



Announcement

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The context in which Ndabuchiseh carries out peacebuilding remains volatile and, sadly,



increasingly precarious. For over ten years, violence has persisted and continues to spread across Cameroon's Anglophone Northwest and Southwest Regions, killing over 20,000 people and displacing hundreds of thousands. Despite these structural challenges, our on-site residential work has grown stronger and more impactful.

In our first historical cohort, Ndabuchiseh enrolled 15 conflict-affected young people and graduated 14, achieving a **93.0% completion rate**. Our second residential cohort maintained this powerful momentum, enrolling another 15 vulnerable youth and successfully graduating 13 (**an 86.7% completion rate**).

These young men and women arrived carrying the invisible wounds of violent conflict—trauma, fear, anger, hopelessness, and broken dreams. They leave fully equipped with emotional resilience, practical livelihood toolkits, and the absolute confidence to become ambassadors of peace within their home communities.

The Next Strategic Goal: Scaling from 15 to 25 Youth

Building on this proven framework, our direct operational objective for the 2027 cycle is a significant structural expansion. Rather than limiting intake to 15 individuals, **Ndabuchiseh is expanding capacity to support 25 at-risk young women and men (aged 18–35)**. By scaling up our cohort size, we intend to provide intensive residential psycho-social counseling, peer-mediation training, and organic farming instruction to a larger group of vulnerable young people before armed elements can exploit their economic exclusion.



Call to Action: Sponsor a Pioneer of Peace

To make this scale-up to 25 participants successful, we are urgently seeking partners, foundations, churches, and individual donors. A comprehensive scholarship of \$800 /or 700 EUR per youth covers full trauma recovery, secure residential accommodation, meals, intensive vocational training, and an independent livelihood start-up grant. Your partnership is a direct investment in community stabilization.

Youth Access to Justice: Legal Protection and Reintegration Frameworks

As armed conflict persists across Cameroon, young people face a severe crisis of structural protection. Many at-risk youth are subjected to arbitrary security sweeps, long-term detention, and prolonged imprisonment without formal legal representation or timely trial. To systematically bridge this human rights gap, **Ndabuchiseh has formalized its second core operational track: the Youth Access to Justice Programme.** Led by our founder, Dr. Fuhbang Emmanuel Tanifum, this initiative provides immediate pro-bono defense, systematic case analysis, and legal monitoring for minors caught in the justice system.

The 2027 Case Management Framework

The initiative targets **50 vulnerable youth** caught within the legal system, processing them through a disciplined, five-stage case continuum:

- **Legal Assessment:** Comprehensive evaluation and early case preparation to clear bureaucratic blockages.

- **Court Representation:** Direct legal representation and formal court-related assistance before judicial panels.
- **Systemic Monitoring:** Rigorous documentation, institutional tracking, and official judicial referrals.
- **Family Liaison:** Providing consistent legal education, psychosocial support, and case updates to affected families.
- **Safe Reintegration:** Assisting youth upon release with community mediation and protective alignment.



Join Us in Fueling Lasting Peace

Every contribution, regardless of size, helps an at-risk youth move from trauma to healing, and from legal vulnerability to civic protection. Together, we can equip the next generation to become builders—not victims—of their communities.



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Thank you!

Our vision is clear: youth from conflict areas becoming confident and resilient advocates of peace, standing up against violence in schools, homes, and communities, even in times of war.

Call to Action: Fund the Legal Defense Pipeline

Operating a robust defense network inside a volatile conflict zone requires structured institutional resources.

Ndabuchiseh has established a target funding requirement of US\$45,000 specifically earmarked for this legal segment. Out of this total, US\$25,000 is directly allocated to court defense fees and litigation representation, while the remainder funds crucial documentation systems and community legal support networks.

As we celebrate the successful graduation of our second cohort, we invite you to partner with us in preparing the next generation of peacebuilders.

Together, we can transform more stories of young people—from trauma to resilience, from despair to hope, and from conflict to lasting peace.