GRADIF-KENYA RESPONSE INITIATIVES AT THE COMMUNITY LEVELS

PUBLIC SENSITIZATION:

GRADIF-Kenya is applying different strategies as her response contribution to the spread of the Covid-19 pandemic. These include community sensitization using Covid-19 key prevention messages, Road shows by the youth, disseminating messages through social media platforms, sharing folk songs developed by various community groups on covid-19, translation of IEC Materials into local languages and distributing them to targeted groups, development of Audio –Visuals including skits and related messages on Covid-19 distribution of foodstuffs to vulnerable households donated by well-wishers, support with sanitation equipment, use of Local FM Radio sensitizations and to disseminate key messages, strengthening local community philanthropy among other cost effective strategies.

1. Stay Safe from COVID 19 #NOHANDSHAKE

The coronavirus pandemic poses particular risks for people living in informal urban settlements. Transmission of the virus is more likely. Adhering to ministry of health measures is key. GRADIF- KENYA initiatives. Mbeere North -Embu County
2. Health Screening Initiatives- in Chuka Sub County-Tharaka County

Stopping the spread of coronavirus is critical to overcoming the COVID-19 pandemic. Health screening is an effort to identify persons at risk of being infected, infected persons and stopping them from infecting others. Our Health volunteers and county health ministry embarked on screening new visitors in Tharaka Nithi County.

Some key steps for Covid-19 Screening.

- Identify a Program Leader.
- Understand Applicable Mandates and Recommendations.
- Develop a Plan.
- Communicate with all key stakeholders on the progress of the entire activity.

3. If soap and water are not available use a Hand Sanitizer.

4. How to PUT ON, USE, TAKE OFF and DISPOSE of a mask
5. COVID-19 zones