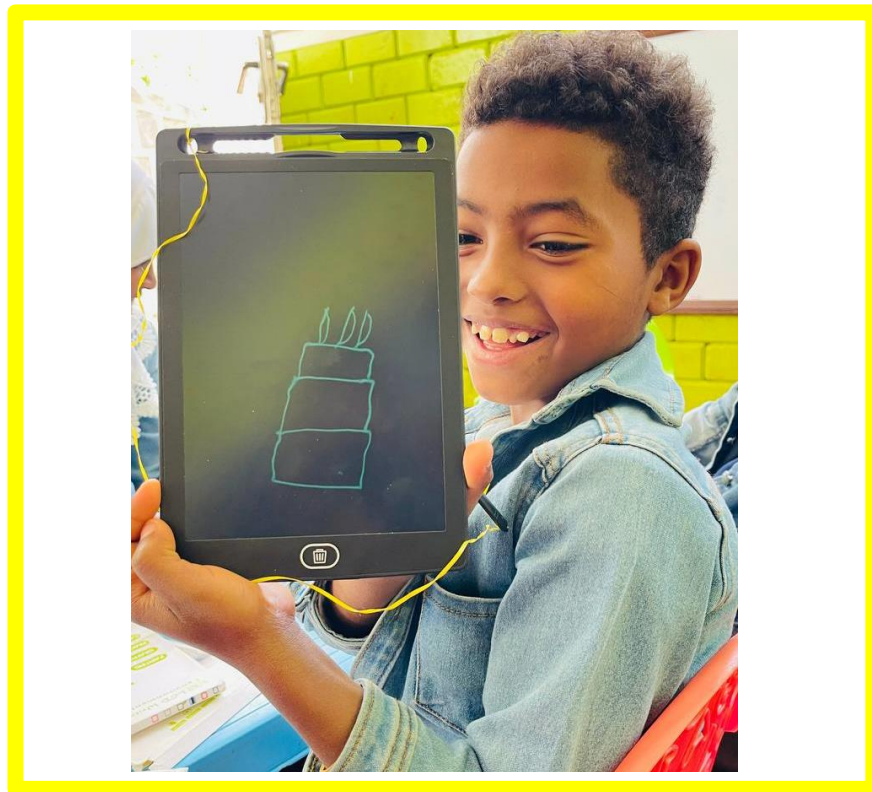




# Renovation for Emergency unit Pediatric Oncology Emergency Unit



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## 1. General Information

1. **Name of the Organization:** Tesfa Addis Parents Childhood Cancer Organization (TAPCCO)

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3. **Name of Head of the Organization:** Sara Ibrahim Abdulla

Paid Staff 52                      Volunteers Average 20/month but number varies

4. A Copy of license attached

5. The general goal/mission of TAPCCO is to increase the rate of curability of pediatrics cancer through parents' involvement and improving the quality of services in the treatment, diagnostic, and follow-up works.

6. Brief description including results of the work the organization has done previously undertaken specifically identifying project and initiatives promote the sustainability of your organization or its beneficiaries.

- TAPCCO since it is established have assisted more than 2000 children and parents. The major achievement is the advocacy work it did with the Ministry of Health to put childhood cancer in its agenda. As a result we see improvement in the supply of cancer medicine which before we started there was a great challenge in accessing medicine. In some cases no medicines were available and parents has to buy smuggled drugs or has to ask connection overseas to send the medicines.
- TAPCCO was able to renovate the pediatric oncology ward in Tikur Anbessa which was not in a good condition and had a lot of risk of infection. As a result other wards have been renovated recently with the support of Yemi Getachew Foundation.
- We have served in accommodation for low-income parents and patients coming from regions. This has enabled parents to allow their children to continue treatment and get positive results. The provision of nutrition has helped the children to respond well to the treatment. We have hundreds of survivors as a result of the continued and adherence to the treatment.

7. Copies of annual overall budget of the organization as well as financial statement and auditor's report for the past two years.



## **2. List of other donors supporting us**

1. Aslan Projects (USA)
2. Yemi Getachew Foundations (USA)
3. American Childhood Cancer Organization (ACCO)
4. HYAT AID (Turkey)
5. Moyee Coffee (Ethiopia)
6. Mulmul Bakery (Ethiopia)
7. Ethiopian Insurance Company (Ethiopia)
8. MUSTAQEBLE Charity Society (Ethiopia)
9. Dejochesh Ayezegu (Ethiopia)
10. International Clinical Laboratory (Ethiopia)
11. Wudassie Diagnostics (Ethiopia)
12. Pioneers Diagnostics (Ethiopia)
13. Bayush Kolfe (Ethiopia)
14. Gemini Health Group (USA)
15. Mulu Foundation (USA)
16. Individuals and different offices

## **3. Proposed Project Details**

**3.1. Description of the activity being proposed, including the title of the project location, target beneficiaries, number of beneficiaries, and expected result through this proposal.**

### **3.1.1 Title of The Project: Medicine Support for Children With Cancer in Ethiopia**

### **3.1.2 Description of the Activity Proposed**

The activity proposed is medicine support to the children during treatment. Cancer medicine and related supportive medicine are key to the treatment and good outcome of children with cancer. In Ethiopia on average around 6,000 -10,000 children is estimated to get cancer each year. We have five government hospitals in the country that specialized in treating children with cancer. These are Tikur Anbessa Specialized Hospital, St. Paul Millennium Hospital, Jimma University Hospital, Ayder Specialized Hospital (Mekele) and Gondar University Hospital. Total numbers of children that reach these hospitals are

estimated to be 1,000 - 2,000 per year. Infection is one of the major causes of death among childhood cancer patients. One intervention area to reduce infection is renovation of wards the children are being treated. We were able to reduce the infection rate immensely by renovation of the major ward in Tikur Anbessa called D7 with the support of the Yemi Getachew Foundation. Currently, we are also in need of renovation of the emergency ward that have been recently evacuated by pediatric emergency unit. To increase survival rate and treatment outcome the Emergency unit plays very important role. Children with cancer often develop fever, diarrhea, vomiting and bleeding where at such condition it is imperative they need to be admitted to emergency ward. The current practice is we admit the children to general pediatric emergency ward while their condition is treated they also pick other communicable diseases from the general ward. The other problem with general emergency ward is the time limit for patients to stay maximum they allow patient for 4 days while in pediatric hematology/oncology patients they may need longer time to treat complications. Thus, having a separate emergency ward is an important step to help the children healing process and treatment outcome.

### **3.2. Target Beneficiaries**

The target population is children with cancer and parents following treatment at Tikur Anbessa Specialized Hospital Pediatric Hematology/Oncology ward.

### **3.3 Number of Target Beneficiaries**

Every month the ward treat up to 600 patients and 20-25% of them need help in emergency ward where they need to stay at least from 10 to 20 days.

### **3.4 The Expected Results through this Proposal**

#### **3.4.1 The general objective**

To improve treatment outcome and cure the children from cancer.

#### **3.4.2. Results of the project**

##### **Results for objective 1**

- The children will improve in their condition from proper emergency care and treatment.
- They will get well from the disease.

#### **3.4.3 Timeline for the Project**

Two month support could be feasible time frame. February 2025- March 2025

#### **4. Budget Needed for renovation of Emergency Ward for the Children with Cancer in TASH**

The total need for renovation works 28,721 USD (3,516,324.06 Birr) Detailed budget for renovation work is attached in Excel document in Ethiopian Birr

Budget for 10 beds and other accessories would be 10,000 USD additional to the renovation of the emergency ward.

**Grand total would be 38,721 USD.**

#### **5. Reporting**

TAPCCO will submit a report on the Donor on regular basis and donor can monitor the process and TAPCCO is happy to avail any document related to the expenditure of the fund – such as receipts, reports.