

CAPACITY STATEMENT

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of 214 national and 116 international NGOs that operates to address the humanitarian and development needs.

The objective / mission of HACO is to engage itself in non-profit activities on nonprofit purpose. To strengthen and

promote the communities' capacities through capacity building in entrepreneurial skills, engender peace and security, access to justice, inclusive education support, Hygiene, water and Sanitation, SGBV, Health and nutrition, Food Security and livelihoods.

HACO's core values: Gender sensitivity; Co-operation; Mutual respect and trust; Honesty; Transparency and accountability, Participatory approaches in development.

Capacity Statement General Introduction:

Origin and Legal Status: HACO NNGO founded on 14th September 2014. Officially registered by the Ministry of Justice, & Relief, & Rehabilitation Commission, Republic of South Sudan on 17th *April* 2015.

Governance Structure: 1 Chairperson, Vice –Chairperson, 1 Secretary, 3 Members. Senior Management of HACO is Executive Director.

HACO is registered member to the South Sudan NGO Forum¹. South Sudan NGO Forum is an independent coordinating body

¹ <https://southsudanngoforum.org/>

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HACO's strategy is to work across South Sudan where communities are suffering and recovering from disaster, conflict, post – conflict economic hardships by helping communities move rapidly from crisis to long term, durable recovery and continue to provide assistance until we are no longer needed.

HACO's target groups: Internally displaced persons, returnees, local communities, grass root communities' groups and networks, youth, women at risk, children.

The main areas of focus are WASH, Community – based education, prevention of and response to GBV programming, FSL, General Protection, Peacebuilding, Access to Justice and Rule of Law, Health, Vocational and Technical Education / Proficiency Trainings, Community based Child Protection, Nutrition.

PROGRAMS HIGHLIGHTS 2019 YEAR

- ✓ SGBV prevention and response project funded by South Sudan Humanitarian Fund (SSHF) in Ganyiel Payam, Panyijiar County, Unity.
- ✓ Access to justice and Rule of law funded by UNDP involving establishment and operating Justice and Confidence Centre (JCC) in Yambio County, Western Equatoria State.
- ✓ Beyond Bentiu Response (BBR) project funded by IOM involving market rehabilitation, livelihoods and vocational training for IDP youth and the host community in Bentiu and Rubkona in Unity State.
- ✓ WASH activities funded by South Sudan Humanitarian Fund (SSHF) - 2nd allocation for an integrated WASH, Nutrition and SGBV project in Rubkona and Panyijiar counties, Unity.
- ✓ UNDP funded Project in Unity titled "Provision of Emergency WASH support to IDPs, Returnees and Vulnerable Host Communities in Rubkona, Panyijiar counties, of Unity state".

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HACO manpower: we celebrate our diverse employers and the passion they bring to enable lasting change for children and communities:

33 part-time field based staff,
35 field based community mobilizers,
15 full time staff based in Juba Country Office,
5 full time Yambio

1 Maridi full time

Lake states: Yarol 2 full staff, Rumbek – 1 full time,

Unity: Panyijar– 4 full time, Bentiu – 5 full time staff,
Mayom - 5 full time & Jonglei state: Pibor -1 full time staff.

Completed Programs of previous years:

- In 2018 year UNDP funded project in Yambio “Establish and operate a Justice and Confidence Centre).
- In 2018 year IOM funded project under Youth Reintegration Strategy in Unity, titled “Creating conditions for peaceful coexistence between youth Internally Displaced Persons, returnees and Host Communities”.
- In 2018 year, IOM funded project in Unity titled “Promoting peaceful co-existence among the youth IDPs returnees and host community in Rubkona and Bentiu towns of Unity state through livelihood.”
- In 2018 year, UN SSHF funded project in Unity, titled “Emergency WASH support to IDPs and Vulnerable host communities in Rubkona and Panyijar counties with high malnutrition, GBV and cholera prone”

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- In 2017 year, UNDP funded project “Facilitating grassroots peace initiatives conducive to an inclusive and credible national dialogue in South Sudan”
- A 3 months’ project supported by UNDP on Advocacy for grassroots peace initiative and inclusive dialogue for sustainable peace and coexistence among the communities in Yirol East and Panyijiar counties July to August 2017
- A 2 month’s project funded by UNDP on accelerating peaceful coexistence through inter-communal interdependence in Panyijiar and Yirol East Counties March to April 2017.
- A 6 months’ project funded by UNDP on community dialogue to strengthen interdependencies in Yirol East County and Panyijiar County in 2016
- A 3 Months UNICEF Funded –WASH –Hygiene and Cholera prevention and control program in Juba City –Buluk section in Hai Malakia, Hai -Neem, Hai Cinema, Hai Commercial, Nimra-talata, Ushratuna and Hai -Thora.
- Peace Security and Arms control project meant to consolidate Peace Security through conducting dialogues for strengthening .

Membership to South Sudan Coordination Cluster / Sub Cluster:

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| WASH | full membership |
| GBV | full membership |
| FSL | full membership |
| Child Protection | Associate membership |
| Protection | Full time |
| Health | Associate membership |
| Shelter / NFI | Full membership |

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- Community interdependencies funded by UNDP was implemented for 6 months in Yirol East, and Rumbek East Counties in lakes State region and Panyinjia County of Unity in 2017.

HACO's Offices across South Sudan

- Central Equatoria, Juba Country Office
- Western Equatoria Yambio & Maridi
- Unity Bentiu, Ganyiel, Mayom
- Lakes Rumbek, Yirol East
- Jonglei Pibor

Assets

Unity state: 3 laptops, 1 photo camera, 2 phones, 2 Solar panels 1 Power back up, 1 copy machine, 3 bicycles.

Lake state: 1 Phone.

WES: 1 computer, 1 phone, 1 flash.

Jonglei state: 1 phone.

Central Equatoria state, Juba: 1 generator, 3 light vehicles, 2 copy machines, 1 desk top, 5 laptops, 2 phones, 1 hard disk, 2 flash, 1 Internet backup.

The HACO staff are bound with values and principles outlined in the UN Principles of Humanitarian Workers, Code of Conduct, UN PSEA and Child Protection Policy.

HACO expects its employees, volunteers, service providers to maintain the highest standards of ethical conduct, to ensure their compliance with all applicable national laws in formal Justice and Rule of Law System.

HACO follows financial integrity and non-fraud of our beneficiaries, our donors, our partners, local communities.

HACO's policy:

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HACO provides equal treatment of all our beneficiaries, and provide equal employment opportunities to all employees, and qualified applicants for employment without regard to race, color, religion, gender, nationality, age, marital status.

Our long term plans:

- Membership into international and regional alliances, and networks
- Enhance capacity of our current manpower
- Build our technical capital
- Expand needs-ascertained and needs-based programs.

