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2025 Annual Report: Girl Power USA

Girl Power USA's mission is to drive impactful change by supporting vulnerable communities, promoting education, and offering sustainable solutions. In 2025, we expanded our initiatives across Uganda, Kenya, Nigeria, and India. We partnered with local leaders to ensure our support met community needs and fostered sustainable change by understanding the cultural contexts and everyday challenges of those we serve. This year, we provided essential resources to support education, improve health and wellbeing, and, above all, spread love and kindness.

Programs and Impact Highlights

Enhancing Healthcare Support

Making Doctors Uganda: Building Tomorrow's Medical Leaders

The Making Doctors Uganda program was established in response to the healthcare challenges in Uganda to support future healthcare professionals dedicated to improving their communities. Girl Power USA is currently sponsoring three passionate medical students, with two recent graduates completing their studies this year:

- Agnes Amidiong: 2nd year at Kampala International University
- Devota Valerie: 5th year at Uganda Christian University
- Lillian
- Martin Kiggundu: Graduated on 29th November (Kampala International University)
- Sarah Mutome: Graduated on 29th November (Kampala International University)

Through this program, we're investing in the next generation of doctors, empowering them to create positive change in Uganda and beyond.

Eco-Sport Initiative in Uganda: November 2025

The Eco-Sport Initiative was founded by Alinaitwe Derrick, a dedicated teacher who aims to keep girls engaged in school while raising awareness about climate action in Kagadi.

Uganda. Derrick also strives to equip girls with entrepreneurial skills to boost their confidence, independence, and future opportunities.

In November, Girl Power USA partnered with the initiative to launch a baking and business training program for girls. The training will teach practical baking techniques as well as basic financial management, marketing, and sustainable business practices to empower the group to be financially independent and cultivate an entrepreneurial spirit.

Period Power: Combatting Period Poverty

School Programs and Reusable Pad-Making: July 2025

After sponsoring three changemakers to attend a reusable pad-making workshop in Kenya in 2024 and launching our Period Poverty Program, Girl Power USA purchased a sewing machine. In partnership with Pa Maa Education Initiative in Uganda, we began producing reusable pads and conducting training sessions for school-going girls.

To date, over 280 girls and women have been trained in reusable pad-making. By equipping girls with pads, knowledge, and practical skills, this initiative empowers them to attend school confidently, participate fully in education, and lead healthier lives.

Partnership with Astercare: Making Sustainable Pads Accessible in India

In 2025, we partnered with Astercare, an organization creating organic and sustainable pads in India. We have conducted two pad drives and menstrual hygiene sessions in Chandigarh with their partnership, reaching over 100 girls.

Food Security in Kenya

The Breakfast Program: From February 2025

Joseph Were, founder of Rural to Action, started the Breakfast Program in 2024 to help address food insecurity in Kenya by providing a nutritious breakfast of porridge to 100 primary school children on his birthday. Joseph's motivation was simple: Children cannot learn on an empty stomach.

Girl Power USA stepped in to meet Rural to Action halfway. Through monthly support, awareness-raising, and network sharing, the organization helped Rural to Action reach 300 children in 2025 and feed them a healthy breakfast every day.

Haven of Hope

Total Rehab Centre for Disabled Children: From July 2025

Located in Nairobi, Kenya, Total Rehab Centre for Disabled Children houses over 45 children with autism and cerebral palsy. In 2025, Girl Power USA committed to providing monthly financial support for the home to cater to essential supplies, including food, diapers, and medication, to ensure these children receive the care and dignity they deserve.

Empowering the Future Transforming Lives with Education

E-Enable: The Smile of a Child

The Smile of a Child project aims to break educational barriers and enable differently-abled children to pursue their dreams for a brighter future. In 2025, we awarded full scholarships to six students and provided additional

educational support to 370 students across seven schools in Calabar, Nigeria. This support included tuition fees, stationery, uniforms, and hygiene kits. Beneficiaries were selected following in-person school visits and one home visit to verify their circumstances. They come from low-income households, and many are orphans.

Ark of Hope Foundation: From February 2025

Ark of Hope Foundation provides educational support to orphaned children, children living on the streets, and those from single-parent households in Western Kenya. This year, Girl Power USA partnered with the organization to support Jennifer Adegwa, an 11-year-old girl in Grade **x** at Muji Comprehensive school in Webuye. Girl Power USA is now sponsoring her education, covering school fees, uniforms, supplies, and meals.

Girl Power USA is also sponsoring Boniface Ouma, a 17-year-old student in Grade 9 at Mauko Primary School.

Season of Giving

Diwali: Pune, India, October 2025

This Diwali, our Girl Power USA changemaker Hrutvija Moon led an initiative in Pune to bring light, dignity, and joy to street-connected children. With support from Girl Power USA, she runs Umed Sanjeevan, a Pune-based NGO that supports children who beg, sell balloons, or collect garbage and sell it for their earnings.

Thanks to a fundraiser bake sale organized by Harini Narayanan, our volunteer in California, we were able to gift new clothes to the children and celebrate Diwali in its truest sense with sweets, smiles, and small moments of joy.

New Beginnings Children's Home Christmas Visit: Kenya, December 2025

Girl Power USA works with Hill Light Foundation, a Kenyan non-profit organization, to empower women and children through sustainable development initiatives in Kenya. In December 2025, Girl Power USA sponsored the purchase of basic needs, stationery, and Christmas goodies for New Beginnings Children's home in Nairobi, Kenya, as part of its Christmas campaign to spread love and support to those in need.

In 2025, Girl Power USA successfully expanded its reach to serve more beneficiaries across different regions. We thank our global team, volunteers, partners, supporters, and communities, without whom this would not have been possible. Looking ahead, we are committed to improving the quality of our existing programs and working with more changemakers for greater impact.