving access to maternity services in developing countries.

Preventive Health

This year, our team of Preventive Health help boost our enrollment and participation in our various preventive medicine offerings.



BREAST SELF
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I would love to express my profound gratitude to the founder, Dr. Praise Ebimaye Tangbe, the sponsors and all those who had immensely contributed to the growth of this foundation and also making this dream come true. I streamed and I couldn't help but smile when i saw the joy on people's face particularly those of the pregnant women. I felt so blessed to be part of this wonderful foundation, and seeing all these faces was such a heartwarming experience for me. God bless MICN. God bless the sponsors. God bless everyone related to the success of this program.



I want to commend your efforts in putting together an activity of such calibre tgat turned out successful. Just the way you are passionate towards development and good health for moms,children and family as a whole. May God satisfy you with your secret heart desires.



I want to sincerely appreciate the
Moms and Infant Care Network for
this wonderful opportunity. This
organization shall grow to greater
heights.



Dr Oguma, you are a blessing and pride to the
Ijaw land and Gbaramatu kingdom. Your kind
resemblance is rare considering your recent
health care intervention you organized in
Okerenkoko town, Delta State, Nigeria. God
bless, strengthen and protect you all your life
and may He grant you everlasting life in Jesus
name I pray, Amen.

COMRADE SOLOMON BOFA
Medical Laboratory Technician



Partners and Collaborators

2024 Sponsors

Tantita Security Services Nigeria Limited and Tompolo Foundation

N40,000,000

Esther Mathew Tonlagha Foundation

N10,000,000

Legionnaires for Mankind's Health

N4,698,000

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Individual Donors **TOTALING** **N525,000**
In Donations



Expenses

MICN Financials Summary

FY 2024

INCOME (\$)	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	FY24 Total
TOTAL INCOME	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,580	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,580
INCOME (N)	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	
TOTAL INCOME	₦2,910,000	-	₦32,065,027	₦20,600,000	-	₦55,575,027
EXPENSES	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	
Salaries	-	-	₦2,102,000	₦4,832,000	-	₦6,934,000
Medical Expenses	-	-	₦6,003,000	₦1,750,000	-	₦7,753,000
Scholarships	-	-	-	-	₦1,400,000	₦1,400,000
General Expenses	₦68	₦1,910,012	₦12,350,497	₦4,272,733	₦213	₦18,533,523
Vendors	-	₦677,000	₦1,598,000	₦280,000	-	₦2,555,000
Ground Transportation	-	₦30,000	₦5,032,500	₦466,000	-	₦5,528,500
Flights	-	-	₦1,483,052	₦3,562,600	-	₦5,045,652
Donations to Recipients	-	-	₦400,000	-	-	₦400,000
Legal Expenses	₦9,000	-	-	-	-	₦9,000
Technology	-	-	₦350,000	-	-	₦350,000
TOTAL EXPENSES	₦9,068	₦2,617,012	₦29,319,049	₦15,163,333	₦1,400,213	₦48,508,675

Note: The Total dollar(\$\$) income has been converted and added to the Total income in Naira (N)

Our Volunteers

61

VOLUNTEERS

40

PROFESSIONS
REPRESENTED



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