

SOCIAL SERVICE WORKFORCE WEEK



"Community members know that we are there to protect the children."

Mercy Marima, Case Care Worker, Zimbabwe

"I can teach others how to identify vulnerable children in my community so that we can help them and give them the resources they need."

Dumizile Theodora Malatjie, Community Caregiver, South Africa

"The training inspired my instinct if not my soul, hence I became touched to save the community."

Justin Silas, Social Worker, Tanzania

"The child protection systems mapping has awoken our consciousness to do more for our children and families."

Mohammed Adamu Adangba, State Coordinator on Child Protection Mapping and Assessment, CapacityPlus/Nigeria

"My only fulfillment is to see my clients wear that smile on their face again."

"When I meet children who are not afraid to speak up for their rights, I am filled with a sense of accomplishment and pride."

Chioniso Mangando, Case Care Worker, Zimbabwe

"One must always remember, if you help a child develop, you help our nation develop."

Lungi Mkhize, Child and Youth Care Worker Mentor Supervisor, South Africa

"One of the most important things to do is to build trust... between social workers and the young people they work with, particularly those who are very vulnerable."

Pinh Sokhom, Drug Project Coordinator, Cambodia

Rosemarie T. Abadingo, Social Welfare Assistant, Philippines

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