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FOUNDATION FOR THE COOPERATION IN AGRICULTURE, ACTIONS FOR PEACE AND DEVELOPMENT

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Distribution of sheet metal to victims of the fire in Bukavu, September 2025.

REPORT SUMMARY

31 orphaned and vulnerable children received schooling (they received school kits, school fees were paid, and they received close support);

143 traumatized individuals received support;

20 young people received computer training;

120 women heads of displaced households received food as part of the humanitarian emergency;

10 households affected by the fire received corrugated iron sheets for their reconstruction in Bukavu.

324 people supported and assisted by the CAAPD Foundation in 2025

SUPPORT FOR PEOPLE IN DISTRESS

PROJECT FOR THE EDUCATION OF ORPHANED AND VULNERABLE CHILDREN

This support program for people in distress is operational through the Education of Orphaned and Vulnerable Children project.

This year, we supported 31 orphaned and vulnerable children thanks to the support of the Consortium of Organizations from the African Great Lakes Region and beyond.

The success rate for these children was 100%. One obtained her state diploma but was unable to find the means to pursue university studies.

These children received school kits and had their school fees paid throughout the year.

Continuous supervision was provided. These children received quality support regardless of their financial limitations.

Some became ill, but due to insufficient financial resources, we raised awareness among the families of their guardians to cover the medical expenses. This was very difficult, as all members of the families of guardians lead a life of hardship and extreme poverty. The war situation in 2025 has affected these children, who have suffered ever since. They have faced trauma and difficult lives related to their diet in foster families, which has negatively impacted their physical, mental, and emotional health.

We would like to ask anyone with the goodwill to support these children with educational and nutritional assistance, specifically by providing nutritious porridge to strengthen and improve their health. The ages of these children range from 5 to 17 years old.



Image of school kit distribution in September 2025 for the launch of the 2025-2026 school year, Activity carried out on September 4, 2025 at the Bugabo Technical Institute (ITB -ISDR)

TRAUMA HEALING

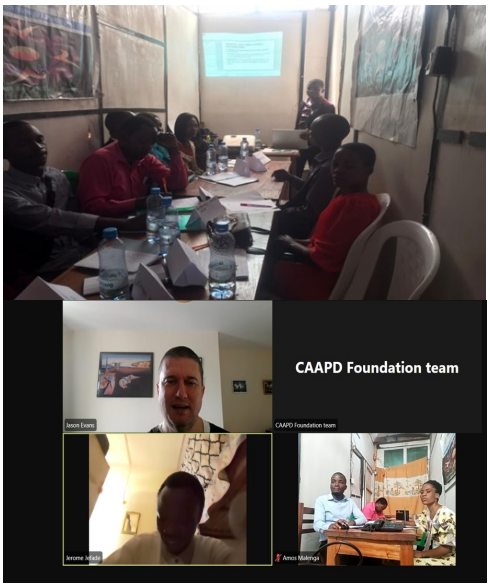
The healing of broken hearts is an active process that is simultaneously spiritual, physical, and medical.

The population of Bukavu suffers from trauma that manifests itself in various forms.

Armed conflicts cause massive psychological suffering among civilians, particularly displaced persons and refugees (Richard F. Mollica, 1987), and mental health is a central but often overlooked issue in conflict zones (Dominic Murphy and Victoria Williamson, 2020).

In 2025, the CAAPD Foundation supported 143 traumatized individuals through trauma healing and stress management (relief). 104 participated in stress relief sessions, and 39 cases involved the treatment of war-related trauma, issues of marital distress, violence, torture, and other related problems. 22 cases were declared healed, and 17 cases are currently under supervision and receiving ongoing guidance from their volunteer support team. This program includes 10 volunteer counselors who dedicate themselves to patients but unfortunately work in very difficult and critical conditions due to insufficient resources, logistical challenges, and a lack of necessary tools such as books and treatment kits (a well-ventilated and quiet space, supplies), as well as financial support.

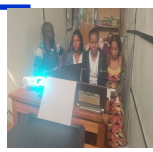
The team benefited from 17 online capacity-building training sessions on various topics. Jason Evans from Brighton Meeting in the UK, who volunteers with the CAAPD Foundation in trauma healing training, facilitated these sessions.



War trauma is a major obstacle to achieving SDG 3, which aims to promote mental health and well-being

PROMOTION OF YOUTH AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Youth is a strength for the DRC, which is predominantly young but poorly guided, leading them to abuse and hostility, destabilizing Congolese society. The Foundation empowers young people to become self-reliant and take control of their destinies, which are not predetermined by the country's political landscape. Following surveys conducted with young people this year, we observed a lack of technological skills and computer literacy. Therefore, we launched computer training for 10 young people per cohort, given the insufficient number of computers available. Twenty young people benefited from this training, but we temporarily suspended the project due to challenging learning conditions. We plan to resume it in 2026 if all the necessary equipment is secured.



Learning about computers

HUMANITARIAN EMERGENCIES

Thanks to a consortium activity through the Quaker Peace Network of Bukavu, comprised of the CAAPD Foundation and CEEACO (Community of Evangelical Friends Churches in Congo), with support from Quaker Congo Partnership UK, we assisted 120 displaced women heads of households in Bukavu in April 2025. These displaced women heads of households received 20 kg of maize flour per household.

This support arrived at a time of urgent need, as these households were experiencing hardship due to food shortages. It provided rapid relief, and the beneficiaries expressed their gratitude and satisfaction.

This support was not continuous.







Food distribution in Bukavu, April 2025.

The humanitarian situation remains critical in the areas where refugees and displaced persons live, as UN experts and international organizations continue to demonstrate in various reports.

At the local level, we continue to seek support to assist them. Ten households affected by the fire received corrugated iron sheets for their rehabilitation in Bukavu.



QUID FINANCE

PROGRAMME	AMOUNT SPENT USD
EDUCATION	2910
PROMOTION OF YOUTH	1000
TRAUMA HEALING	550
HUMANITARIAN EMERGENCIES	2300
WEBSITE MANAGMENT AND COMMUNICATION	580
TOTAL ANNUAL BUDGET EXPENDITURE	**7605**

THE DIFFERENT SOURCES OF FUNDS AND CONTRIBUTION TO THE 2025 ANNUAL BUDGET

THE CONSORTIUM (COREGLA): 49.3%

BRIGHTON MEETING UK: 3.7%

QPN AND OTHER DONATIONS FROM GOOD-FOR-WELL INDIVIDUALS: 47%

CHALLENGES AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The challenges are linked to insecurity and armed conflict, insufficient financial resources, etc.

Therefore, we appeal to people of goodwill to make a donation to help these people in distress. Bank details and other ways to donate are on the next page.

Thank you for your support.

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Who are we?

The Foundation for Agricultural Cooperation for Action for Peace and Development (CAAPD) is a non-profit organization based in Bukavu, South Kivu Province, Democratic Republic of Congo. It was established in 2021 and is registered under number JUST.112/DP-SK/CA/6993.

CAAPD works to promote food security, peace, trauma healing, humanitarian emergencies, climate change, support for people in distress, youth and entrepreneurship, and community development.

Our vision

CAAPD's vision is to provide assistance to alleviate the suffering experienced by the population of the DRC and to contribute to the development of a peaceful, violence-free, developed, and prosperous world.

Our Mission

- *The CAAPD Foundation's mission is to:*
- *Consolidate peace;*
- *Support people in distress (widows, vulnerable and abandoned children, people living with disabilities, victims of violence, etc.);*
- *Carry out emergency humanitarian aid;*
- *Fight climate change;*
- *Unite, educate, inspire, and promote youth and entrepreneurship;*
- *Heal trauma;*
- *Educate the population (civic education);*
- *Promote the well-being of the population;*
- *Work towards food security.*

FOR DONATIONS

Donations via SWIFT can be made to the CAAPD Foundation's bank details:

Bank Name : EQUITY BCDC
Account Name : FONDATION CAAPD
Account Number/IBAN : 00011050400200066483259
Swift Code : BCDCCDKI
Sol ID : 5040 BUKAVU BRANCH
Country : DRC

Donations can also be made via WorldRemit (www.worldremit.com) at the following phone number: +243 994 604 865.

Donation By Western-Union: Amosi Malenga Amos, Bukavu, South Kivu, DRC.

Your donation is unique and magnificent

because it heals broken hearts, sustains the lives of people in distress and victims of war, rehabilitates households devastated by fires, provides food for displaced people in difficult situations, including children and women in critical condition, rebuilds the future of young people, and consolidates peace in eastern DRC.

Done in Bukavu, February 17, 2025,
Amos Malenga
Coordinator