

**REPORT ON DETECTION AND PREVENTION MEASURES OF COVID 19  
IN BWAISE SLUM, KAWEMPE DIVISION**



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With funding from Somero Ev, Somero Uganda put in place prevention measures so as to get ready for the re-opening of the center there by protecting the children from the pandemic and also supported slum children from most at-risk young mothers who were unable to provide safety prevention materials to their children. This report is a highlight of activities that took place in regards to detection and prevention measures of COVID 19.

20 watering cans were purchased. 6 of these cans are at Somero Uganda center whereas the 14 cans were distributed to 14 households in the slums of Bwaise. 50 20L jerry cans of Liquid soap were also bought and some of it was distributed in the community through the local leaders



*A community member doing a return demonstration on proper hand washing*



*Some of the watering cans at Somero Uganda center*

Sensitization on the spread, signs and symptoms, and prevention measures of Covid 19 was done by our nurses and counselors together with local leaders. This was mainly through door to door and also through small gatherings of not more than 5 people at the community hot spots.

Masks were distributed to different households and people in market places accompanied with sensitization on proper use and wearing of masks.

Sanitizers were given out to individuals whereas some of them were placed at the LC offices and at the community safe spaces.



*During sensitization and distribution of masks in market places of Bwaise slum*

Infrared thermometer guns were purchased and these are used to take body temperature of all people accessing the center as one of the screening methods for Covid 19. This is done by the gate man and the receptionist as one accesses the premises with the guidance and supervision of the organization nurse.



*A nurse taking body temperature reading of a visitor before accessing our office*