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February

Saturday, February 2, 2019

[Safina: Education and Health Services for Orphans and Vulnerable Children](#)

Where: Sseguku, Wakiso, Uganda

Want to send a child to school? Make a donation [here](#).

CSI Safina "Noah's Ark" program supports orphans and vulnerable children (OVC). Since April 2016, more than 100 children have benefited from this interactive and empowering monthly program that feeds, educates, and cares for vulnerable children. Community leaders and members have shared positive feedback and need to ensure the children are supported to stay on track. Going back to school is a challenge for guardians and through generous donations, CSI bridges the gaps for orphans and vulnerable children. The impact of #CSISafina program is best told by [girls and boys](#) with big dreams and hopes for a bright future. [#CSIUganda](#) [#CSISafina](#) [#NoChildLeftBehind](#) [#CSI2019](#)

Monday, February 4, 2019 *RESCHEDULED TO THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28 – FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 2019*

[Delivering Women's Reproductive Health Services](#)

Where: Seguku Health Center II, Wakiso District, Uganda

For the 4th consecutive year, Childbirth Survival International Uganda will provide free cervical and breast cancer screenings plus community outreach to increase awareness about cancers affecting women. CSI is pleased to partner with Seguku Health Center II, a government health facility in Wakiso District and work closely with Village Health Teams (VHTs) for a two-day event and provide free cervical cancer screening, onsite treatment, and referral; breast cancer screening, health education, reproductive health counseling, information sharing and more. Through grassroots efforts, CSI with local partners are reaching the unreached plus saving and impacting lives using low-cost low-tech evidence-based interventions. [#CSIUganda](#) [#CSI2019](#)

March

Friday, March 8, 2019

International Women's Day

Where: Somalia, Tanzania, and Uganda

CSI with in-country partners will join forces and resources to celebrate women and amplify the call-to-action for accelerated gender parity and increase awareness for adolescent/youth girls to have access to quality education and opportunities; to reduce unintended pregnancies, gender based violence, new HIV infections, and reduce school drop-outs for girls. Transformation of communities and societies requires a healthy, educated, and empowered generation of young people and girls cannot be left behind. [#GirlsRisingWomenLeading](#) [#GirlTalkGirlPower](#) [#BalanceforBetter](#) [#IWD2019](#)



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April

Saturday, April 27, 2019

[Cancer Information Exchange Conference: Presenting CSI Uganda's Cervical Cancer Program](#)

Where: R.I.S.E Demonstration Center, 2730 Martin Luther King Jr Ave SE, Washington, DC 20032

Time: 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Eastern Daylight Time)

After CSI Uganda's 4th annual cervical cancer outreach program (Feb 28-March 1, 2019), Childbirth Survival International will participate and present at the Cancer Information Exchange Conference and highlight program successes, key lessons and recommendations. Additionally, CSI's presentation will be instrumental for funders, partner organizations, and government leaders in sub-Saharan Africa to mobilize commitment and resources to end **#cervicalcancer** in Africa. [Register here to attend 2019 Cancer Information Exchange Conference.](#) **#CIE2019**

May

Sunday, May 5, 2019

[International Day of the Midwife](#)

Where: Global

An annual global day to celebrate and recognize midwives and their work in serving and saving lives especially in underserved communities. Through [CSI's Midwifery Professional Development](#) program in Tanzania, CSI Midwives are in the front lines collaborating with partners to strengthen quality, access, and delivery of health services to save lives of mothers and babies in health facilities. CSI Tanzania joins Government of Tanzania, White Ribbon Alliance, Midwifery Associations, and communities to amplify the need for more skilled midwives in underserved communities. **#DayoftheMidwife #CSIMidwifery #CSI2019**

Tuesday, May 28, 2019

[Menstrual Hygiene Day](#)

Where: Somalia, Tanzania, and Uganda

The Childbirth Survival International Team will join the global health, national, and local communities to increase awareness for people to better understand the lack of menstrual hygiene facilities, products, information, and services not only hinders women and girls, but everyone. Through CSI's educational and interactive [Girl Talk, Girl Power program](#), we address "taboo" topics including menstruation, gender-based violence, teenage pregnancies, and more. On Menstrual Hygiene Day, the goal is to reach girls and all levels of influence to increase and improve access to safe spaces, hygiene products, and water for women and girls to use during their monthly periods. **#MenstruationMatters #GirlTalkGirlPower #LetGirlsLearn**



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June

June 24 - August 14, 2019

[Girl Talk, Girl Power Annual Summer Program](#) *THIS EVENT IS CANCELLED*

Where: Baltimore City, West Baltimore, MD

In collaboration with local partners, communities, and funders, Girl Talk, Girl Power program will benefit adolescent girls 12-16 years in Baltimore. CSI will run the free eight-week summer camp program to educate, enlighten, empower, and create pathways for adolescent girls living in underserved communities in the city. **#GirlTalkGirlPower #CSIBaltimore #CSICares #CSIImpactingLives**

August

Monday, August 12, 2019

[International Youth Day](#)

Where: Global

CSI is dedicated to the health, development, and well-being of adolescents and youth especially in underserved communities. CSI's work in Uganda and Tanzania with youth especially girls aims to reduce maternal-newborn deaths and disabilities, HIV and sexually transmitted infections, teenage pregnancies, and forced school dropouts due to menstrual hygiene challenges. Limited access to resources and opportunities has increased poverty in young people and stalled progress to achieving local, national, and global goals. It is clear that when adolescents and youth are healthy, educated, informed, and thriving, they will be empowered to build stronger, peaceful, and productive communities and nations. **#KeepingYouthHAI #KeepingYouthHealthyAliveInformed #GirlTalkGirlPower #CSISafina #YouthDay #Youth4Peace #YouthVoices**

Saturday, August 17, 2019

[CSI Uganda: Free HIV Testing, STIs, and Cervical Cancer Screening + Same-Day Treatment](#)

Where: Mildmay Uganda, Kajjansi, Uganda

Breaking social and cultural barriers to address women's health requires partnerships and collaborations to ensure women receive comprehensive services in one visit. Childbirth Survival International Uganda in collaboration with Mildmay Uganda will offer quality and FREE cervical cancer screening, onsite treatment of precancerous lesions, and facilitate referrals for advanced positive cervical cancer screenings. CSI Uganda team will conduct health literacy sessions focusing on women's health, reproductive health, sexually transmitted diseases, treatment and care, and other frequently diagnosed sexually transmitted diseases. **#CSIImpactingLives #CSICares**



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September

Wednesday, September 4-5, 2019

AID and International Development Forum (AIDF) Global Summit

Theme: Accelerating the SDGs through Digital Innovations: WASH and Healthcare

Where: Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center, 1300 Pennsylvania Ave NW, Washington, DC 20004

The AIDF Global Summit strives to enable quicker and better response during crises and catastrophes by improving effectiveness, cost-efficiency, and sustainability of aid operations. This year's Summit will expand its scope beyond disaster relief and will look into emerging global challenges, innovations and opportunities in the international aid and development sector. It will continue to focus on best practices in humanitarian logistics, emergency communication, supply chain, procurement, partnerships and financing of aid programs. The agenda is developed in consultation with World Bank, UN OCHA, Red Cross, USAID, World Vision and UNOPS. Childbirth Survival International (CSI) Cofounder, Ms. [Tausi Suedi, MPH](#) is among [featured speakers](#) to address **Investment in health: Innovations in funding Maternal and Child Health** highlighting key issues: HIV infection, Sexually Transmitted Infections, Early marriages, Under- five child survival, maternal and child nutrition, and health systems. **#AIDFGlobal**

October

October 1-4, 2019

CSI Opens New Office in Baltimore, Maryland

Where: 400 East Pratt Street, 8th Floor, Baltimore, MD 21202

Childbirth Survival International (CSI) has a brand new office in the heart of downtown Baltimore. We welcome you to our new location. **#CSI2019**

Friday, October 11, 2019

International Day of the Girl Child

Where: Somalia, Tanzania, and Uganda

In order to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals by 2030, girls have to be part of this ambitious journey. Addressing gender inequity, health disparities, societal and deeply-rooted cultural "norms" by educating and empowering girls is the first step to breaking the barriers for girls. CSI marks this day with great energy building on previous years of work with adolescent girls in Tanzania and Uganda. **#SDGs #CSI2019**



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Wednesday, October 30, 2019

[Girl Talk, Girl Power - made possible by Quarter Fund Members, Longmont Community Foundation](#)

Where: Lubugumu Jamia High School, Ndejje, Wakiso District, Uganda

At the heels of International Day of the Girl Child, Childbirth Survival International (CSI) received a generous donation from **Quarter Fund Members at the Longmont Community Foundation** to support CSI's work in increasing access and literacy reproductive health services for at least 200 women and adolescent girls in Ndejje community in Uganda. Empowering girls for a brighter tomorrow includes

reproductive health rights and access for girls, ensuring girls have the opportunity to an education, and access to economic empowerment platforms for women.

November

Tuesday, December 3, 2019

[#GivingTuesday](#)

Where: Online

#GivingTuesday is the one day humanity speaks the same language of giving, charity, and making a difference. It's a day to give and to drive action to address issues such as: Why should mothers die giving birth, yet as little as \$7 can increase their chances of surviving? Why should a girl-child skip school because of her monthly periods? Why should a pregnant woman give birth without a skilled birth attendant, yet as little as \$250 trains a certified midwife to provide quality, timely, and respectful maternity care? [Click here](#) to find out how you can support CSI's grassroots efforts and impact lives. Thank you for your generosity to **#GiveCSI**

December

Sunday, December 1, 2019

[World AIDS Day: End HIV For Her](#)

Where: Somalia, Tanzania, and Uganda

Adolescents and youth especially girls have an increased risk to get infected with HIV, be discriminated from treatment and care, face social isolation, and lack support to access information and resources on time. CSI in collaboration with committed partners will lead and make an impact for several young people including adolescent girls to be informed and empowered to know their status (free HIV Counseling and Testing will be provided), protect themselves, and be the voices to end HIV in their communities and countries. Join the conversation **#CSI2019 #EndAIDS2030**.