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## Fountain of Divine Love Foundation

...building better living for persons with disabilities through human development

The foundation is a non-governmental, non-religious, not-for-profit and non-partisan organization. Established in January 2009, the foundation is registered with the Corporate Affairs Commission (No. 41649) and the Akwa Ibom State Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development (No 0001153). The foundation focuses on persons with disabilities especially women and children in the areas of education, training, advocacy and provision of better and quality living.

The Chief Executive Officer is Margaret Idorenyin Uquang. She has a Bachelor of Education (B. ED) in Pre-Primary and Primary Education. She also has Diploma in Cosmetology, Diploma in Beauty Therapy. Margaret has worked as a teacher for 10 years and has spent 15 years as an education officer.

She voluntarily resigned as an Education Officer On 30 July 2010 to go into full time Humanitarian service.

Vision: Provision of better quality living for the physically challenged and persons with disabilities.

Mission Statement: To facilitate the provision of better quality living for persons with disabilities through human development efforts, education and vocational training, skills acquisition, micro credit facilities, medical services, mobility, hearing and reading aid.

Objectives:



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- To identify the needs of persons with disabilities and seek ways of meeting such needs.
- To solicit assistance from well-meaning persons and corporate organization to assist in the provision of the needs of persons with disabilities.
- To organize micro credit schemes to enhance self-sufficiency and sustenance of persons with disabilities.
- To Provide Vocational training for persons with disabilities through placement in training centres and institutions.
- To act as employment agency for persons with disabilities.
- To provide persons with disabilities with medical services, mobility, hearing and reading aids.
- To assist and establish micro and small scale businesses for trained persons with disabilities.
- To advocate and solicit legislation against stigmatization of persons with disabilities
- To take persons with disabilities off the streets through empowering them for self reliance.
- To enhance and develop the talents and potentials of persons with disabilities through education and training.

#### Programme Areas:

**Education:** Education of persons with disabilities on the need to forsake begging and to take to vocations to utilize their talents and potentials.

**Training:** Placing persons with disabilities in vocational/skill training centres and institutions. Seek and obtain admission for them as well as fund such training.

**Micro Credit:** Sourcing for funds to provide education, skills/vocational training, and to establish small scale businesses for persons with disabilities.



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**Advocacy:** Drawing attention of relevant authorities (government and corporate bodies) to the needs of persons with disabilities. Solicit legislation against stigmatization of persons with disabilities

**Medical Services:** Soliciting for funds to provide medical services to persons with disabilities.

Disability is not a Curse. It is a situation that can be improved upon. Empowering persons With disability is a positive move towards self-sustenance and reliance. Fountain of divine love foundation focuses on the empowerment of persons with disabilities as a proactive way of taking them off the streets and giving them better and quality living.

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