

Rotary Projects – Reducing Maternal & Child Mortality

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Community Dialogues

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Background: Rotary Projects in Nigeria 1995-2009



= Projects initiated and supported by the Rotarian Action Group for Population Growth & Sustainable Development (RFPD)

- **2 Pilot-Projects 1995-2000**
„Child Spacing, Family Health and Aids Education“ - in 2 LGAs of Kaduna State
- **Replication by large Project 2000-2007**
in Kaduna, Kano, Adama, Jjgawa, Katsina, Plateau
- **Project 2005-2009 „Maternal and Child Mortality“** in Kaduna and Kano state



Reduction of maternal and child mortality (MDGs 4 and 5)

Needs in Kaduna and Kano states, Northern Nigeria

- Target Group: 5 million women of 11 - 45 years
- Extremely high maternal mortality
- 1 million women with obstetric fistula
5.000 new cases p.a.
- Improve Health Infrastructure + Quality Assurance

First Comprehensive Approach worldwide

- **MG-Project of 4 Districts (Germany, Austria, Nigeria) and 60 German Clubs from 7 other Districts; 10 Rotaract Clubs, 15 Inner Wheel Clubs; RCs F, GB, NL, USA**
- **Co-funded by TRF, AVENTIS, IAMANEH and German Government**
- **Project Amount of core project: 1 Million Euro**
- **Rotary Satellite projects and Cooperation with stakeholders increases amount up to 2 Million Euro and effect of project**

► **Model - also for TRF Future Vision Plan**

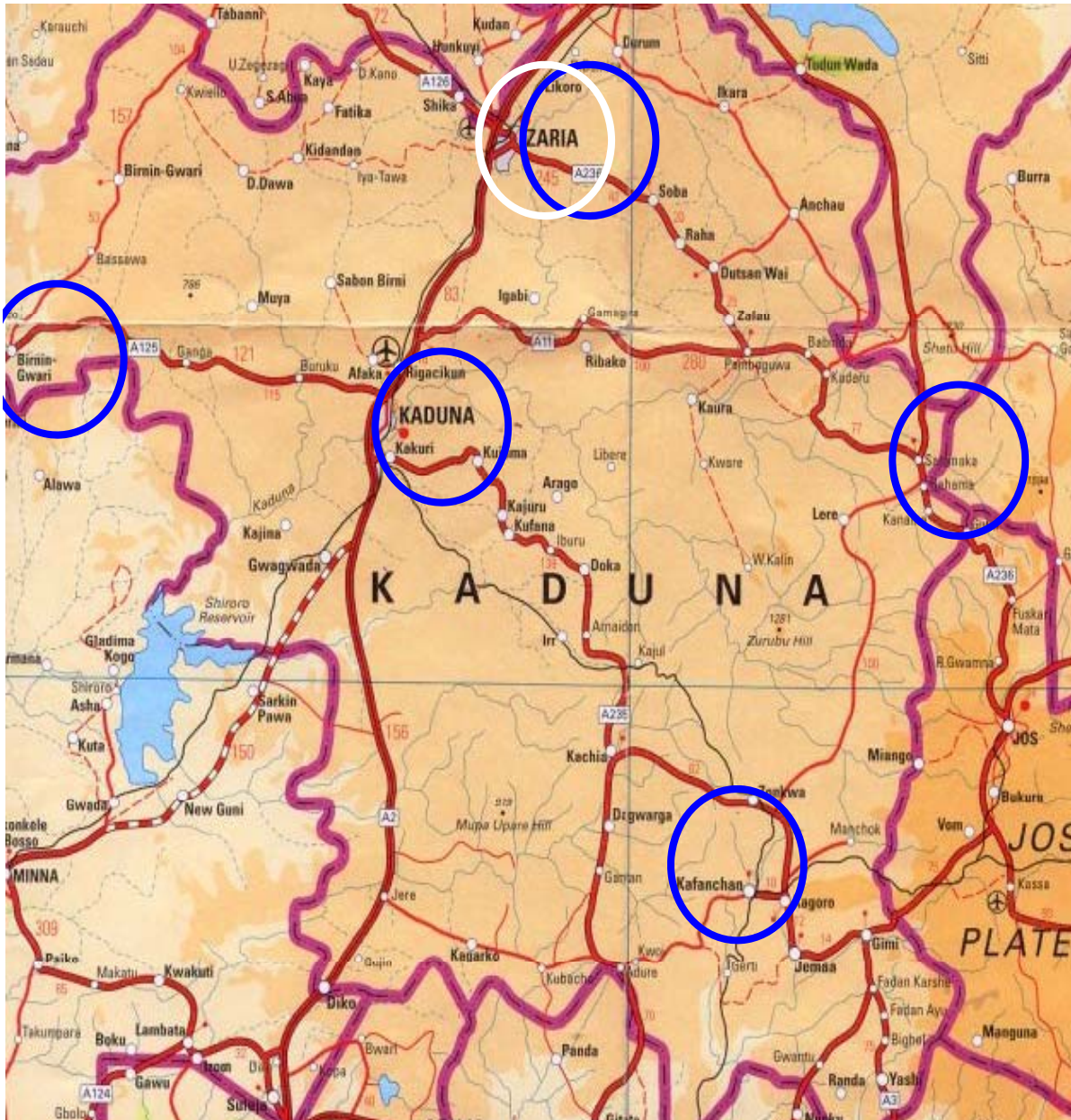


Project Activities

- I **Advocacy / Public Awareness / Behaviour change / Child Spacing**
- II **Education and training** of all grades of health personnel
- III **Procurement of equipment** for Rotary VVF centers + State hospitals
- IV **Fistula repairs and rehabilitation** of patients with micro credit and training in literacy, as health worker and i.e. sewing, cooking
- V **AIDS Routine test - Prevention** of mother to child transmission (PMTCT)
- VI **Distribution of mosquito nets** to hospitals, babies and their mothers
- VII **Base Line Study and Quality Assurance**
- VIII **Collaboration with Traditional rulers, Government and Stakeholders**



Kaduna State: Location of participating hospitals



Yusufu Dan Tsoho Hospital, Kaduna

General Hospital, Idon

General Hospital, Macchia

General Hospital, Kagarko

Rural Hospital, Zofka

General Hospital, Zango

Rural Hospital, Kaura

General Hospital, Kafanchan

Rural Hospital, Kwoi

General Hospital, Gwantu

General Hospital, Birnin Gwari

General Hospital Makarfi

General Hospital, Ikara

Gambo Sawaba Hospital, Kofan Gaya Zaria

Rural Hospital, Maigana

General Hospital, Saminaka

Kano State: Location of participating hospitals



General Hospital, Bichi

General Hospital, Danbatta

Cottage Hospital, Dawakin-Tofa

General Hospital Gaya

Cottage Hospital, Kabo

General Hospital, Kura

Murtala Mohammed Spec. Hospital, Kano

General Hospital, Rano

Cottage Hospital, Tudun Wada

General Hospital, Wudil

Takai Community Health Care Centre

General Hospital, Tudun Wada

General Hospital Takai

General Hospital Sumaila

Murtalla Mohammad, Kano

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Examples for single Interventions for Reduction of Maternal and Child Mortality

- 1) Delivery of Equipment and material
- 2) Funding of Trainings for hospital health staff, skilled birth attendants and TBAs
- 3) Distribution of insecticide treated long lasting mosquito nets to hospitals and villagers
- 4) Water and Sanitation in hospitals
- 5) Vocational Training, Child Spacing and Micro Credits for rehabilitated patients
- 6) Prevention of Transmission of Aids from mother to child (PMTCT)

