

“Highway To HIV/AIDS Awareness”

Marangu, Kilimajaro, Tanzania

8-12th February 2006

T h e m e s

Status quo of the epidemic

Epidemiology of HIV/AIDS, nationally and globally.

Lecturer: **Leonard Boniface, Tanzania** (bonnylenly@yahoo.com); **Taiwo Kelvin, Nigeria** (fasted_ngo@yahoo.com)

Others: _____

Leadership and Ways of Teaching

What do young people want/have to know? Obstacles and chances for learning/teaching. Who is a good leader? Qualities. Who is a good teacher? Qualities. How to teach what? Methods/tools. Conducive circumstances. Creativity. How to reach youth in different contexts? Skills. Networking. Ways of organizing groups and events. What is peer education?

Lecturer/Moderator: **Olusesan Olukoya, Nigeria** (ayen_ngr@yahoo.com) **Stephen Kasom, Uganda** ; **Akinbo A. A. Cornerstone**

Others: _____

HIV/AIDS and vulnerability

What does vulnerability mean? Who is vulnerable? Why? Causes? What to do?

Lecturers/Moderators/Demonstrators: **Michael Wanyama, Kenya** (mikewanyama@yahoo.com)

Knowledge about ways of transmission. ABC and other aspects of protection.

Lecturers/Discussion Moderator: **Stephen Kasom, Uganda**;

People Living with H/A

Life with HIV/AIDS in different contexts

The problem of Stigma, how to deal with it?

Lecturers/Moderators: **Michael Wanyama , Kenya**

Others: _____

H/A, Culture, Environment and Education

What role does culture, cultural practices, environment and education play in the spread of or fight against H/A? Other aspects / questions?

Lecturer/Discussion Moderator: **Dr. Moses Mwemi , Tanzania**

Others: _____

H/A, adolescent sexuality and reproductive health

What is adolescent sexuality, what is reproduction in different societies (contexts) and what does it mean for young people? What sexual practices do you find in different cultures? STDs and HIV/AIDS. What do alternative sexual and reproductive unions mean for the spread of or the fight against H/A? Family Planning. Other aspects or questions?

Lecturers/Discussion

Moderator: _____

H/A and psychology

Longing, romantic love, hope, desire, fear, shame, guilt and other emotional realities in the context of H/A. How to deal with it?

Lecturer/Discussion Moderator: _____

H/A, sexuality and spirituality

Why do we have sex? What is sexuality?

What is the purpose of religion?

The gap between sexuality and religion, scientists and priests, condom use and abstinence.....Is it possible to understand and accept others with a different view without thinking little of them or even condemn them?

How to practice mutual understanding and respect? Can we support each others work and thereby the people seeking clarification?

Lecturer/Discussion Moderator: **Br.Samuel Mparange, Tanzania, Dr. R.E. Futterer, Germany**

Others: _____

Poverty and H/A

Income generating activities for communities. Other aspects.

Lecturers/Moderators: **Leonard Boniface, Tanzania; Jimmy Ouma, Kenya**

Others: _____

Ways/Models for social mobilization and community empowerment

Lecturers/Moderators: **Jimmy Ouma, Kenya**

Others: _____

H/A and the role of traditional and modern medicine

Lecturers/Moderators: _____

Introduction of `Creative Arts Communication`

How to improve our artistic tools and general means of information/communication/networking /understanding?

How to understand the individual (subjective), the culture (intersubjective), behaviour and empirical facts (objective) and social action systems (objective) Dialogue; Experiences; Analytical tools.

Lecturers/Moderators: **Dr. R.E. Futterer, Germany; Jimmy Ouma, Kenya**

Others: _____

Other Themes

H/A Abstracts, music tracks

Others: _____

Lecturers/Moderators: **Emanuel Akapo africanarts4u@yahoo.com**

Others: _____

The Role of Oxfam International Youth Parliament for Social Change

Lecturers/Moderators: **Leonard Boniface, Tanzania** - an Oxfam IYP Action Partner

Programmes, future activities and vision

Teenage Life Programme, Kibera Community Youth Programme, Watu wa Watu, Mankind Aids Arts Awareness,

Others: _____

Conference Activities

Early Morning Meditation (optional//silent/ for all denominations, religions) at Kinukamori Waterfalls, Warming-ups, Lectures, Videos, Plays, Discussion and Study Groups, Arts Communication Workshops (Music, Drama, Others) i.g. “Forest of Hope”-Gallery, “Global Counselling Video”- Production, “Chagga Mirror”-Documentation”Video Documentary on HIV/AIDS and Its Impact to Tanzanian Young People”, “MDGs” and “Heshima” song, composed by Leonard Boniface.

Short Speeches:

by Dr. Mwemi, Br. Samuel Mparange, Grace. D. Shayo, A .P. Moshi, R.E. Futterer, Leonard Boniface, others

Welcome to the Highway to H/A Awareness; On Watu Wa Watu; On fear; On commitment; To the African Youth; On MAAA; On religion; others

Guest Speeches _____

Reforestation Session (half a day)

of Kinukamori Waterfall Conservation Area with Ficus-seedlings and other trees (each participant at least one seed/seedling)

Sensitisation Festival

in the centre of Marangu (half a day) as a `community link` to the conference

Documentation

Short visits

of historical, cultural and natural sites (walking distance) in and around Marangu (caves, waterfalls, lakes, Chagga huts and others)

Evaluation

Question Box – Treasure Box - Dust Bin

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