

SHORT TERM ACTION PLAN

Nutrition & School Feeding

Program Name:	Ghana School Feeding Programme
Goal:	To provide one hot nutritious meal to all public primary schools

Needs	Activities	Timeframe	Responsible	Verification of Completion
Regular inclusion of fruit and vegetables in the meals	Advocacy and sensitization of stakeholders for the inclusion of fruits and vegetables. Advocate for the increment of amount per child per day from Ghp40 to Ghp60	January to December, 2014	District Assemblies, GES, GHS, GSFP, Community members, NGOs, CBOs	Checking of minutes of meetings, inspection of meals, reports from children and PTA
Inclusion of District Nutrition Officers into the DICs	Advocacy at the national level for the inclusion of District Nutrition Officers into the DICs	January to December, 2014		

Deworming

Program Name:	School Deworming Exercise
Goal:	To eradicate STH among children

Needs	Activities	Timeframe	Responsible	Verification of Completion
Community involvement in deworming exercise	Advocate for community involvement in deworming exercise for children	January to December, 2014	Research institutions, GHS, GES, NGOs, CBOs	Coverage report (at least 90%)

Malaria and other Tropical Diseases

Program Name:	Malaria and other tropical diseases control programme
Goal:	Control malaria to the barest minimum

Needs	Activities	Timeframe	Responsible	Verification of Completion
Availability of ITNs in every households	Advocate for community members to use ITNs	Once a year	Community, GHS, DAs and NGOs, SHEP	Inspection reports, review reports of GHS on malaria
Usage of IRS at homes	Advocate for universal usage of IRS at home	March to September, 2014	GHS, Anglo gold Ashanti, SHEP, Research institutions	

Water, Sanitation and Hygiene

Program Name:	WASH programme
Goal:	To promote WASH in all basic schools

Needs	Activities	Timeframe	Responsible	Verification of Completion
Gender sensitive WASH facilities	Advocate for provision of gender sensitive WASH facilities in all schools	January to December, 2014	Community, GHS, DAs and NGOs, SHEP, GES	Inspection reports from all stakeholders
Running water and storage facilities in schools	Liaise with DA's to provide pipe borne water in the various districts			

Safe School Environment

Program Name:	Ghana Safe School Environment Project
Goal:	To ensure a healthy and safe environment for all schools

Needs	Activities	Timeframe	Responsible	Verification of Completion
Fenced school compound	Liaising and sensitizing the DAs and community to fence schools	January to December, 2014	Community, GHS, DAs and NGOs, GES	Inspection reports from all stakeholders
psycho social climate in the school	Sensitization and advocacy by stakeholders to see the need for psycho social climate in the school			