



Save Lives Ethiopia

“Regenerating hope and self-esteem”

Save Lives Ethiopia’s (SaL) main focus is to regenerate hope and self-esteem for the neglected and uncared for by empowering them to meet their own needs and creating an equitable environment.

With the \$241,456.84 grant, the three major socially excluded and vulnerable groups to be addressed in the Social Accountability projects implemented by Saves Lives Ethiopia are women, the disabled and those who are HIV infected and affected.

The projects of Saves Lives Ethiopia are implemented in 4 woredas in the Southern Nations, Nationalities and Peoples Region (Melokoza, Basketo, Dembagofa, Gezegofa). An estimate of 400.000 people in this region will benefit from the Social Accountability projects. The Social Accountability tools used by SaL are the Citizens’ Report Card, Community Score Card, and Participatory Planning and Budgeting.

The target sectors for these zones are Health and Rural Roads. Health services are very limited in these particular zones. Additionally, the targeted communities are almost inaccessible and the more the distance, the less the awareness is of communities about their constitutional rights and service entitlement.

By conducting trainings, organizing conversation forums, holding interface meetings and evaluation visits, it is expected that community awareness will increase, local government officials will improve the use of Social Accountability tools and advisory boards will be established at the kebele level.

Save Lives Ethiopia was established in 2002 with the mission to empower the needy, oppressed and uncared for through giving love, taking care of and partnering with them in their endeavor to address their physical, social and spiritual needs.

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