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Zero Stigma and Discrimination Day

In her goodwill message at the UNAIDS 10th Anniversary to commemorate the event the National Coordinator said stigma leads to poor drug adherence and encourages society to help prevent the spread of HIV and embrace innovations. #RightEqualsHealth





ASWHAN FCT Chapter Commemorates IWD



ASWHAN Lagos Chapter



ASWHAN Borno Chapter



ASWHAN Rivers Chapter



ASWHAN Kwara Chapter

International Women's Day 2024

As a show of inclusion and leaving no one behind, UN WOMEN under the CLAISE Project funded ASWHAN to commemorate the 2024 International Women's Day themed: Count Her In Invest in Women, Accelerate Progress, across the 36 states and FCT.



ASWHAN Gombe Chapter

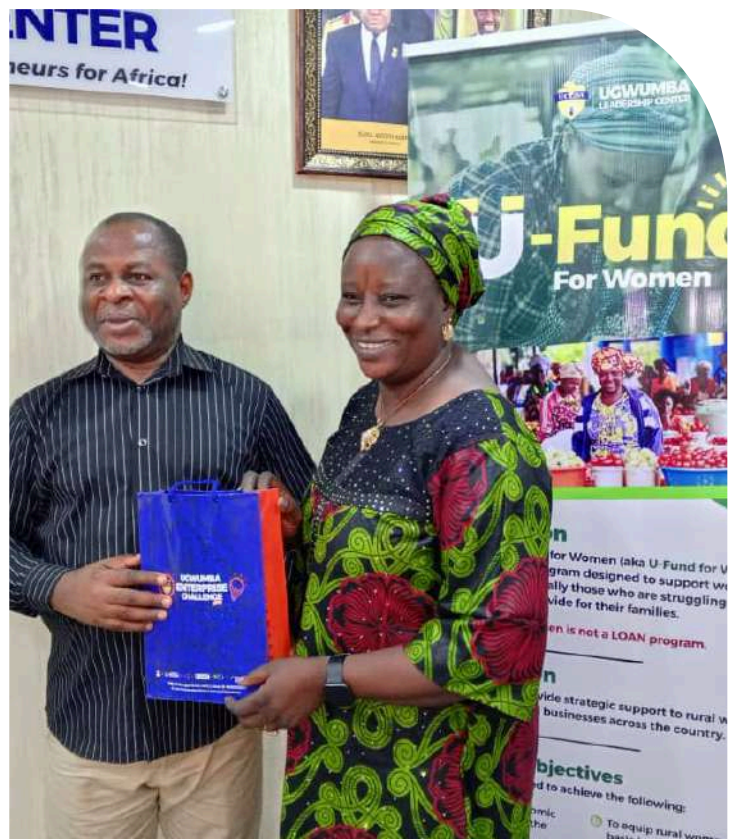


ASWHAN Bauchi Chapter



Advocacy visit to Ugwumba Leadership Center

The National Coordinator in her concern with strengthening the economic capacity of her members, especially those at the grassroots, paid an advocacy visit to the CEO. This yielded a fruitful result as 20 women were given grants to help boost their small-scale businesses in Jigawa, FCT, Nasarawa, Borno, and Delta states.





Inauguration of BOT

In line with the goal of strengthening the institutional capacity of ASWHAN and building a sustainable structure, UN WOMEN funded ASWHAN on the inauguration of a five-member Board of Trustees (BOT) consisting of three women and 2 men.

The Inauguration was followed by a 2-Day intensive training and capacity building on resource mobilization for the Board of Trustees, management board, and Staff.





Review of Peer-to-Peer Toolkit

As an action point to follow up on the survey conducted to assess the needs of ASWHAN Women, ASWHAN through the engagement of Consultants developed Peer-to-Peer and Advocacy toolkits with funding support from UN WOMEN under the CLAISE Project and technical support from UNAIDS and NACA.

The draft of these toolkits was reviewed with inputs from representatives from NASCP, NACA, UNAIDS, PEPFAR Nigeria, UNHRC Nigeria, AHF, IHVN NEPWHAN, APYIN and many other partners



16 DAYS OF ACTIVISM



National HIV Prevention Conference 2024

The National Agency for the Control of AIDS (NACA) under the leadership of the DG Dr. Temitope Ilori organized a 3 - Day National Conference with support from other partners. The National Coordinator in her Goodwill message at the opening ceremony appreciated NACA for the sponsorship of 5 ASWHAN state coordinators and emphasized the need for engaging with Women living with HIV in PMTCT Interventions to prevent new infections and end AIDS by 2030

