



### PPPFN LAUNCHED NEW LOGO

The Planned Parenthood Federation of Nigeria (PPFN) has introduced a new form of identity (Logo). The logo was approved and unveiled at the recently concluded National Executive Committee (NEC) meeting held in Abuja in February 2018. The new logo was designed to show the new line of thought and the expanded service scope of the organization and to promote the new national FP logo (the Green Dot).

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### NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (NEC) APPROVED 2017 ANNUAL REPORT

The governing body of PPFN, National Executive Committee met on 28<sup>th</sup>



February 2018. The received, reviewed and approved the 2017 Annual Programme report. The body commended the management and staff for a job well-done in 2017 programme year and encouraged them to do more in 2018. The board specifically directed the management to double effort towards meeting the health challenges of the Most At Risk Population (MARP) and in particular the innocent Nigerian in the IDP camps across the country.

### SOCIAL ENTERPRISE ACCELERATION GROUP (SEAG) MET IN COLOMBO

The IPPF Social Enterprise Acceleration Group (SEAG) met between January 16<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> 2018 in Colombo, Sri Lanka to among other things discuss the vision for SEAP at IPPF beyond 2018 and consider planned activities for 2018. The meeting was coordinated by the Social Enterprise Hub in FPA Sri Lanka and supported by IPPF Central Office, PPFN was ably represented by the Resource Mobilization focal person and was attended by representative from Central Office, African, South Asia, Western Hemisphere, East & South East Asia, and Arab World regional offices.



### CSE WORKSHOP TOOK PLACE IN NAIROBI

IPPF Regional CSE workshop took place in Nairobi in the month of February 2018. The workshop brought together Youth Officers from IPPF Member Associations in the Africa region to create a common understanding of IPPF standard CSE programme. The meeting also facilitated roll out of road map for all Member Association in Africa to build its programme using the "Youth Centred Approach". PPFN was represented by Ada Iluno (PPFN Youth Focal Officer)

## DONOR FACING AND MEETINGS

The Executive Director, Dr. Ibrahim M. Ibrahim, lead the Resource Mobilization team during the quarter to attend series of meeting with some partners and donors to strengthen relationship and mobilize new resources to support PPFN activities. Prominent among such meetings was the meeting with UNFPA Resident Representative to Nigeria & ECOWAS. This meeting was a preparatory to the one held with the Swedish State Secretary, Ulrika Modéer where issues around strengthening women's rights to sexual and reproductive health were discussed.

Another prominent meeting during the quarter was that with Mr. Matthew Rehing of **Child Investment Fund Foundation (CIFF)**, to discuss funding opportunities in DMPA SC delivery in Nigeria. The meeting created an opportunity for PPFN to share experience on DMPA SC programme implementation strategies, achievements and lessons learnt.

## CONSORTIUM AGREEMENT WITH SFH AND FOUR OTHERS

PPFN signed a partnership agreement with Society for Family Health (SFH) lead consortium on IntegrateE project. The project aims at increasing service delivery for contraceptive mix and primary health care delivery in Lagos and Kaduna States through Community Pharmacies and Patient and Proprietary Medicine Vendors in Lagos and Kaduna States. The project kickstarts with an orientation meeting with project staff held in Abuja on the 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> March 2018. Other partners in the consortium are; Population Council, Maristope International Nigeria, Pharm Access and DKT International. The project is jointly being financed by Bill & Mellinda Gates Foundation (BMGF) and MSD for Mothers

## IPPFARO RESIDENCE ADVISOR TO NIGERIA STEP ASIDE

The IPPF Resident Advisor to Nigeria, Mr. Francis Yankey bow out after he has successfully contibuted and provided Technical Support to PPFN programme activities for a period of two years. The Executive Director of PPFN thanked Mr. Yankey for his immense contribution to PPFN programme activities during his brief but eventful stay in Nigeria. Delivering his valedictory speech during a sentfoth party organised in

his honour, Mr. Yankey thanked all PPFN staff for their support. He appreciated the management team lead by the Executive Director, Dr. Ibrahim M. Ibrahim for the level support given to him and cooperation received from staff during his stay in PPFN.



## DR. ELIAS (IPPFARO PROGRAMME ADVISOR-SRHR) VISITED NIGERIA

The IPPFARO Programme Advisor (Sexual Reproductive Health & Rights) Dr Elias visited PPFN to follow up on the implementation of post QoC Action Plans for PPFN and provide Technical Support in the implementation of programme activities. He also used the opportunity of his visit to discuss and agree on strategies for continued Technical Support to PPFN at the end of the Resident Advisor's contract. He visited both the Minna office and Jos Clinic to access first hand information about PPFN activities in the two states.



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