

# Maternity Waiting Home commissioned for Dunkura community

MADANFO GHANA e.V. Foundation, a Germany-based non-governmental organisation (NGO), which has embarked on sanitation, health and educational projects in Ghana over the past ten years, has completed and commissioned a GH¢120,000 Maternity Waiting Home for the Dunkura Health Center.

The project was sponsored by Mr. Meinolf Hengesback, Bonita Stiftung-Germany.

The Chief Executive Director of Madanfo Ghana, Ms Bertina Landgrafe, also known as Nana Anim Korkor II as the Nkosuohemaa of Apewu in the Bosome-Freho District of Ashanti Region, commended the sponsors for contributing towards the realisation of her dream, and gave the assurance that she would work to ensure that the health facility is upgraded into a hospital in the near future.

She urged the staff to be caring in delivering healthcare, and asked the people to patronise the facility promptly for their benefit, because prevention was better than cure.

Madam Leticia Ayeh Diabene, Bekwai Municipal Director of Health Services, expressed her profound gratitude to the Foundation for the kind gesture, and appealed to nananom and people in the area to cultivate the culture of maintenance to prolong the lifespan of the project.

She advised women in the area to plan childbirth to avoid unplanned and unwanted pregnancies towards a secure future for their children.



*Group photograph of personalities after the commissioning of the facility*



*Ms Bertina Landgrafe cutting the tape to commission the Home, while the Municipal Health Director, Leticia Ayeh Diabene, looks on*

Dr. Clement Nti Boateng, Bosome-Freho District Director of the Ghana Health Services, educated the people on family planning and the dangers of teenage pregnancy.

Mr. Emmanuel Stephenson, Country Director of the Foundation, also commended the citizenry for their support, which made it possible for the project to be completed in good time.