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THE BEST WALK IS THE NEXT ONE



Last year, we asked you to #GiveBig. You did.

You gave generously. You showed up. You walked. You invited others to join you. Together, you proved that when a community comes together with purpose, extraordinary things happen.

The first invitation to join the 21km walk and help change lives was inspired by a simple belief, the greatest purpose we can find is in serving others. Every act of generosity, every kilometre walked and every donation given shows that small actions can create lasting change.

Over the years, walking has become much more than exercise. It has become a time for reflection, clarity and connection. It has brought people together around a shared purpose, to improve lives while improving our own health. Every step we take still carries that purpose.

This year makes 13 years of #Walk21. Together, we have raised about ₦100 million to support organisations transforming lives every

day. Yet our greatest achievement is not the money raised, it is the lives changed.

Every donation creates hope. Every kilometre walked inspires others. Every participant becomes part of a story that continues to make a difference. And perhaps the greatest reward is the quiet satisfaction of knowing that someone's life is better because you chose to care. That feeling is priceless.

Last year, your generosity helped us support five remarkable organisations:

- The Hearts of Gold Hospice: provide dignity, care and a safe home for society's most vulnerable.
- The United for Kids Foundation: help children remain in school and build brighter futures.
- Sebeccly Cancer Care: support early intervention and compassionate care for cancer patients.
- Mushin General Hospital: support children living with HIV/AIDS.
- The Cerebral Palsy Centre: provide specialised care for children with cerebral palsy.

This year, we're asking you to keep going, because the need hasn't disappeared. Children still need to stay in school. The vulnerable still need compassionate care. Cancer patients still need support. Every naira you give continues to make a real difference. So, let us build on what we have achieved together.

**THIRTEEN YEARS, ONE TRUTH:
PURPOSE IS SERVING HUMANITY
SMALL ACTS SPARK LASTING CHANGE
THE BEST WALK IS ALWAYS THE NEXT STEP**

Let's #GiveBig, Let's #Walk21, Let's invite new walkers and Donors, Let's #TouchLives more than ever before and give our partner charities the resources to do even more.

Whether you join us at the main venue or walk wherever you are in the world, you are part of this movement. Complete the full 21km or choose your own distance. What matters is that you move with purpose and continue to #GiveBig.

We can't wait to see your training photos, videos and milestones as we count down to 12th December 2026.

Together, we have spent thirteen years proving that small steps can create lasting change. The best walk is the next one!

#GiveBigWalk21.



From Funding to Frontline impact

Sebeccly

Cancer care & Support Centre

24, Furo Ezimora Street, Lekki, Lagos State

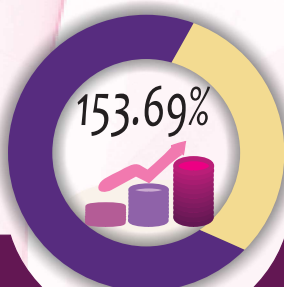
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FUND ALLOCATION & STRATEGIC FOCUS



₦6,454,000.00

TOTAL FUNDING FOR 2025
A 153.69% increase in support over the previous year



SCREENING PROGRAM

45%

Free breast and cervical cancer screening, education, and referrals strengthened preventive and curative care, empowering women with early detection, the strongest predictor of successful treatment and survival.



KINDGIFTS PLATFORM DEVELOPMENT

30%

A crowdfunding platform connecting patients needing critical healthcare funding with compassionate donors. Support enables development marketing and launch, creating a sustainable ecosystem that expands access to care and long-term community giving.



TREATMENT SUPPORT

25%

Follow-up care for women with abnormal results and chemotherapy support for cancer patients

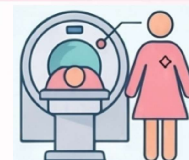
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WOMEN EDUCATED & SCREENED

Direct health education & free Cervical/Breast cancer screening

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EARLY ABNORMALITIES DETECTION

Enabling timely referral and intervention for 2 cervical and 5 breast cancer cases

2



CONTINUITY CARE & FOLLOW-UP

Provided critical chemotherapy support for 2 patients and follow-up

2

Decades of advancing Cancer Survivorship

"The POWER Conference"

Sebeccly Cancer Care is hosting the Conference on 8th September 2026 at the College of Medicine, University of Lagos

Theme:
"Accelerating Innovation in Women's Health, Emerging Technologies, Research, and Oncopreneurship to Prevent Cancer."

The Life line

One quiet morning, while taking a walk with my husband and reflecting on our plans for the year, we noticed three chickens grazing. Among them was a hen born with a deformed leg; she limped as she searched the ground, slower than the others but determined nonetheless to find her breakfast.

After a patient effort, she managed to catch a sumptuous insect. Just as she settled to enjoy the reward of her persistence, another, stronger hen quickly swooped in and snatched the meal away. The injured hen stood still for a moment, stunned. She could not possibly outrun her competitor. It seemed like yet another instance of life being unfair.

Then something unexpected happened!

With remarkable resolve, she made a decisive leap and caught hold of a loose lace tied around the stronger hen's leg. She tugged firmly, refusing to let go, her eyes fixed on what she had lost. Eventually, the stronger hen dropped the insect. In an instant, the injured hen retrieved her meal and moved swiftly to a quiet corner to enjoy it in peace.

It was a small moment, but it carried a profound lesson. Despite her limitation, she refused to surrender to circumstance. She found an unconventional way to level the playing field. Her determination turned disadvantage into opportunity.

That morning reminded me deeply of the work we do at the 21 Foundation. Many individuals and communities face challenges that feel overwhelming. Limited access to quality education, healthcare, and opportunity can make progress seem out of reach. Yet, with the right support, the story can change.

Your partnership and generosity serve as that lifeline. They provide leverage, restore dignity, and create opportunities for those who might otherwise be left behind. With the right support system, resilience is strengthened and potential is unlocked.

We envision a Nigeria where every citizen has equal access to opportunity, education, and healthcare. Our mission is to uplift and empower communities by strategically raising funds to address pressing social challenges, fostering sustainable development, and leaving a lasting impact on lives.

Sometimes, the difference between loss and victory is simply having something to hold onto. Thank you for being that lifeline.



Olayide Olofintoye
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2026 | FEATURED CHEQUE PRESENTATION

when WE
Share
WE
All **Rise**



**Sebeccly
Cancer Care &
Support Centre**

24, Furo Ezimora Street, Lekki, Lagos State



Sebeccly Cancer NGO



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Sebeccly Cancer Care And Support Centre



Trustees from the 21 Foundation & Some Members of the Sebeccly Centre Team

Sebeccly Cancer Care is a not-for-profit organization established in 2006 by Dr. Omolola Salako. They are committed to improving the survival rates of cancer patients in Nigeria and are recognized for their impact and innovation in the cancer ecosystem. Sebeccly is a launchpad for several programs such as the #12KLLP a Guinness World Record attempt made up of 7500+ Nigerians to form the largest human awareness ribbon for breast cancer awareness and advocacy in 2015. #TimeToScreen a breast/cervical cancer screening program that has screened 12,000+ women and treated abnormalities detected since 2017. #ChangeHerCancerStory a patient assistance program that supports the medical bills and welfare of indigent cancer patients.

According to the WHO, cancer burdens is rampaging worldwide, with several new diagnoses each year. In many low and middle-income countries, late detection, limited screening services, and high treatment costs mean that families often face both medical and financial devastation.

Early detection saves lives and reduces the cost and trauma of advanced treatment. But these challenges are deeply felt especially by the undeserved in communities, Nigeria inclusive, where many lack access to basic screening or cannot afford treatment, leading to preventable suffering and loss.

The 21 Foundation has pledged its support to the cause of reducing the cancer burden starting from Nigeria, and through your partnership and collective action, we were able to disburse **₦6,454,000.00** to the Sebeccly Cancer Care and Support Centre from the pool of donations in 2025. This will enable them to bring more lifesaving interventions to the undeserved through community outreaches, free screening programs, education campaigns, and patient support services.

The 21 Foundation is committed to raising a total of **₦21,000,000.00** for the Sebeccly Cancer Care and Support Centre (1 of its 5 beneficiaries) in the year 2026. Your support is more than a charity; it is giving hope, dignity, and a chance at survival for those who need it most. It means more resources can be mobilized to expand screening, subsidize care, and strengthen awareness efforts.

You can Donate, Share or Partner with us:

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Bank Name: Access Bank Plc.
Account Number: 0718197425 (Naira Account)
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OUR 2025 SPONSORS





Did you Know:

12,000+ Women develop cervical cancer annually, because of persistent "HPV infections" and 8,000+ die?

There is yet to be a cure for the virus, but

- * The body sometimes clears it naturally
- * HPV vaccines prevent the most dangerous types

Free Screening is Available in Nigeria organized through:

- * Government health programs
- * Teaching hospitals
- * NGOs and cancer foundations
- * Community health outreach campaigns

As we celebrate the strength and beauty of our womanhood and infact our humanity, please pay attention to your health and well-being, Protect Yourself

- ✓ Get vaccinated
- ✓ Go for regular screening
- ✓ Encourage other women to get tested

HPV - means Human Papillomavirus

- ✿ A very common viral infection affecting the skin & reproductive organs
- ✿ With about 200 types, some cause cancer, especially cervical cancer
- ✿ Affects both women and men
- ✿ People can carry HPV infections without showing any symptoms
- ✿ 8 out of 10 sexually active people will get HPV at some point in their lives

Regular screening & early detection prevents:

- * Cervical cancer
- * Anal cancer
- * Penile cancer
- * Throat cancer
- * Genital warts

Early Detection Saves Lives!

OUR TRUSTEES



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