A GLOBAL PROJECT

HEALTHY KIDS 2025

THE
LIVES AND LENSES
FOUNDATION

OUR MISSION

THREE WORDS:

LIVES AND LENSES

OUR PROJECTS SERVE TO BRING
PHOTOGRAPHY AND CREATIVE ARTS
EDUCATION TO DISADVANTAGED
YOUTHS WHILE ALSO FOCUSING ON
AND ENHANCING THE HEALTH OF
THE COMMUNITY

THE CONCEPT

THE HEALTHY KIDS 2025 INITIATIVE WAS CREATED TO BRING QUALITY HEALTH EDUCATION TO CHILDREN ACROSS THE WORLD IN A WAY THAT WOULD BE FUN, INTERACTIVE, AND ALMOST ENTIRELY DRIVEN BY THE STUDENTS THEMSELVES

WHY GIVE A DATE?

BY SPECIFYING 2025, WE ARE, IN ESSENCE, HAVING A BUILT-IN DATE TO SOLIDIFY OUR STRUCTURE AND PROCESSES THEN SCALE UPWARD. BUT IT ALSO GIVES US A MEASURE ON WHEN TO RE-EVALUATE THE PROJECT TO SEE HOW IT CAN GROW AND INCORPORATE NEW OBJECTIVES. THIS IS SIMILAR TO THE "HEALTHY PEOPLE" INITIATIVE BY THE US DEPT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. THEY STAGE THEIR FORMAT SO THAT THEIR GOALS AND OBJECTIVES CAN EVOLVE OVER TIME.

OUR GOALS

PROVIDE MEANINGFUL HEALTH EDUCATION TO KIDS ON A GLOBAL BASIS

INCREASE THE HEALTH STATUS OF THE COMMUNITIES WE WORK WITH

EMPOWER THE KIDS TO USE THEIR CREATIVITY IN A FUN AND ENGAGING WAY THAT IS STEEPED IN A PROJECT-BASED LEARNING METHODOLOGY

STIMULATE CULTURAL INTERACTION

TEAR DOWN CULTURAL BARRIERS AND INCREASE CULTURAL AWARENESS

OUR PATH

HOW DO WE GET THERE?

HOW DO WE ACCOMPLISH OUR GOALS?

WHAT KIND OF CLINICAL REVIEW
TO INFORMATION DISSEMINATION
TO SCHOOL IMPLEMENTATION
PROCESS DO WE UTILIZE?

HOW CAN THE KIDS RECEIVE FEEDBACK ON THEIR WORK AND GIVE FEEDBACK TO OTHERS?

INITIAL THOUGHTS

OUR PROGRAM WILL CONSIST OF:

INITIAL CONTENT CREATION OF HEALTH TOPICS BY CLINICAL PROFESSIONALS

TRANSLATION OF THESE HEALTH TOPICS INTO A SIMPLIFIED FORMAT FOR USE BY SCHOOL LEADERS AND TEACHERS

CAN CONSIDER AN INTRO VIDEO FOR EACH TOPIC THAT THE EDUCATIONAL STAFF AND KIDS CAN VIEW

THE INFORMATION IS THEN DISSEMINATED TO ASSOCIATED SCHOOLS VIA EMAIL OR A WEB PORTAL

BEST TO HAVE TEACHER INPUT ON HOW THE SCHOOL IMPLEMENTATION PROCESS WILL BE HANDLED

THE KIDS RECEIVE FEEDBACK TO FURTHER ENHANCE THEIR UNDERSTANDING AND RETENTION OF THE TOPIC

SOME EXAMPLES

ALL TOPICS MUST BE AGE-APPROPRIATE; SEE EXAMPLES BELOW:

HAND WASHING FOR ALL STUDENTS

STAYING SAFE AROUND
STRANGERS FOR YOUNGER KIDS

BEST PRACTICES TO MANAGE PEER-PRESSURE AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION FOR MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL KIDS

HOW TO WORK THROUGH THE MENTAL HEALTH DIFFICULTIES OF AN HIV DIAGNOSIS FOR OLDER YOUTH IN AFRICA (THIS WOULD LIKELY NOT BE DISSEMINATED GLOBALLY)

CONSIDERATIONS

BASIC CONSIDERATIONS INCLUDE:

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT INCLUDING A CAMERA, COMPUTER, AND INTERNET

WHAT WEB PLATFORM TO USE - REQUIRES THE ABILITY TO HAVE VIDEOS UPLOADED

SCHOOL INPUT IS NEEDED TO DETERMINE THE FREQUENCY OF PROJECTS/HEALTH TOPICS

DO WE ALLOW THE KIDS TO GIVE CRITIQUES?

DO KIDS VOTE ON THEIR FAVORITES AND IF SO, WHAT DOES THE SCHOOL WITH THE TOP-RANKING VIDEO RECEIVE?

OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

EACH VIDEO WILL NEED TO BE DUBBED OR SUBTITLED INTO THE TARGET LANGUAGE SPECIFIC TO EACH PARTICIPATING SCHOOL

IF WE DUB A VIDEO TO A PARTICIPATING SCHOOL'S TARGET LANGUAGE, WE SHOULD INCLUDE THE ORIGIN LANGUAGE — KIDS CAN WATCH TWICE AND ENHANCE THEIR FOREIGN LANGUAGE SKILLS

WHAT KIND OF POST-PRODUCTION WILL BE NEEDED? IE., VIDEO EDITING

WOULD LIKE TO COLLABORATE WITH A FILM SCHOOL TO MAKE A SHORT VIDEO ON HOW TO MAKE VIDEOS (SCRIPT, COMPOSITION, ETC)

LOGISTICAL CONSIDERATIONS

AS AN ORGANIZATION, WE WILL ALREADY BE IN SCHOOLS WORKING ON PHOTOGRAPHY PROJECTS – LITTLE TO NO ADDITIONAL NETWORKING RESPONSIBILITIES

WILL NEED TO FIND ADDITIONAL CLINICAL PROFESSIONALS FOR CERTAIN SPECIALTIES (SUCH AS PSYCHOLOGY)

MAY BE ABLE TO LEVERAGE CONTENT ALREADY CREATED, SUCH AS THAT ON KIDSHEALTH.ORG BY NEMOURS CHILDREN'S HEALTH

FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS SHOULD BE QUITE LOW SINCE AFTER START-UP COSTS, MOST COSTS ARE RELATED TO TRANSLATION SERVICES

COST VS. BENEFIT

WHILE NO COST OR VALUE CAN BE PLACED ON THE HEALTH OF CHILDREN, WE HOPE TO ACHIEVE THESE AIMS:

IMPLEMENT THIS LOW-COST PROJECT

- BUT -

MAKE A HIGH IMPACT ON KIDS THAT CARRY FORWARD TO THEIR ADULT YEARS

THEN IMAGINE THE RESULT

KIDS IN ECUADOR ARE TEACHING KIDS IN SOMALIA ABOUT HAND WASHING

KIDS IN CHINA GET TO LAUGH ALONG WITH KIDS IN KENYA AND THE UNITED STATES

KIDS AND YOUTH IN INDIA ARE LEARNING ABOUT THE CULTURE OF SOUTH AMERICA

YOUTH IN HIGH-RISK HIV AREAS LEARN HOW TO BEST MANAGE THE MENTAL HEALTH ASPECT OF THE DISEASE

NEXT STEPS

- 1. LINK WITH A FILM SCHOOL TO CREATE A "HOW TO MAKE A VIDEO" PIECE FOR THE KIDS
 - 2. LINK WITH CLINICAL EXPERTS/REACH OUT TO NEMOURS CHILDREN'S HEALTH
 - 3. CONFIRM PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS
 - 4. ENSURE PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS HAVE THE EQUIPMENT THEY NEED
 - 5. DISTRIBUTE FIRST ASSIGNMENT
 - 6. AS SCHOOLS CREATE THEIR FIRST VIDEO, OUTLINE THE TRANSLATION PLAN

QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS

HOW MANY LIVES CAN BE TOUCHED?



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