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blood donation and blood transfusion in Kano project

## Highlights:

- Renovation of Laboratory at MAWTH and KIRPH
- Weekly Data Review Meeting for Weeks 9,10, 11, 12 & 13 conducted.
- Blood Transfusion Tracking Booklet Printed.
- Project Data Summary
- Update on Smart Donor App

On November 20, 23 SMJGH and WSGGH were enrolled, making a total of 9 hospitals thus far.



Renovation of Laboratory at MAWTH and KIRPH...1/2

□ The Jini Na project met the KIRPH and MAWTH Laboratories in a state of disrepair and promised to intervene with the necessary support, to promote a comfortable working atmosphere. A commitment kept, the laboratories are now furnished with worktables, drawers, cabinets, and stools to the labs.

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The condition of the KIRPH Laboratory when the Jini Na project commenced its study

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The present picture of the KIRPH Laboratory with the newly constructed cabinets and Stools by the Jini Na project





Renovation of Laboratory at MAWTH and KIRPH....2/2







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"On behalf of all the staff of the Laboratory here at MAWTH, we sincerely appreciate the Jini Na project for providing us with a state of-the-art cabinets and Stools, it is indeed a kind gesture that we will forever remain grateful for"\_**Aminu Ibrahim Minjibir** (HOD Laboratory, MAWTH)

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A Laboratorian sitting comfortably on the newly constructed Stools and Cabinet at the MAWTH Laboratory with the newly constructed cabinets and Stools by the Jini Na project

### Weekly Data Review Meetings









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Tracking Booklets Printed

□ In its effort to improve efficient record keeping at Laboratories of the participating Hospitals, the Jini Na project developed a customized record keeping booklet for use at the health facilities.





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# Update on Smart Donor App

□ The Application Software that the Jini Na project is using in data collection is dynamic and work in progress as the study goes on the need for modifications to the App kept arising.

The Smart Donor App is initially a web based data collection tool (that means you have to pass through your web browser such as chrome, internet explorer, Safari, etc for you to work upon) but with the new update now you can Install the App as a stand alone independent from a browser on both Desktop (e.g on Laptops) and on Mobile devices (Tablets and Phones).



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