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KEEP WALKING TOGETHER: “NKOLO ORTHOPAEDICS REHABILITATION CENTER”

Construction of an innovative rehabilitation centre equipped with machinery, materials and a mobile clinic



Duration: July 2024 - June 2027

Location: Luweero District, Uganda

Beneficiaries: Up to 600 people with disabilities and more than 3,000 indirect beneficiaries

Partner: Nkolo Orthopaedics Rehabilitation Center (NORC)

Area of intervention: Ability in physical rehabilitation

Luweero District is infamously known as the "Luweero Triangle," haven been the site of a fierce uprising in the mid-1980s that resulted in thousands of deaths and injuries. Many of the victims still seek care and rehabilitative services today.

In the District and its surrounding areas, there are about 11'350 people with physical disabilities who require rehabilitative care. However, only 5.8% of them can access it.

SwissABILITY and its partner NORC respond to the urgent needs of people with disabilities through:

- Construction of a rehabilitation centre equipped with machinery and materials.
- Construction of an accomodation for patients and staff members.
- Purchase of a mobile clinic.