

Kivulini hailed by government leaders as one of the best practices in community mobilization work to prevent violence against women in Tanzania



Hon Rodrick Mpogolo, Chato District Commissioner Geita region speaking to forum participants sitting from the left is Mwanza Police Commander, Geita police commander. And to the right the

On 8th of October 2014, Regional police commanders, District commissioners, District Executive directors, Council chair persons, Heads of community development, Kivulini subscribers, Kivulini board of directors, Community activists and media representatives participated in a one day key stakeholders forum to discuss on Kivulini's performance, Approaches and ways of strengthening joint effort in addressing violence against women and its

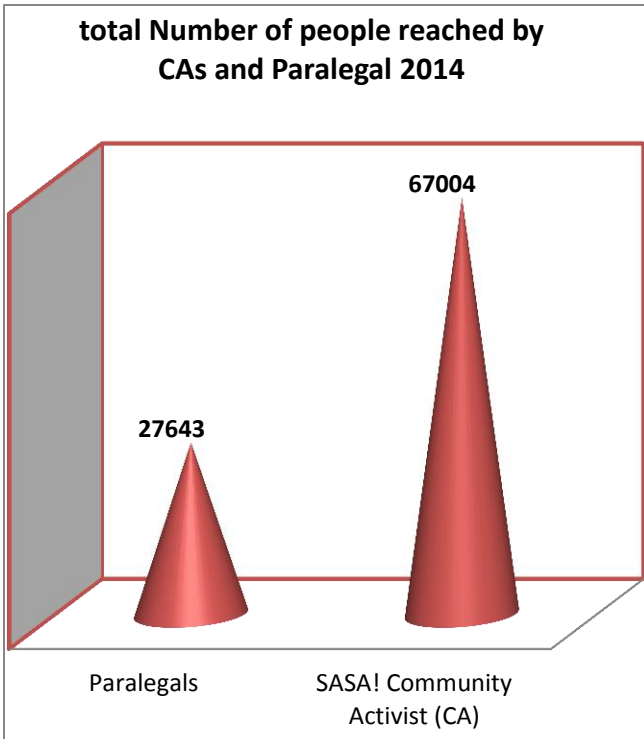
interconnection with HIV/AIDS using the SASA! approach and the Legal empowerment of Community activists and community paralegals in the lake zone.

Over 100 participants from 12 districts (Magu, Kwimba, Misungwi, Sengerema, Ilemela, Nyamagana, Nyang'wale, Mbogwe, Chato, Geita, Bukombe and Msalala) of Mwanza and Geita Regions attended this forum. In his closing remark Hon. Rodrick Mpogolo the District commissioner of Chato District in Geita Region said " *Kivulini's approaches are one of the best practices in bringing us together from the start of the intervention to the evaluation, what we are doing together today is a testimony of how Kivulini have inspired and supported coordinated efforts of Community Activists , local government leaders, Police and the wider community to take action in addressing violence against women*" He stressed that, there should be deliberate efforts of in all participating district councils to allocate budget from their own source to support community activists and paralegals who easily approachable and supportive to women experiencing violence. SASA! Means 'now!' in Kiswahili - now is the time to prevent violence against women and HIV. SASA! Serves as an acronym for the major phases of the program which are **Start, Awareness, Support, and**

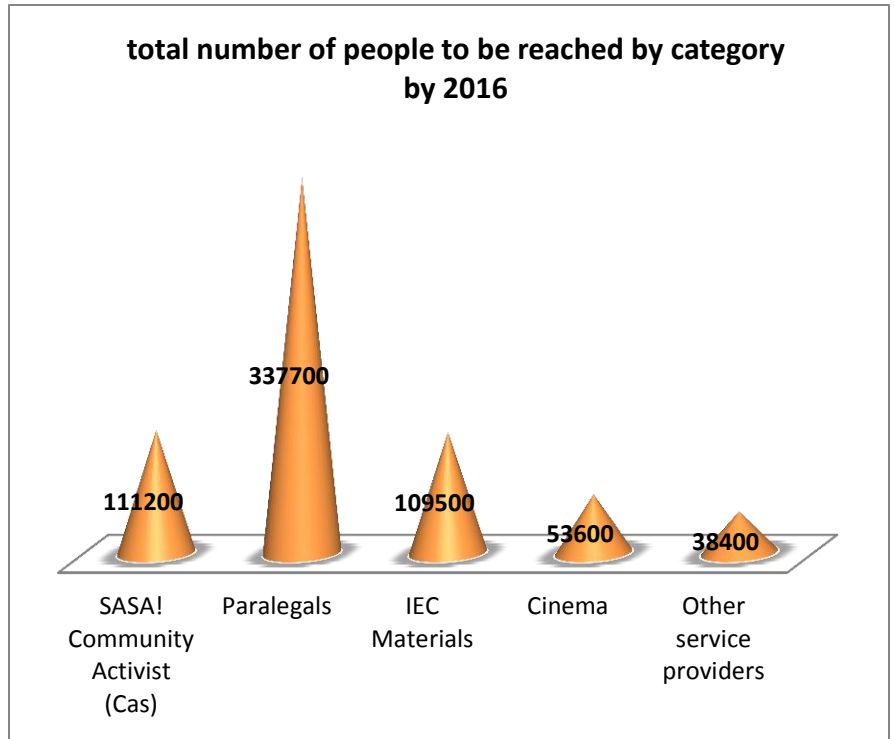
Action. This approach was developed by Raising voices based in Kampala Uganda and adopted by Kivulini.

Kivulini Notable Achievement through the SASA! approach and the legal Empowerment of paralegal.

total Number of people reached by CAs and Paralegal 2014



total number of people to be reached by category by 2016



The above Graph show the total number of people to who have been reached in 2014 and are expected to be reached by 2016.

8th October 2014 Photos of Forum participants

