

## Dr Jennifer Douglas Abubakar - Founder of Gede Foundation

Jennifer Douglas Abubakar | Gede Foundations - Helping Orphan's



**Badagri, Sep 27, 2019 ([Issuewire.com](http://Issuewire.com))** - The vision of the Gede Foundation is to believe that all members of society have the right to good health. It was founded in 2002 with a motive of providing service to the underprivileged and ignored population. The founder of this non-governmental organization is Dr Jennifer Douglas Abubakar. The group started with providing training, advocacy, research, and high-quality treatment for HIV/AIDS victims. And today the team of Jennifer Douglas Abubakar is more focusing on mental health and its impact on the general population at large. Mental

health in African culture was a low priority. But, now this group has taken ownership to break the taboo and circulate awareness on mental health issues. They are trying to remove the discrimination done to mentally ill people with the help of partners at government and community levels. In Nigeria, they are aiming to go further and increase the openness to talk about mental health in the country.

Since 2003, Gede Foundation's mission also included providing support to Orphans and Vulnerable Children (OVC). Dr Jennifer Douglas Abubakar is making investments to enable support to these children in the education, medical, and psychosocial field. Peer's Educators Program and Educational support are two initiatives of the Gede Foundation in which the group facilitate essential school material and conduct income-generating activities to support children for their future.

Gede Foundation, which was founded by Jennifer Iwenjiora Douglas Abubakar has made lots of improvements in these many years for AIDS/HIV victims in Nigeria. In 2013, they have discovered that HIV/AIDS patient, as well as their family members; suffer from mental health disorders like epilepsy. From there, they started programs for mental health screenings, care, and support. With their regular effort towards human welfare, Jennifer Douglas Abubakar and her team members are often seen in the national and international media.

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