# AAA e-NEWS BRIEF – 2011



## AAA HIV/AIDS PREVENTION: MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT-2011

Your contributions keep us going! Please send a tax-exempt check payable to one of African Action on AIDS' addresses below

## **Learn About African Action on AIDS (AAA)**

**AAA** is a tax exempt non-profit organization registered in the USA and operating under section 501(c) 3 of the IRS code. It is also registered in Cameroon (auth. No 00174/A/MINAT/DAP/SDLP/SAC). It has special consultative status with the United Nations ECOSOC and the UN Department of Information.

#### **AAA Mission Statement**

**We** believe that no one is alone. We succeed when the youth we serve become agents of their own change and use their knowledge to change their communities.

**We** reach the youth of sub-saharan Africa whose lives are affected by AIDS.

**We** affirm that tomorrow's responsible parents are the knowledgeable youth of today.

**We** educate youth with the knowledge they need to stay alive, and teach them to share that knowledge with their peers

**We** build extended family support networks in local villages and communities to deliver security, food, education and healthcare to children orphaned by AIDS

**We** create healthcare awareness by funding women and children's health.

## HEALTH AS A GLOBAL GIFT

2010 has been a landmark year of good intentions: The Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) were revisited by heads of State and Government at a Summit held in September 2010 at the United Nations Headquarters <a href="www.makinghealthglobal.com">www.makinghealthglobal.com</a>. The same United Nations declared access to Sanitation to be a human right <a href="www.worldtoilet.org">www.worldtoilet.org</a>. The Vatican's new awareness on the importance of condoms in the fight against HIV/AIDS was equally registered <a href="www.articleslatimes/keyword/condoms">www.articleslatimes/keyword/condoms</a>. In Cameroon, the President of the Republic, in his End of Year Message declared the following" I have decided to cancel charges for treatment of uncomplicated malaria in children under five years of age, which is one of the main causes of mortality in this segment of our population".



Looking ahead and based on these good intentions, 2011 presents a tremendous opportunity to advance real work on the ground to fulfill these laudable intentions, by creating, increasing, facilitating or activating innovative *solutions that will effectively reduce human degradation*, to establish HEALTH FOR ALL HUMAN BEINGS as a gift that we can globally pass along from one generation to another. JOIN AAA to be part of this new hope!

We wish you all a happy, healthy and peaceful New Year 2011!

Ruth Bamela Engo President, AAA



President of
AAA at
Melbourne
Conference
on MDGs with
UN/USG Kiyo
Akasaka

## **Contacts:**

USA	Europe	Cameroon
Laraine Lippe	Herta P. Kaschitz	Ruth Bamela Engo
Secretary of the board African Action on AIDS 511 Avenue of the Americas #302 New York, NY 10011, USA E-Mail: ljlippe@aol.com	AAA Representative in Vienna Schottenfeldgasse 20/9 1070 Vienna, Austria E-Mail: hpkaschitz@aol.com	President AAA  B.P. 4340, Yaoundé Cameroon  E-Mail: ruthengo@aol.com

www.africanactiononaids.org