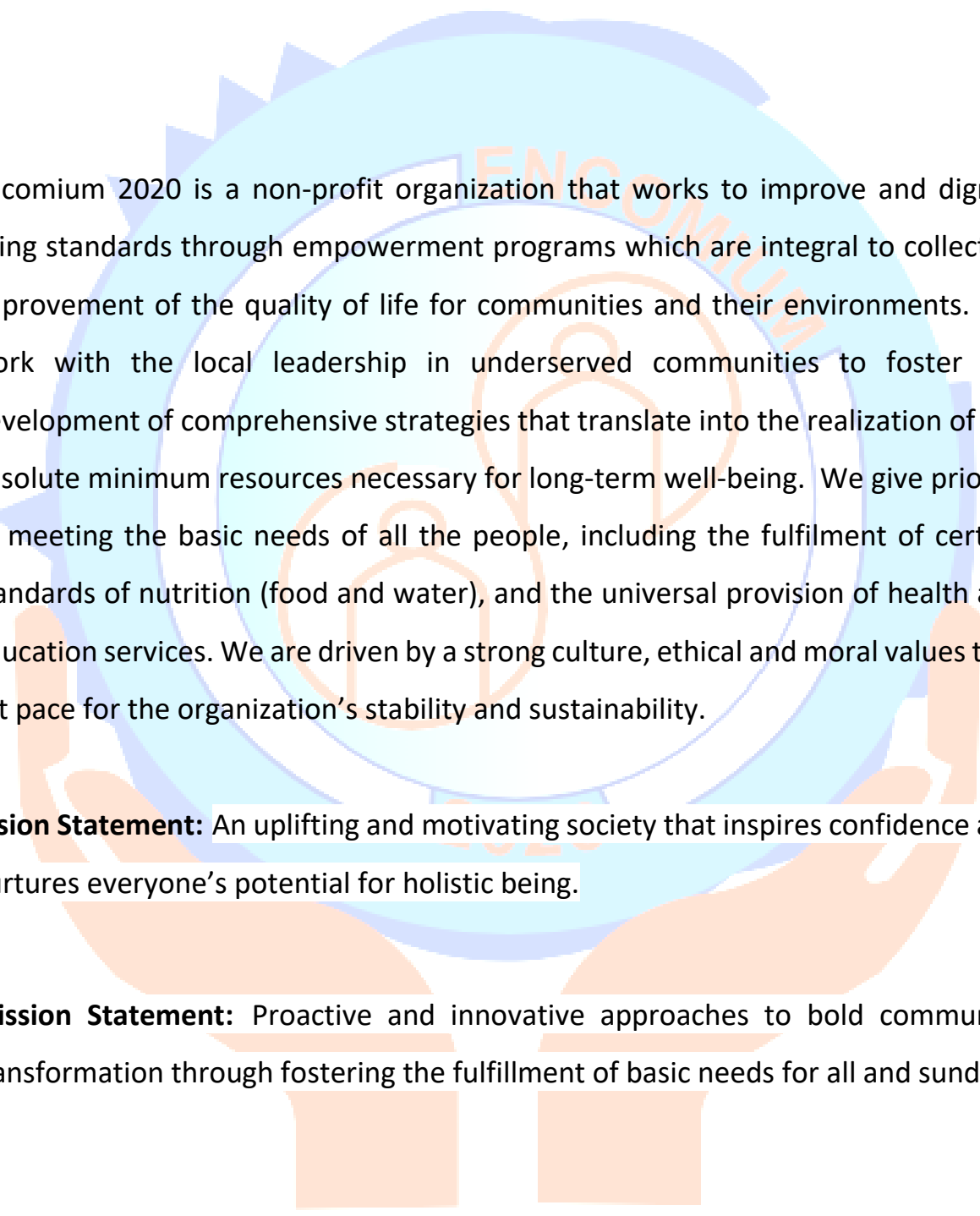


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Encomium 2020 is a non-profit organization that works to improve and dignify living standards through empowerment programs which are integral to collective improvement of the quality of life for communities and their environments. We work with the local leadership in underserved communities to foster the development of comprehensive strategies that translate into the realization of the absolute minimum resources necessary for long-term well-being. We give priority to meeting the basic needs of all the people, including the fulfilment of certain standards of nutrition (food and water), and the universal provision of health and education services. We are driven by a strong culture, ethical and moral values that set pace for the organization's stability and sustainability.

Vision Statement: An uplifting and motivating society that inspires confidence and nurtures everyone's potential for holistic being.

Mission Statement: Proactive and innovative approaches to bold community transformation through fostering the fulfillment of basic needs for all and sundry.

Core Values

Professionalism

We gain a deep sense of satisfaction and self-worth through consistently aiming to achieve high standards in honoring our commitments to the best of our abilities.

Integrity

We are honest and consistently show uncompromising adherence to strong moral and ethical convictions.

Empathy

We recognize, understand, and share the feelings, thoughts, emotions, experiences and perspectives of others from within their frame of reference.

Simplicity

We are sincere and free from deceit or guile, complexity, intricacy, pretentiousness and ornament.

Enthusiasm

We take great eagerness and an excitement feeling of ardent and lively interest in all that we do.


Primary Objectives

1. To elevate resilient communities that thrive with improved standards of living.
2. To promote high standards of health services through organized efforts and informed choices of society.
3. To support improved conditions of learning that enhance community abilities to think diversely and solve own problems.
4. To dignify access to adequate and equitable water supply and sanitation services for all, especially those in vulnerable situations.
5. To corroborate productive agriculture and sustainable land use that allows communities participate in profitable value chains and boost overall economic growth.

Key thematic Areas:

1. Poverty Alleviation

We acknowledge that extreme poverty is mainly concentrated in rural areas; and we work to ensure that the living conditions of all are sustainably improved. Poverty entails more than the lack of income and productive resources to ensure sustainable livelihoods. Its manifestations include hunger and malnutrition, limited access to education and other basic services.

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Our strategies in this area comprise of rural development and agricultural productivity growth through better access to resources, technologies and markets, integrated with building diversified and resilient economies with stronger rural-urban economic linkages, and essentially investing in education, health and nutrition in these rural areas.

2. Health Systems Strengthening

A health system is “the ensemble of all public and private organizations, institutions, and resources mandated to improve, maintain or restore health.” Strengthening health systems involves a significant, purposeful effort to improve performance.

Gearing our efforts towards ensuring healthy lives and well-being for all at all ages, we collaborate with like-minded bodies to strengthen the performance and interconnectedness of the six health system building blocks identified by the World Health Organization: service delivery, health workforce, strategic information, commodities, health financing, and leadership and governance; in order to gain health coverage, health security and resilience for all.

3. Education, Life Long Learning Opportunities

Education liberates the intellect, unlocks the imagination and is fundamental for self-respect. It is the key to prosperity and opens a world of opportunities, making it possible for each of us to contribute to a progressive, healthy society.

We work to ensure that every human being enjoys the benefits of perpetual learning; our learning projects ensure that all learners acquire the knowledge and skills needed to promote sustainable development and sustainable lifestyles.

4. Water and Sanitation (WATSAN)

Water and sanitation are essential for life and improved health, but they are also essential for dignity, empowerment and prosperity. Safe drinking-water, sanitation and hygiene are crucial to human health and well-being, and this entitles everyone to sufficient, safe, acceptable, physically accessible and affordable water for personal and domestic uses.

We work to improve community health by ensuring availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all, paying special attention to those in vulnerable situations.

5. Agriculture and the Environment

We promote resilient agricultural practices which ensure sustainable food production and help to maintain ecosystems that strengthen capacity for adaptation to climate change, extreme weather, drought, flooding and other disasters, and progressively improve land and soil quality.

This reinforces value addition to agricultural output, reduces post-harvest losses and increases resource efficiency, while generating job opportunities for rural communities, enhancing economic capacity, human capability and earnings potential and also increasing food security, food safety and good nutrition.

We work with the vulnerable groups of people in our communities, including:

1. Children: 4 – 17 Years
2. Women: 18 – 49 Years
3. Elderly: 70 Years and above
4. People with disabilities: All ages

OUR PLEDGE

1. We recognize everyone's rights, needs and contributions.
2. We share powers, rights and accountability with all our stakeholders.
3. We actuate participation, independence and dignified living.

