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**GHANA HEALTH SERVICE CORONA VIRUS UPDATE**

Summary of Recoveries by Region, Mar 2020 - 01 Jul 2021

Region	Cases	Recovered/ Discharged	% Recovered/ Discharged	Active Cases
Ahafo	775	715	92.3	39
Ashanti	16,188	15,508	95.8	533
Bono	1,426	1,378	96.6	8
Bono East	1,447	1,420	98.1	3
Central	3,552	3,474	97.8	29
Eastern	4,440	4,327	97.5	35
Greater Accra	52,894	51,812	98.0	831
North East	231	220	95.2	2
Northern	1,660	1,625	97.9	6
Oti	461	449	97.4	5
Savannah	123	121	98.4	0
Upper East	1,320	1,276	96.7	0
Upper West	500	481	96.2	0
Volta	2,612	2,568	98.3	16
Western	5,953	5,890	98.9	23
Western North	919	901	98.0	10
International travellers (KIA)	1,901	1,822	95.8	79
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>96,402</b>	<b>93,987</b>	<b>97.5</b>	<b>1,619</b>

## EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE



**Dear Reader,**

We welcome you all to the June, 2021 edition of the BHA Newsletter. We shall give an update on our activities in this month's Newsletter.

BHA is continually working and contributing towards ensuring an improved quality of life for the rural poor.

God Almighty, thank you for your amazing power and work in our lives, thank you for your goodness and for your blessings over us. Thank you for bringing hope to the hopeless through Blue Horizon Aid and Ghana Freundeskreis.

This 'message wall' stands as a tribute to our readers and Ghana Freundeskreis for their generosity and support. I want to thank you for your time and effort in helping us get through these life-changing endeavors.

We are overwhelmed with your forthcoming response and thanks to you, we have helped address dire issues of the underprivileged. We are so thrilled and cannot wait to continue this journey with you. We are forever grateful.

We strongly urge our readers to join hands with BHA in whatever capacity. Each drop counts.

Thank you once again for your generous support. "Nyame Nhyira Mo Nyinaa" (Translated God - Bless You All)

## BHA PARTNERS FREUDE UND FORDERER e.V VON NASCO TO DONATE MOSQUITO NETS TO NATILLA SCHOOL COMPLEX



Our Journey to Natilla School Complex in Cape coast started at the early hours of the morning from Accra to Cape Coast. As we approached the school, we found ourselves in a drizzle of rain indicating the weather changes in the wet season. BHA partnered Freude und Forderer von Nasco to donate Mosquito Nets to Natilla School Complex in Abrafo-Odumase in Cape Coast, Central Region.

Abrafo-Odumase where Natilla School Complex is situated, is a small village located in Twifo lower Denkyira District of the Central Region about 30 kilometers North of Cape Coast.

Management of the school, Mr Richard Hayford Boateng (Head Teacher), Mr Abraham Sampson (Manager) and teachers received the Executive Director of BHA Mr Benjamin Turkson and his team and thanked them warmly in a welcome address for coming to their aid. They again stressed on how vital these Mosquito Nets were as the weather gradually deteriorates to make way for heavy rainfall due to the wet season.

Local Nurses in the community of Abrafo-Odumase were invited to Natilla School Complex to give a brief demonstration on how to effectively use the treated nets. Nurses cautioned pupils on how seriously deadly Malaria is and how useful the nets were in preventing it.

Seeing the lightened-up faces and smiles of the pupils as the BHA team and nurses distributed the Mosquito nets was a sight to behold. A sigh of relief meant that they could combat malaria with these treated nets. Management of the school amidst appreciation and delight also mentioned on the dying need of a well-equipped modern library for the school. This is to assist the pupils have access to all kinds of books to improve their knowledge.

The school prefect of Natilla School complex, Nii Armah Clement in an address stressed on how grateful they were to the donors for receiving such valuable lifesaving treated mosquito nets.



**Upon reaching the school, Students of Natilla helped to carry sacks of Mosquito nets to the school premises.**



**Group picture with Management of Natilla School, Mr Richard Hayford Boateng, (Head teacher) Mr Abraham Sampson (Proprietor), teachers and Blue Horizon Aid's Executive director, Mr Benjamin Turkson, Mayfair Adjei-Nkansah and Mr Mark Jumpah (BHA Team members) and Local Nurses in Abrafo-Odumase, (Dinah Mensah and Gloria Mensah)**



**BHA Team with Nurses**



**Mr Abraham Sampson(Manager of Natilla School Complex) with Nurses**



**Mr Benjamin Turkson (BHA Executive Director) unravels the sack for the mosquito nets**



**Mr Abraham Sampson (Manager of Natilla School) inspecting Mosquito nets**



**(Diana Mensah) Nurse demonstrating to the students and management on how to effectively use the mosquito nets**



**Students assemble and prepare to receive mosquito nets**





**School prefect of Natilla School Nii Armah Clement receives mosquito net**



**(BHA team member) Mayfair Adjei-Nkansah distributes mosquito nets to pupils**



**Adorable Natilla School pupils holding on tight to mosquito nets**



**Mr Benjamin Turkson (BHA Executive Director) and Team shares a picture with students of Natilla School Complex**



**Mr Benjamin Turkson (BHA Executive Director) shares a word of prayer with Natilla School students**

## DONATION OF MARKER BOARDS TO SENYA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL



BHA with the help of Ghana Freundeskreis in the month of June donated White Marker boards to Senya Senior High School in Senya Breku. There were ten (10) boards in total with markers as well as dusters.



**Group picture with Mr Benjamin Turkson (Executive Director of BHA) together with BHA team, Mrs Hilda Justina Dennis (Headmistress), Mr Samuel Ofosu (Head General Administration), and subject teachers.**

The Headmistress (Mrs Hilda Justina Dennis) stressed on how timely the Markers and Marker Boards were and expressed relief and appreciation at the kind gesture of donating the items to the school.

The Management of the school who were present were Mrs Hilda Justina Dennis (Headmistress), Mr Samuel Ofosu (Head General Administration), Ms Portia Rejoice (Asst. Head Academics), Ms Philomena Dagadu (Asst. Head Domestic) and Mrs Esther Bonful (Subject Teacher) who warmly received BHA Team with great excitement.

Mr Benjamin Turkson in his presentation mentioned that he was grateful to the teachers for their persistence in helping the students even with lack of teaching materials. He

promised that the other projects were in the pipeline and God willing it will hopefully commence soon.

He advised the children to study hard especially those in their final year so that they will pass their exams to bring good returns on the investments the donors (Ghana Freundeskreis) have made in their lives. He expressed hope that the overall best WASSCE student will come from Senya Senior High School.



**BHA Team together with students of Senya offloading Marker Boards to the school**



**Students of Senya High school assembled for the presentation**



**Mounted Marker Boards on display**



**Mounted Marker Boards on display**



**BHA's Executive Director Mr Benjamin Turkson donating the Marker Boards, markers and dusters to Headmistress of Senya Senior High School (Mrs Hilda Justina Dennis)**



**Team member of BHA (Mr Mark Jumpah) very neatly inscribes on donated Marker board with a marker.**



Mr Benjamin Turkson in his delivery entreated the students to take their studies seriously because the support they are getting came wholeheartedly from Ghana Freundeskreis in Germany and this is to contribute to the development of their education and also add to the development of the society. He further expressed hope the students become great entrepreneurs in the near future.



**BHA Team together with Senya High School Students**



**Students of Senya Senior High along with visual arts teachers in the process of using stencils to imprint names of donors on the Marker boards**



**Senya Senior High proudly imprints names of donors on the Marker Boards**

## **\*TITLE: WHERE GOD IS PRAISED, HE AUTOMATICALLY SHOWS UP\***

### **Memory Verse:**

PSALM 22:3- \* "But thou art holy, O thou that inhabitest the praises of Israel" \*

God thrives in the environment of praise. Every living thing thrives in its own ecological niche. Fishes swim and thrive in water; monkeys stay on trees and birds fly in the air. Likewise, God functions in an environment called PRAISE. God's dwelling place is in praise. To praise is to extol, magnify, speak well of, etc. God dwells in an atmosphere where His name is honored and magnified. Where God is praised, He automatically shows up.

Psalm 22:3

When Paul and Silas were whipped and imprisoned for casting out a spirit of divination from a young girl, they prayed and praised God at midnight for their open heavens.

\_ "And at midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God: and the prisoners heard them. And suddenly there was a great earthquake, so that the foundations of the prison were shaken: and immediately all the doors were opened, and everyone's bands were loosed." \_ Acts 16:25-26

As they were praying and singing praises unto the Lord, suddenly, there was an earthquake that shook the very foundation of the house. This shows that as we praise God, He releases His power into our circumstances, dealing with the very root of our challenges and bringing about a solution.

### **\*Prayer: \***

Lord, may praise always come from my heart and lips to extol your Holy name knowing that as I do this, you will work things out for my good.

## GHANA HEALTH SERVICE - COVID-19 VACCINE



Source: Citi Newsroom.com

The Ministry of Health is expected to procure 42 million COVID-19 vaccine doses. Ghana's President Akufo-Addo stated that 17.6 million of those would be delivered by June 2021.

The nation has been administering doses of the Oxford-AstraZeneca vaccine since March 1st, when Phase 1 of the immunization drive began.

As of April 20th, Ghana's health service reports that 787,180 Ghanaians had received a first dose.

Some 16,000 doses of the Sputnik V vaccine were also delivered in March, but none have been administered so far. The Russian Direct Investment Fund, which markets the Sputnik V vaccine globally, also announced Ghana's participation in Phase 3 clinical trials of the single-dose Sputnik Light vaccine.

### PREVENTIVE MEASURES FOR THE GENERAL PUBLIC

- Observe social distancing; Avoid handshaking
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, dispose the tissue in a closed bin, and then wash your hands.
- Always wear a mask, particularly when leaving home
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects or surfaces such as remote controls and doorknobs.



## OUR CORE VALUES

### Belief in God

We proclaim that Jesus is Lord and that God raised Him from the dead."

### Excellence



"We will strive to be the best of the best in our service delivery. Exceeding Expectations will be our Hallmark."

### Respect



"Everyone has equal value. We will treat everyone with equal respect"

### Credibility



"Trustworthiness, transparency, accountability, integrity towards all our stakeholders."

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