Country Directors journey
12 years SWAP
Where and how did the idea start?

- Meeting with Rob Quick at a party in Kisumu
- Alie HIV/Public Health expert, Rob WASH expert
- Rob arranged hire Alie in CDC for two years introducing SWS to HIV groups in Asembo, Gem, Nyando (Nyasembo)
- Women requested products to sell as IGA
- Rob did presentation and raised funds at Rotary Atlanta to start SWAP
Our office at Lutheran and founding members and Logo through design competition - 2005
2005
• Funding from Rotary Altanta – Kes 5 million / year
• Number of employees: 4
• First product was klorin introduced to HIV groups
• SWAP trained by CARE on SWS
• SWAP started operating under the umbrella of the Society of Women in Kenya (SWAK)
• Separated from SWAK
• Registered SWAP as Trust
2006

- SWAP registered as NGO in June 2006
- Basket of goods increased – sold to groups
- Sold Procter & Gamble and PSI products
- Klorin now branded Waterguard
- SWAP worked with KREP Microfinance
- SWAP won World Bank Marketplace Award
- Opened offices in Rachuonyo and Wagai
- Melinda Gates visited SWAP and Nyalenda
- SWAP started OVC and emergency response
- SWAP organized the first World AIDS Marathon
World AIDS Marathon 2006 – 2015
2007

• First PSI Sub Award – APHIA II HCM – Opened Rarieda, Ahero, Homa Bay, Suba and Migori – 2007- 2011
• Start of Research – Nyando Integrated Child Health Education (NICHE)
• Office research in container – SWAP Lab started
• Funding from GAIN Foundation and CDC – Sprinkles Study
2008

- SWAP opened satellite offices in Rongo and Bondo
- SWAP opened a provincial office in Kakamega
- Support during post election violence
- WHO – Cook stove study – Jiko Kisasa
- Georgia State University- ETL study (Bobbie Person)
- Vestergaard Frandsen -Life Straw Study
- Gain and CDC Sprinkles Study Ongoing
- Cholera response in Migori
2009

• SWAP leased land at Ahero - Model Village
• SWAP worked with 900 HIV support groups
• SWAP joined HENNET
• Media coverage by Students of the World
• SWEPI – Immunization study
  In Homa Bay and Suba - CDC
• Hand Washing and Hygiene Study Homa Bay
• Life Straw Study Continued in Nyando
2010

• Sky hydrant filter donated by Skyjuice in collaboration with Aquaya Institute and Global Water Challenge
• P&G supported first Jamii Center in Nyakwere
• SWAP employees from 4 to 10 and
• Annual income from 5 – 50 million
• SWAP joined the HENNET Board
• Life straw study ongoing in Nyando
• ETL behavioral study – Bobbie Person
• Sprinkles follow up
• Anti Microbial Hand Towel Study
2011

- Launch of Second Jamii Center within the SWAP model village
- Dutch Ambassador visited and planted tree
- SWAP Finalist UN Water for Life Best Practices
- Research: Hand towel study, SWANC study and Cook stove Study, Chujio Ceramic filter study and Menstrual Hygiene Pilot with Liverpool
- CD Key Note Speaker – WASH conference Atlanta
2012

- Launch of Jamii Center in Rangwe
- Strength of a women - Citizen TV + New York Times
- SWAP opened Mumias Sub Distributors center
- Handwashing Hygiene Study – CHAK/UNICEF
- Life Straw Study
- Hand Towel Study
- Chlorox Study
2013

• APHIA HCM Plus Sub Award through PSI
• Opened two Jamii Centers in Yala and Wagai
• CD decorated as knight in the order of Orange Nassau
• Nicholas Owino sadly passed on
• SWAP won the Saving Lives at Birth Award
2013 moving offices
2014

• The “Crystal of Hope Award” Life Ball – Vienna
• Nation TV, Austrian Media TV coverage
• Video documentary from Actuality Media
• Media coverage “Its Africa Time” P&G
• USAID DIV 1 million Award – Total 11 - 3 Jamii Centers (Marindi, Awasi, Shikoye) + Baseline survey
• KWAHO slum project
• Diaper study P&G Germany
• SEI – ANC Pilot in Siaya
• Water Back Pack Study
• UN Water for Life Finalist
2015

- Finalist in Social Innovations in Health Initiative – WHO/Annecy trip
- HCM extension Ugenya – Siaya County
- USAID DIV – Opened Yala, Wagai, Sondu, Sega, Kegondi, Kajulu
- Water filter study with TUFTS University and PATH
- Cholera research Homa Bay and Kibera - CDC
- Cholera response in Kisumu – CDC
- Kibera WASH Deworming study – FGD’s
- Ceramic Filter study EAWAG
- Lena Hoscheck Austrian fashion designer handed Euro 10,000 to SWAP raised through the “Hot Mama Africa” Collection at Life Ball, Vienna
2015 SWAP expands it office space
2016

- Final Year of USAID DIV funding
- HCM extension Wagai + new 5 year contract – Migori
- SWAP launched Sondu Water Enterprise in July 2016
- Women Deliver Conference – Copenhagen
- Strategic Planning at Kweisos – Koru
- Cups or Cash for Girls Trial – Liverpool / Kemri
- VIP (37016796) in the 2016 33rd Edition of “Who is Who in the World”.
- SEI – ANC study
- KEWASNET
- Election Hub
- Diapers Study
- SE Flow
- Care Study
- Care Consulting
- Water Lab
- Chiela Women
2017

- Vivatos New Dutch Foundation Supported WASH in School
- HCM activities started in Nyatike – Malaria and Diarrhea prevention
- Jamii centers reduced to Kegondi and Ahero
- Schistosomias Mansoni Study with urine and stool lab – CDC
- Cups or cash for girls study ongoing
- Stanford Study and PATH – Venturi
- Illinois -solar powered water disinfection
- Water Lab accreditation process
- Siemens Skyhydrant Monitoring
- Care Consulting
- Women in Business Worldwide;
- Best Public Health Initiative 2017 Western
- SWAP elected as HENNET Chair
- Handing over leadership to Alex
- Continue as Technical Advisor SWAP (50%)
- Close to 50 employees
- Annual budget Kes 100 million
THANK YOU SWAP FOR 12 AMAZING YEARS
AND KEEP IT UP – YOUR MDOZI!