

IMANI REHABILITATION AGENCY

END YEAR REPORT 2024



Investing time and care into these young lives not only uplifts them but also strengthens our communities. Each small act of kindness can ignite their potential and inspire a brighter future, proving that love and support can truly change the world for the better.

IMANI AT A GLANCE

We offer child care and protection because we believe that every child has the right to a safe and supportive environment where they can grow, learn, and thrive. Our mission is to provide a nurturing haven for vulnerable children who may have faced neglect, abuse, or instability in their lives. By offering comprehensive care, emotional support, and access to education, we strive to heal their wounds and empower them with the skills and confidence needed to build a brighter future. In doing so, we aim to create a sense of belonging and security, ensuring that every child feels valued, heard, and loved as they embark on their journey toward adulthood.



In every child lies a spark of potential; here at Imani Home, we are the guiding hands that fan that spark into a flame of hope and possibility.



If we aim to change the world for the better, we must start with children, as their young minds and hearts are the foundation upon which a brighter, more compassionate, and equitable future can be built.

INTRODUCTION

FROM IMANI WITH LOVE

This end-of-year report reflects the significant impact and successes we achieve through collaboration.

It has been a remarkable year, filled with meaningful activities and accomplishments, all centered on our mission of nurturing successful children. Whether it's in a school, an after-school program, a community support center, an aging-out program, adoption or a foster care initiative, our focus is always on the best interests of every child we support.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our partners, friends and well-wishers; your invaluable support has made all of this possible. Because of your support, lives of children have been transformed.

Your unwavering support, guidance, and collaboration have been invaluable in helping us achieve our goals and navigate the challenges we faced.

This report not only highlights our accomplishments but also celebrates the strength of the relationships we've built together. Thank you for believing in our mission and for being an essential part of our story.



*Thank you for making a difference in
the lives of our children*

IMANI 2024 OUTSTANDING EVENTS



Figure 1



Figure 2



Figure 3

FIGURE 1: EMPLOYEE WELFARE PARTIES

We take great pride in the long-term commitment of our employees and celebrate their service to our organization. In 2024, we honored two employees who retired after over ten years with Imani. As a token of appreciation, we presented the dairy cow among the many gifts given to our retired team members.

FIGURE 2: NGONG HIKE

The hike was an exciting event aimed at raising funds for a child in our home who has been unwell. We are pleased to report that the event was successful, as we raised the necessary amount for his ongoing treatment. It was a wonderful way to support one of our own.

FIGURE 3: FESTIVE CELEBRATIONS

Our children joined the rest of the world in celebrating the festive season with great joy. We held festive celebrations at our respective centers, where we were delighted to be joined by some of our friends. It was a truly joyful Christmas for our children, filled with laughter, love, and the spirit of togetherness.

IMANI RESCUE MISSION & ADMISSION



Our rescue mission for the vulnerable children is driven by a profound commitment to compassion and care. We believe that every child deserves the chance to be cherished and valued, regardless of their circumstances. Our dedicated team works tirelessly to locate, support, and provide a safe haven for abandoned children, ensuring they receive not only immediate care and protection but also long-term emotional, psychological, and educational support.

Through our rescue mission, we aim to restore hope and dignity to their lives, fostering a nurturing environment where they can heal and grow. We collaborate with local authorities, community members, and organizations to create awareness and advocate for the rights of these vulnerable children. Our commitment is unwavering; we are here to ensure that no child feels forgotten or unloved. Together, we strive to create a brighter future where every abandoned child can find a loving home and the opportunity to thrive.

Through 2024, we had a total of **84** new admissions.

PARENTAL CARE & PROTECTION

At the heart of Imani home, parental care is not just a service, but a sanctuary where love, guidance, and support converge to heal the past, nurture the present, and empower the future of our most precious gifts - our children. By investing in this program, we foster a supportive framework that ultimately benefits children, families, and society as a whole.



We equip the children with the tools to navigate life's challenges and thrive.

TRANSITION- FROM INSTITUTION CARE TO FAMILY –BASED CARE



The importance of a family to a child cannot be overstated, as it lays the foundation for their overall development and well-being. Family-based care not only provides a nurturing environment that fosters a sense of belonging and stability but also promotes individualized care that meets the unique needs of each person.

We integrate children into families through adoption, foster care, and family reunification.



Family-based care
for the well-being
of a child.



NOTE: Through October to December 2024, we have had 8 reunions, 4 foster care, 6 adoptions and 16 new admissions. Therefore the total number from 1 January to 31 December 2024 is;

Adoptions: **8**

Family Reunions: **18**

Foster Care: **10**

A family is fundamental to a child's emotional, social, and cognitive development. It shapes their character, influences their future relationships, and establishes a foundation for a healthy and fulfilling life.

The total distributions of our children across our centers as at 31 December 2024 are as shown below;

Centre	No. of boys	No. of Girls	Total
Baby House	33	16	49
Imani A	30	15	45
Imani B	40	30	70
Imani Kasarani	8	14	22
Imani Malindi	39	31	70
Foster Care	23	15	38
GRAND TOTAL			294

EDUCATION

Education is crucial because it is not only for academic success but also for personal and social development, shaping well-rounded individuals who can contribute positively to society. At Imani, we are committed to ensuring our children have access to quality education by facilitating their enrollment in schools. Education unlocks the door to personal growth and societal progress, empowering individuals to think critically, embrace diversity, and create positive change in the world.



I have attached a separate detailed report on education progress, statistics, financial aspect and performance in 2024.

HEALTH CARE PROGRAM

A healthy child is a thriving individual, filled with energy and curiosity, ready to explore the world around them. They possess not only physical strength but also emotional resilience and social confidence, empowered by a strong foundation of nutritious food, active play, and nurturing relationships. A healthy child embodies the potential for a bright future, equipped to learn, grow, and contribute positively to their community.

A healthy child radiates vitality and joy, demonstrating a balance of physical, emotional, and social well-being. They are curious and engaged, equipped with the resilience to face challenges, the energy to explore their environment, and the ability to form meaningful connections.



Figure 1 Treatments



Figure 2 Clinics



Figure 3 Wheelchair Donation

Under this program, we have clinics for health growth monitoring and immunization, HIV clinics and Special clinics.

We also have physiotherapy sessions to enhance their physical abilities, help them lead active, fulfilling lives.

We thank Hope Mobility for the donation of wheelchairs to our special children in 2024.

Health Insurance

In light of the recent government health regulations transitioning from the NHIF to the Social Health Authority (SHA), there has been lack of clear directives for charitable organizations like Imani. Our attempts to enroll our children in the new health insurance system have been unsuccessful, forcing us to cover their treatment and medication costs out of pocket. This situation has significantly impacted our health care budget.

CHECKING POINTS ON ONGOING PROJECTS



Farming project

Our farming projects both in Malindi and Imani B are doing well. We did not have much harvest as anticipated due to short rains.

The swimming pool project donated to us by one of our partners is ongoing and we hope for its completion soon.

Kindly insert photo of the pool Steve.

MANTAINENCE

Imani A

Due to the heavy rains in Kenya from April to early June, part of the wall was damaged by a storm. We implemented urgent measures to seal the affected area and reinforced the entire wall.

The Montessori classroom was fitted with a new ceiling since the old one was leaking. The renovation is now complete and the children have resumed their classes.



Montessori Class new looks



Perimeter wall after reinforcement

Imani B

Our borehole experienced a breakdown due to a suspected electrical imbalance. We were able to fix it and it is now functioning well.

The perimeter wall at Imani B was reinforced with sand and cement on the inside to ensure that it is durable for many more years.



Wall reinforcement



Borehole repair

CHALLENGES

In 2024, we faced a significant challenge with our healthcare program due to the transition from the NHIF regime to the Social Health Authority, which resulted in costly expenditures for the treatment and medication of our children, due to unsuccessful enrollment in the new insurance system; moreover, there are still no clear directives for charitable institutions on how to navigate this situation.

CONCLUSION

We would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude for to Imani Partners for the unwavering support in our organization's growth and development. Your dedication and partnership have been instrumental in helping us achieve our goals and positively impact the communities we serve. Together, we have made significant strides, and we truly appreciate your commitment to our mission.

Thank you once again for being an essential part of our journey.