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## **RESCUE ONE MORE, INC.**



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## 2021

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# Mission

To bring safety, justice, and healing to child survivors of sexual violence in Uganda.

# Vision

An end to child sexual violence in Africa.

# **Guiding Scripture**

"You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives. So then, don't be afraid. I will provide for you and your children." ~ *Genesis 50: 20-21* 

## OUR STORY

In 2021, inspired by their daughter's desire to use her personal testimony to help other Ugandan children impacted by sexual abuse, Scott and Sarah Lambie launched Rescue One More.

Having lived in Uganda for seven years and adopted two children impacted by sexual violence against children (SVAC), the Lambies had a unique perspective on the situation.

In Uganda, more than 1 in 3 girls and 1 in 6 boys experience SVAC. The resources available to help children are limited and often too costly to pursue. Survivors are often silenced by their families and communities and forced to endure the trauma in silence.

Rescue One More is on a mission to change that by **providing children with a pathway to safety, justice, and healing** while working to bring an end to SVAC once and for all.

### More than 1 in 3 girls

EXPERIENCE SEXUAL VIOLENCE



Using a proven community-driven approach pioneered by the **Children's Advocacy Centers**, Rescue One More brings community leaders together to offer coordinated and streamlined responses to SVAC, ensure successful investigations, and minimize additional trauma to the child.

The approach has been implemented through multidisciplinary teams (called Community Action Teams or CATs) which conduct case reviews and use their combined resources and experience to ensure each child receives safety, justice, and healing.

The teams also work together to prevent SVAC through community awareness and prevention initiatives.

In 2021, one CAT was fully implemented and operating. A second was in the process of establishing its protocols.

Rescue One More also partnered with 3 organizations providing safe shelter, trauma counseling, case management, and resettlement services.

## SITUATION OVERVIEW

- Uganda's population is 46M
- Half of the population is under the age of 15, that's 23M
- About half are girls, that's 11M
- About half are boys, also 11M
- More than 1/3 of girls experience sexual violence, that's 3.6m girls
- More than 1/6 of boys experience sexual violence that's 1.8m boys
- This means around 5.4m children are abused by the time they reach 18
- Kids don't know where to go for help. No family support. Stigma.
- No clear path to safety, justice, healing
- Parent's don't understand the gravity of the problem
- No education for children or communities on this topic
- Gov't offices are corrupt
- Only a small handful of organizations are addressing the problem
- Limited resources for police and child protective services etc.
- Culturally acceptable in many areas and tribes
- Women need the abusers to provide for the family

### IMPLICATIONS

- Teen pregnancies
- HIV+, STIs
- School drop outs
- Depression, suicide, PTSD
- Substance and alcohol abuse
- Prostitution
- Cycle of abuse continues
- Greater socio-economic impact



## 2021 FOCUS AREAS





Child-Friendly & Traume-Informed Forensic Interviews Support for law enforcement Legal Counsel & Prosecution Services

edical Exams & Medical Care Emotional Support Trauma Therapy Spiritual Support



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ADVOCACY

## 2021 GOALS & Strategies

#### During our first year of operation, our primary goals included the following:

- Fully launching a Community Action Team (CAT) in one district; begin establishing a second CAT in another district
- Establishing two Rescue One More Centers in two districts
- Begin conducting community awareness/prevention programs and secure national news coverage about the issue in Uganda
- Never having to turn a child away

#### Our strategies included the following:

- Build trust with local leaders in one-two districts
- Establishing partnerships with two child-focused NGOs willing to serve as primary partners
- Increase awareness and establish trust among potential donors and funding partners

GOALS	DETAILS	OUTCOMES
Community Action Teams (CATs)	Establish fully functioning CATs consisting of police, prosecutors, medical/emotional care professionals, child protective services, social workers, etc.	<ul> <li>Established and launched a CAT in Mukono District</li> <li>Began working with leaders in Wakiso District to establish protocols for a Wakiso CAT.</li> </ul>
Rescue One More Centers	Work with Primary Partners to establish Rescue One More Centers for children in need of safe housing, medical care, trauma counseling, case management and resettlement services.	<ul> <li>Established a R1M Center in Mukono through our partnership with Petros Zoe Initiative</li> <li>Established a R1M Center in Wakiso through Mercy Child Care</li> </ul>
Community Awareness Initiatives	Work through Primary Partners to begin educating students and community members about the issue of SVAC and practical ways to prevent it.	<ul> <li>Secured 4 national news coverage about the issue and our approach to addressing it</li> <li>150 local leaders signed commitments to fight SVAC in Uganda</li> </ul>

## 2021 OUTCOMES

#### **150 LOCAL LEADERS**



signed commitments to fight sexual abuse and violence in Uganda

#### **8 CHILDREN RESCUED**

from sexual abuse and violence



#### **2 GIRLS RESETTLED**



with safe and loving families

#### **2 RESCUE ONE MORE CENTERS**



established to provide safety, justice, and healing to survivors of sexual abuse and violence

#### **1 COMMUNITY ACTION TEAM**



established to pursue justice and meet the needs of survivors in 296 villages

#### **MILLIONS OF PEOPLE REACHED**



through 4 national news stories about the issue of sexual abuse/violence and our approach

## 2021 HIGHLIGHTS

- Received nonprofit designation (US)
- Raised \$162,000 in donations from 82 individual donors, 18 monthly donors, 5 church donors
- Secured operational partnerships with 9 organizations; established agreements with 4 organizations to provide safe shelter
- Engaged highly influential Ugandan pastors and musical artists in awareness campaigns
- Rescued 8 girls from sexual violence and abuse, enforced 1 arrest
- Launched first Community Action Team (Multidisciplinary team based on Children's Advocacy Center approach) in the developing world
- Secured commitments from 150 government leaders to fight sexual violence in Mukono, Uganda
- Began forming 2nd Community Action Team in Uganda's largest district (Wakiso)
- Total Community Action Team reach: 464 rural villages, 4 major cities. 2.5 million total population
- Reached millions through 4 national news pieces via Ugandan TV stations and newspapers
- Trained 7 social workers with primary partners in PTSD counseling
- Hired 2 social workers



### 2021 P&L

#### Rescue One More Profit & Loss December 2021

Dec 21 Jan - Dec 21 **Ordinary Income/Expense** Income Direct Public Support Individ, Business Contributions 45,656.35 161,566.38 **Total Direct Public Support** 45,656.35 161,566.38 **Total Income** 45,656.35 161,566.38 Expense Benevolence 0.00 3,700.00 **Contract Services** Accounting Fees 76.70 781.35 0.00 2,091.35 Legal Fees **Total Contract Services** 76.70 2,872.70 Operations **Bank Fees** 231.93 713.67 25.34 234.83 Books, Subscriptions, Refere... 0.00 1,200.00 **Donation Platform** Marketing 0.00 4,500.00 Postage, Mailing Service 0.00 423.45 Printing and Copying 186.84 1,281.36 **Production expenses** 2,362.62 9,906.31 Supplies 215.67 838.32 Telephone, Telecommunicatio... 454.96 0.00 Training 0.00 550.00 Website 0.00 334.62 **Total Operations** 3,022.40 20,437.52 **Payroll Expenses** 2,937.60 5,049.00 **Payroll Taxes** Salary 9.200.00 66,000.00 **Payroll Expenses - Other** 0.00 0.00 **Total Payroll Expenses** 12,137.60 71,049.00 Travel and Meetings **Business Meals** 0.00 267.01 0.00 9,570.37 Travel 0.00 **Total Travel and Meetings** 9,837.38 Total Expense 15,236.70 107,896.60 **Net Ordinary Income** 30,419.65 53,669.78 Net Income 30,419.65 53,669.78

### 2022 GOALS

- Establish 3 Community Action Teams
- Facilitate safety, justice, and healing for 100 children
- Hire and train Ugandan staff (including safe house staff)
- Establish a Rescue One More office in Mukono
- Rent a safe house and office in Entebbe/Wakiso
- Register for CBO status in Uganda
- · Establish high-profile influencer teams in Uganda
- · Launch nationwide media & prayer campaign
- · Monitor and evaluate efficacy in target communities
- Partner with 5 additional US-based churches for financial & prayer support
- Establish R1M as a known local ministry in Dripping Springs reaching Uganda

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